

La Porte, Morgan's Point & Shoreacres



Meeting Agenda

May 14, 2015

11:00 AM

LPISD Support Services Building located at 2015 Sens Road, La Porte, TX

Call To Order

Introductions

Approval of Minutes from Prior Month

Committee Reports

- Emergency Communications: Jeff Suggs
 - A. Incidents
 - B. Reverse Drills
- Emergency Response and Resources: Richard Bass
- Hazardous Materials Facilities Liaison: Burch Estes
- Planning: Donald Price
- Public Education & Information: Bill Bower
- Safety Fair: Misty Bridges
- Treasurer's Report: Misty Bridges
- Other

Old Business

- Annual Contributions were due March 1st– Please send in completed contribution worksheet with check
- Tier II Reports were due in March
- Vote on changes to Bylaws

New Business

- Nominations for Communications Committee Chairperson
- 4th of July Parade: Jeff Suggs
- EPA Region 6 LEPC Workshop: Jeff Suggs (Date is September 15th at the Jimmy Burke Center in Deer Park)
- TX Chemical Council 2015 Environmental, Health and Safety Trade Show: Richard Bass (June 1-3rd)
- Presentation by Joe Compian, American Red Cross

Adjournment



Meeting Minutes

April 9, 2015

Call To Order

Clayton Hackett called to order the regular meeting of the LEPC on April 9, 2015 at 11:06 a.m. at 2015 Sens Road, La Porte, Texas.

Introductions

Introductions were made around the room. View the attendance list @ www.laportelepc.org.

Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting

*Melinda Fowler pointed out the Lyondellbasell incident in the minutes had INEOS listed so she requested that be changed. A motion by Kevin Pearce, Solvay, was made to accept the March 12, 2015 meeting minutes with the change mentioned above. Randy Royall, CP Chem, seconded the motion. A vote was taken; Motion carried.

Reports

a) Emergency Communications – Jeff Suggs:

- Axiall has changed to Altivia
- Jeff says there are opportunities for the City to use the CAER line more than they have in the past. No citizens called the CAER line during the ship channel incident. Rick Deel says he calls the CAER line to get more information so it would be good to use it more.

1. Incidents –

- No Incidents

2. Reverse Drills

- 3/13/15 @ 0200 hours: AkzoNobel Pasadena – Emerge response at 0229 hours and all clear was issued at 0244 hours. Emerge test was conducted late due to malfunction with Emerge Systems.
- 3/16/15 @ 1000 hours: Goodyear Bayport – Emerge response at 1019 hours and all clear was issued at 1021 hours, no issues.
- 3/24/15 @ 2000 hours: INEOS Oligomers – No response by facility.
- 4/1/15 @ 0200 hours: Gulbrandsen Technologies – Made several attempts and only got a recording. No response.
- 4/7/15 @ 1000 hours: Invista – Emerge response at 1015 hours but they never sent an all clear.

b) **Emergency Response & Resources – Richard Bass:** Met to discuss drill, will team up with CIMA August 27th. There will be a few more meetings to discuss and CIMA will be involved in planning. We are looking to bring in a consultant to design/run the drill. Richard asked that everyone please check the list in the back of the room to scratch off or add your info if you want to be involved with the committee.

c) **Hazardous Materials Facility Liaison – Burch Estes:** Burch met with City representatives and got information on the Household Hazardous Waste Day this Saturday. They have one company contracted to help with the collection of chemicals that will have 10-12 people. Last year there were about 30 volunteers so they are in need of more people even if it's only for 2 hours. They are serving breakfast and there is a safety meeting at 8:30am for volunteers. Please get with Burch if you would like to volunteer your time.

d) **Planning –** No update.

- e) **Public Education & Information – Bill Bower:** Geared up for Wally training April 29th and 30th and we need volunteers to show up for each of the seven presentations. A sign-up sheet is being passed around the room.
- f) **Treasurer's Report:** We received \$27,652.40 this month from member contributions and golf tournament registrations. Total Disbursements of \$37,896.57 which included lunch, secretarial services, golf tournament expenses, liability insurance and our second payment to Emerge for 2015. Ending Balance as of March 31, 2015 was \$69,985.39.

