



City of San Bruno
Emergency Preparedness Committee

April 21, 2022 Minutes

1. **CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting called to order at 6:34 pm

2. **ROLL CALL**

Present **Absent**

Committee Members:

Ron LaPedis: Chair		X
Malcolm Robinson: Vice Chair		X
Janet Lutus: Member	X	
George Peponis: Member	X	
Zidane Mili: Member	X	

Ex-Officio Members

Dave Dornlas: S.B. Amateur Radio Club	X	
Doug Kunze: Red Cross	X	
Jenni Williams: Red Cross		X

Staff Members

Gage Schlice: Fire Emergency Manager	X	
Ari Delay: Fire Chief	X	
Garrison Sexson: Police	X	

Council Liaison

Michael Salazar	X	
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3. **CONSENT CALENDAR:**

a. Approval of Minutes – Minutes were approved as read.

4. **PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA** None

5. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS** Janet had requested information on Carbon Monoxide poisoning be included in April PSAs. This will be tabled until the May meeting.

6. **CONDUCT OF BUSINESS** . A. The June 25 Field Day and Posy Parade discussion will be tabled until the May meeting. Parade route and festivities after the parade are still being discussed. B. Discussion about the Emergency Director and the coordination with the Committee's activities is tabled until May meeting.

7. **COMMENTS FROM STAFF:**

a. Fire Update – After the Caltrain accident, the Fire Department is doing additional training to prepare for another accident of this type. The CCC is back in Crestmoor Canyon for 2 more spikes of fire mitigation that will end in April. These are the last of the year. The City Council has funds for contracting out fire mitigation work in the city and hope to have a contract done by summer. Measure K funds will pay for another chipping program to encourage homeowners to create a defensible space around their property. Two new engines will arrive soon and the FD is planning a “push in” ceremony that will include residents of San Bruno. One will be at Station 51 and the other at Station 52. One new firefighter is in the Academy and will start in a few months. The 2 new You Tube buildings in Bayhill will consist of 2-story buildings with a 4-story underground parking garage under one of them.

b. Police Update – There was a career fair at San Mateo High School with Officers and Police Explorers in attendance to encourage a career in Law Enforcement. License Plate Readers have proved to be a big asset in nabbing law-breakers. San Bruno PD and Daly City PD teamed up to solve recent armed robberies. Burlingame PD and San Bruno PD coordinated a chase of a suspect who attempted to flee via Hiway 280 and was stopped by the use of spike strips.

8. **COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS:**

a. Radio Club: Oliver, W6BAR of the SBPD gave an interesting presentation at the monthly Zoom meeting. Another “Coffee and Radio” event is set for next Wednesday at Starbucks. Possible upcoming events include assisting at the Posy Parade, setting of flags at the GG National Cemetery and Field Day. Five members attended the recent CERT refresher course.

b. CERT: March's CERT refresher course was well attended and covered fire suppression, triage and the "Stop the Bleed" class. Hopefully regular CERT classes will start up again sometime this year.

c. Red Cross: Doug reported that the Blood Services group are now in the building on Trousdale and the RC personnel are re-arranging their offices in the building. RC is participating in Golden Eagle Day on May 19 which is a mock drill about an earthquake on the Hayward Fault. Five counties will join this event and San Mateo county will communicate between the Redwood City EOC and San Bruno EOC. The upcoming Prep Day event in San Mateo will include samples of emergency shelters of the RC. The RC is once again doing CPR classes and prep classes for kids. May 14 is "Sound the Alarm" day in San Bruno. The response has been good and volunteers are needed to make this a success. Perhaps CERT graduates and Lions can help out.

d. Upcoming Events: Sound the Alarm on May 14; Field Day on June 25; San Mateo county Disaster Preparedness Day on July 30.

9. **ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:22 pm

The next meeting will be on May 19 at 6:30 pm