

Local Emergency Planning Committee
Mailing address; 1121 W. Gardner. Spokane, WA 99201

Agenda

Quarterly Meeting Wednesday – June 16, 2021 Time 9:00 – 10:30

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Welcome: Chair – Tim Archer

Hopefully, the September 15th, will be our first in-person meeting since the pandemic started.

New Business – Pipeline presentation from March meeting;

Please review the attached PDF of his presentation as we will discuss how to proceed and forming a committee to implement recommendations for Spokane Co.

Carl Weimer, from the Bellingham based Pipeline Safety Trust, provided an overview of the pipelines in Spokane County with some basic information about the different types of pipelines, the products they carry, how they are regulated and by whom, past incidents, and ways to consider the risks they pose to our local communities. He also spent time talking about what authority local governments have regarding such pipelines, and the types of programs and ordinances that local government can implement to provide greater protection for their citizens and the environment.

The Pipeline Safety Trust has been working with the Governor-appointed Washington State Citizen Committee on Pipeline Safety to provide these presentations to local government entities around the state to increase understanding of our pipeline network and give local governments the knowledge, tools, and opportunity to further increase pipeline safety if they decide that is necessary in their community.

NWS update on regional fire season, drought situation, and general weather conditions.

Updates:

Elected Officials – Sharon Colby

State Officials – Pete Hartmann, Sean Thompson, John Geppert, Moody Harmon

Emergency Management – Gerry Bozarth

Water Resources - Shane Sheppard, Kelly Williquette, Todd Henry

Fire Services – Mitch Metzger

Hospital – Darrell Ruby

Media – Vacant

Health – Mike LaScuola

1st Aid/EMS – Vacant

Transportation – Mike Toole

Law Enforcement – Lt. Chuck Arnold, Jeff Sevigny (WSP)

Community Groups – Barnetta Bindewald

Facilities & Pipelines – Chris Church, Ron Dowers, Amy Smith