Old Business

- Contributions Due – Contributions for 2015 were due on March 1st and there is a list of those who have paid in the back of the room. Please be sure to send in your worksheet with your check.
- Tier II Reports – Tier II's were due in March so please get those in as soon as possible. There were 11 companies that submitted paper copies instead of the .T2s format so please remember we need them electronically.

New Business

- Updates to Bylaws – Clayton gave a short presentation covering the updates we would like to make to the bylaws. Vote will take place at our May meeting.
- Vote to allocate Golf Tournament Funds – looking to allocate the \$7500 budgeted and the \$15,000 worth of proceeds from the golf tournament to put towards hiring a company to design and conduct a drill for us. Jeff Suggs made a motion to allocate the funds for a drill not to exceed \$22,500 and Burch Estes seconded the motion. Motion carries. We have used Media Consultants (Chuck Wolf) in the past and their modules run about \$5k each.
- Jeff Suggs made the announcement that he will be leaving to fill a position over at Kuraray and Kristin Gauthier is coming back and taking his position with the city.
- Clayton wanted to ask everyone if they sign up to be a part of a committee, please attend the meetings and participate in activities. Being on a committee is a requirement but we need active members to help out on those committees.
- Presentation by Kimberly Culver with LP ISD – gave a presentation on the school district and its facilities.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made and passed. Meeting adjourned @ 11:47 a.m.

2015 Monthly membership meetings:

January 8, 2015
February 12, 2015
March 12, 2015
April 9, 2015
May 14, 2015
June 11, 2015
July 9, 2015
August 13, 2015
September 10, 2015
October 8, 2015
November 12, 2015
December 10, 2015

LA PORTE, MORGAN'S POINT, & SHOREACRES LEPC **TREASURER'S REPORT**



REPORT DATE: May 14, 2015

BALANCE AS OF LAST REPORT: April 9, 2015

Checking Account Balance \$69,985.39

TOTAL FUNDS: \$69,985.39

RECEIPTS SINCE LAST MEETING:

\$31,752.80

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DISBURSEMENTS SINCE LAST MEETING:

\$8,493.94

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS SINCE LAST MEETING: \$8,493.94

Checking Account Balance as of April 30, 2015 \$93,244.25

TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS as of April 30, 2015 \$93,244.25

Misty Bridges
La Porte LEPC Coordinator

2015 LA PORTE EPC MEMBERS

2015

COMPANY	CLASS	REPRESENTATIVE	INIT	COMMITTEE/ROLE	ALTERNATE REP	INIT	COMMITTEE/ROLE
Air Gas	D	Harris, Ashley	AM		Adams, Don		
Air Liquide - Bayport	C	Johnson, Greg		Other	Hollywood, Mark		Other
Air Liquide - La Porte	C	Lopez, Rene					
Air Liquide - La Porte SMR	C	Lopez, Rene					
Air Products, L.P. - La Porte	C	Harp, Steve	SH		Kourpous, Demetrios (Jim)		
AKZO Nobel Chemicals - Pasadena	C	Bower, Bill	BB	PE&I Chair	Martinez, Joshua		
AKZO Nobel Polymers, L.L.C. - Battleground	C	Wilson, Ron	AW	PE&I	DeShazo, Kevin		ER&R
Albemarle, L.L.C. - Pasadena	C	Gahagen, Chris		IP	Hance, Erin		
AMPAC Fine Chemical		Rau, Dave			Doty, Jeff		
Athlon Solutions	C	Lathan, William	WL	other	Jackson, Jody		De:11/ER
Axiall Corp. (formally PPG - La Porte)	C	Christianson, Steve		PMNL	Grimes, Jeff		
Baker Petrolite - Pasadena	C	Buffington, Stephan	SB	ER&R	Hulen, Lynnette		
Bayport Industrial							
BASF (formerly COGNIS)	C	Belbas, John	JB	HMFL	Garcia, Gabriel		
BRASKEM, PP Americas	C	Ludwig, Ken	KL	Other	Menard, Huey		
CBSL	D	Kogut, Joe		Other	Gonzalez, Gerardo		Other
Centuri Technologies, LP		Holley, Chad		ER&R	Vanderslice, Don		
Chem-Coast Inc.	F	Detwiler, Rick			Murray, Phil		
Chemical Lime Co. (Lhoist North America)	C	Potter, Watson					
Chevron Phillips	C	Royall, Randy	RR	EC	Morris, Russell		Golf Committee

