

LCERT Board Meeting Minutes, 17 Aug 2011

Attendees at point Grill, Mount Pleasant:

Tom Crosby, Danica Sancic, David Dawson, Jim Tarter, Art George, Greer Farrell

Joe Coats, Mike Volosin, Alan Laughlin, Phyllis Johnson, Chris Houke

Meeting was called to Order at 1805. The minutes from the last quarterly meeting were unanimously approved.

The presentation from Belfor usa was canceled

Financial Report

On file

From Counties:

Charleston-Jim Tarter

The Next CERT Class starts 01 Sep. 2011. Currently 29 students are registered.

Charleston County was Awarded \$ 11,000 in reverted SLED funds to be used for CERT equipment and training.

Berkeley-Mike Volosin

BC is working on hosting a Train the Trainer Course in the near future.

On 20 Aug 10:00 will hold a meeting for the Berkeley County members.

Dorchester-

No Report

Committee reports;

All Members are reminded to submit the quarterly hours summery. Reminder will be sent via e-mail and posted to Facebook.

Discussion on a change in the Service Award to year vs hours of service vs other factor—sent to membership committee for consideration per motion and vote.

Events

We did not sign up to participate in the Home Show Hurricane Expo this year.

Operation Out- Reach (BF Goodrich sponsored)—Charleston County was asked to identify underserved/ hard to reach population to distribute 500 emergency to go kits. Contact Jim Tarter with suggestions.

30 Jul, Expo was a success! Approximately 400 people attended the event.

Upcoming Events

18 Aug, 1830 at the CCEOC, In-service Preparedness, State Reps will also attend.

09 Sep we have been asked to participate in the 9-11 Memorial

10 Sep, opportunity to support the Dirt Dash contact Chad Haffa.

24 Sep, Lowe's Safety Saturday @ Lowe's West Ashley

14 Oct, St John's Fire Prevention display @ John's Island Shopping Center

15 Oct, Fire Prevention and Safety Day Lowe's North Charleston (Northwood's)

Annual Meeting

It was discussed on considering Wanamaker County Park as a venue this year.

This would be a more central location for CERT members.

Tom will work on price comparisons

Elections

Chairperson and secretary are up for election this year.

Election committee recommends for the annual meeting the same guidelines be followed as last year.—
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Next Meeting

09 Nov 2011 Location: TBD

Open Items

Location of Annual Meeting

Service Award

Election Procedure

The meeting was adjourned at 1900

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