



# MEDINA, WASHINGTON

## EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE

Virtual/Online

Wednesday, April 13, 2022 – 4:00 PM

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### MEETING MINUTES

#### **WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Question for Chief Sass regarding crime trends in Medina. Increase in property crime with vacant homes due to spring break vacations.
- Motor vehicle thefts on the rise.

#### **King County Emergency Management - Nathan Bradshaw from Zone 1**

- Role of King County Office of Emergency Management (KCOEM)
- WebEOC – used by Government agencies to request resources from KCOEM
- Explanation of hazards faced by KCOEM
- Emergency management notification systems (i.e., “Code Red”)
- Zone 1 Coordinator is liaison for procuring non-emergency resources

#### **A Day in the Life of a First Responder - Interim Chief J. Sass**

- Extensive law enforcement training
- Cannot plan for every individual event, but law enforcement follows a national framework that allows first responders to prepare for any foreseeable event
- National Incident Management System (NIMS) & Incident Command System (ICS) overview
- Skagit River Bridge Collapse – ICS crucial to success
- Communication is key – media will not always be able to report everything emergency responders push out to citizens
- Community residents need to sign up for all methods of communication offered by local government (i.e., GovDelivery publications, Medina E-Lert, Twitter, Facebook, etc.)

#### **APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS MINUTES**

- Approval of the January 12, 2022, Emergency Preparedness Committee Meeting Minutes
  - Motioned by Doug Dicharry, seconded by Kay Koelemay.

#### **EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE BUSINESS**

- July 13<sup>th</sup> meeting:
  - Follow up to preparedness in response to Chief Sass’s presentation on Skagit River Bridge Collapse

- CERT training discussion
- Shredder Day – Drug Takeback Day – E-Recycling Event
  - Emergency Preparedness Committee have a presence at the event

## **ADJOURNMENT**

**Next meeting: 13, July 2022 at 4:00 PM.**

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Emergency Preparedness Committee meetings are held quarterly on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 5 PM, unless otherwise specified. The agenda items are accessible on the City's website at [www.medina-wa.gov](http://www.medina-wa.gov) on Tuesday prior to the Emergency Preparedness Committee Meeting.

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## **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

Wednesday, July 13, 2022 - Quarterly Meeting (5:00 PM)

Wednesday, October 12, 2022 - Quarterly Meeting (5:00 PM)