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City of La Porte	E	Gauthier, Kristin		PIO/Membership Chair	Mahan, Dena		
City of Morgan's Point	E	Ditrich, Sherri		Other	Richardson, Bryan		
City of Shoreacres	E	Stall, David		EC	Harrison, Troy		
Clear Lake Chemicals (No longer Company)	C	Campbell, Rick		Other	Holt, Sara		Other
CTEH	A	Riggs, Dave			Mack, April	<i>JW</i>	
DB Western, Inc.	C	Hextell, Dean	<i>DH</i>	PE&I	Bocksnick, Mike		PE&I
Dana Suttles	D	Birdwell, Donna					
Dow Chemical - Bayport	D	Cook, Ray	<i>RSC</i>	ER&R	Russell, Ray		
Dow Chemical - La Porte	C	Cook, Ray	<i>RSC</i>	ER&R	Russell, Ray		
Dow Pipeline		Cloud, Larry	<i>LPC</i>				
DuPont - La Porte	C	McDonald, Lakeah		HMFL/SF	Roberts, Kevin		
E.R. Carpenter L.P.	C	Catron, Mike		PL	<i>Raid McSteen</i> Kapfer, Andy	<i>km</i>	
Enterprise Products Operating L.P.	B	Farmer, James		EC	Ricky Buckhorn Michael Mouton		
Equistar Pipeline	B	Russell, Kevin	<i>KRR</i>	Other	LeBlanc, Greg		
Eurecat U.S. INC.	C	Estes, Burch	<i>BE</i>	EC/Membership	McCulloch, Fred		
EXEL Inc.	F	Webb, Corey					
EXXONMobil Pipeline Co.	B	Melendez, Jamie	<i>RD</i>	Haz Waste	<i>Chris Wischniewsky</i> Sally Tim	<i>CW</i>	
PeroxyChem - Pasadena	C	Melder, Bud	<i>BM</i>	ER&R			
Garner Environmental Services, Inc.	A	Fair, Breanna		ER&R	Emmons, Keith		
Gas Innovations	D	Brandt, Christ			Madray, Ashley		

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Goodyear Tire & Rubber	C	Bainter, Bonnie	<i>BRB</i>	PE&/SF	Smiley, Ray <i>Hebert, Valerie</i>		
Greif	F	Ramirez, Ruben	<i>MR</i>	Other	Chirstensen, Patrice		Other
Gulbrandsen Technologies	C	Mejias, Edgar			Walcott, Bryan		
HARCROS Chemicals	C	Childress, Monica		Other	Roger, Mary		
Highway Transport Chemical LLC	D	Mueller, Danny			Hall, Barry		
INEOS Olefins & Polymers USA	C	Buchanan, Tim		Haz Waste	Turner, Don	<i>DLT</i>	
INEOS Oligomers	C	Fowler, Melinda		Vice Chair	Dowdy, Jed		
Intergulf	F	Wallace, Stephen	<i>SW</i>	Membership	Minter, Chris	<i>CW</i>	Membership
Invista	C	Lehman, Greg		Other	Baker, James D & Zachary Rumph	<i>BR</i>	Other
ITC (not required to pay contribution)	C	Holley, Carl		ER&R	Davila, Jesus		
ITW Insulation Systems	B	Hutson, Douglas		Golf	Fischer, Michael		
Jacobson Warehouse	F	Bay, Curtis			Clark, Edward		
Kinder Morgan							
Kior, Corp.		JC Delgado			Steve Hawkes		
Kuraray America EVAL	C	Kuhfeldt, Sheryl	<i>SK</i>	EC	Bass, Richard	<i>RB</i>	ER&R
Kuraray America Septon	C	Bass, Richard	<i>RB</i>	EC	Kuhfeldt, Sheryl		
La Porte ISD	G	Culver, Kimberly		PE&/SF			
Linde Gas, L.L.C.	C	McClain, Kevin	<i>KM</i>	PL			
Lonestar Ecology		Stringer, Watt		HMFL	Hartley, Joel		
Lubrizol - Bayport	C	Sonnier, David	<i>DS</i>	ER&R	Greene, Scott Deel, Rick		ER&R
LyondellBasell - Choate	C	Price, Don		PL Chair	Cooper, Tommy		

