

Wapello County Emergency Management Commission

Meeting Minutes

May 14, 2014

Present: Mark Miller, Sheriff-Wapello County Sheriff's Office; John Simmers, Mayor-Eddyville; Tom Lazio, Mayor-Ottumwa; Bob Johnson, Mayor-Kirkville; Bill Hinshaw, Blakesburg Alternate; Jim Lasley, Mayor-Chillicothe; Josh Stevens, Wapello County Emergency Management Coordinator.

The meeting was called to order in the Law Enforcement Center training room at 6:30 P.M.

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Sheriff Miller, seconded by Mayor Lazio, all in favor, motion carried.

A motion to approve the February 12th, 2014 meeting minutes by Sheriff Miller, seconded by Mayor Lasley, all in favor, motion carried.

The members discussed the need for a budget amendment due to grant funding received by the EMA office. A motion by Mayor Lazio to set the date of May 28th at 6:30 P.M. for the public hearing for a budget amendment, seconded by Sheriff Miller, all in favor, motion carried.

Josh Stevens provided the results of a recent EMPG monitoring visit as well as upcoming training dates and events. The topic of mass notification was discussed regarding a project from the State of Iowa receiving funding in the next budget year.

Motion to adjourn by Sheriff Miller, seconded by Mayor Lasley, all in favor, motion carried.

Josh Stevens, Wapello Co. EMA Coordinator

John Simmers, WCEMA Vice-Chairperson