



PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

LEPC MEETING AGENDA

The Bee County Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) will hold the regular **General Meeting on December 13, 2023 at 10:00 am** in the Emergency Operations Center, 2nd Floor, 111 S. St. Mary's Street; Suite 201, Beeville, Texas 78102, to consider the following:

- (1) **Call Meeting to order**, Welcome and attendee introductions, start promptly at 10:00 am. (*Silence phones*)
- (2) **Pledge of Allegiance**
- (3) **Review and Approve minutes of the last meeting**
- (4) **Old Business/New Business**
 - a. **Old business:** Bee County LEPC website had been created. <https://beelepc.org>
 - i. Membership approved holding LEPC General meetings quarterly starting 2024 – (First meeting to start: **Jan.10; April 10; July 10; October 9, 2024**) – same time & second Wednesday; (*Will post new 2024 meeting schedule on LEPC Website in December*).
 - ii. Re-implementation of LEPC Participation Membership dues to fund upcoming education training, Outreach & planning projects next year. Letters will go out to membership in December and dues payable on March 1, 2024.
 - b. **New business:** LEPC Executive Committee met on December 6, 2023, to update County Judge and Mayor on Bee County LEPCs goals accomplished including subcommittee reports for 2023.
- (5) **Upcoming Training in the Community/Conferences**
 - a. www.coastalbendcan.org – www.preparingtexas.org
 - b. TFS grants require that VFDs provide documentation they are NIMS compliant to apply for grants. (100,200,700,800 at minimum) free on-line minimal training & firefighters will receive FEMA certificates upon completion. <https://training.fema.gov/is/nims.aspx> Will need to create FEMA ID# at site if student doesn't have one.
 - c. ConocoPhillips is held a stakeholder Engagement Day Meeting/Training at their Kenedy Office on Wednesday, November 29, 2023 from 10am-3pm which included Bee County & surrounding counties.
- (6) **Standing Subcommittee Reports:**
 - a. **Finance** – **Chair:** Richard Cantu Jr.
 - b. **Risk Awareness, Communications & Planning** – **Chair:** Ryan Garza; **Vice-Chair** – Michelle Myers
 - c. **Emergency Response and Resource Development** – **Chair:** Rob Reyes; **Vice Chair** – Kevin Buesing
 - d. **Pipeline Damage Prevention** – **Chair:** Ty Huser; **Vice Chair** – Brad Read
- (7) **Presentation:** Robert Rocha – Chief of Safety & Security, Education Service Center for all schools, Region 2
- (8) **Public Comment/Announcements:** Comments are limited to five (5) minutes per person/group.
Be advised the Texas Open Meetings Act prohibits the committee from responding and discussing your comments at length and comments need to be factual in nature.
- (9) **Next Meeting Date: January 10, 2024 - Quarterly meetings (2nd Wednesday of that month) @10:00am**
- (10) **Motion to Adjourn:**

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David Cave – Bee County LEPC Chairperson

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