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LyondellBasell - La Porte	C	Israel, Chris	CI	PL	Freeman, Tereasa		PL
LyondellBasell - BYO		Price, Don		HMFL	Hardcastle, Lance		
M&M Protection, LLC	F	McHazlett, John			Riggs, Scott		
Metton America, Inc	C	McNeill, Gwendolyn	GM	HMFL	Johnson, Judy	GM	Hazardous Waste Team
Nissan Chemical - Houston/Pasadena	C	Pace, Keith	KP	Other	Contreras, Gene		
Noltex	C	Mann, Tim		ER&R	Cameron, Kathy		
NRG - San Jacinto Plant	F	Birbeck, Bruce			Morgan, Roger		
NRG - SR Bertron Plant	F	Birbeck, Bruce			Morgan, Roger		
Odfjell Terminals (not required to pay)	C	Eldridge, Robert	RE	Golf/SF	Gober, Dodie		
Oxyvinyls-Houston Operations (LP/Battleground)	C	Lancelin, Tim Machemehl, Kevin		EC	Cox, Justin	X	
Port of Houston	G	Rizzo, Colin			Dowda, Jessie		
Praxair Inc	C	Freuler, Tom	TF	PE&I			PE&I
San Jacinto College District	F	Lambert, Ginger					
Shell Pipeline	C	Barker, Phillip		PE&I	Yandell, Gerald		
Solvay	C	Pearce, Kevin	KVP	SF	Haertling, Andrea		
South Coast	B	Pham, Dan		HMFL			
Southern Ionics	C	Hackett, Clayton	CH	Chairman PE&I	Boyd, Joey		
Sun Products Corp.	C	Eady, Scott		Golf Tournament	Soto, Jason		Golf Tournament, Emer. Response
Total Petrochemicals	C	Sipe, David		EC	Stokes, Bobby		Other
Trecora Chemical (formerly SSI Chusei)	C	Cuevas, Donna	DC	Golf Tournament	Novak, Jim		

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TYCO (Pentair)	F	Speer, Steve					
Zeon Chemicals	C	Owens, Gary		Other	Souris, Jeff		Other
American Red Cross	G	Conerly, Phoebe		PE&I	Richard Conner Complan, Joe	RC	
Centerpoint							
City of Deer Park	E	Hemminger, Robert					
City of Webster	E	Ferro, Joe					
City of La Porte - Fire Marshal	---	Simmons, Steven		SF	Meekins, Clif		
City of La Porte - Fire Department		Ladd, Donald			Henson, Jerod		
City of La Porte - Police Department	---	Bradley, Shaye			Swenson, Ed Dawmer, Matt		
Detection & Measurement Systems							
E-MERGE	-	Heiken, Dan					
Harris County - Commissioner - Pct 2	E	Darbonne, Jacque			Valdez, Debbie		SF
--- POLLUTION CONTROL	E	Hill, Craig			Martin, Jonathan		
--- OEM	E	Wade, David					
--- PUBLIC HEALTH & ES	E	McClendon, Mac					
--- SHERRIFS OFFICE	E	Brown, Ron		ER&R/HMFL	Harrison, SGT. Kimball		
Kaneka North America		Blake, Dale					
Lonestar Ecology	A	Stringer, Walt		HMFL	Hartley, Joel		
San Jacinto Battleground Historic Site		Craig VanBaarle					

