

La Porte, Morgan's Point & Shoreacres



Meeting Agenda

April 9, 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
 - Household Hazardous Waste Day
- Planning: Donald Price
- Public Education & Information: Bill Bower
- 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

New Business

- Updates to the Bylaws by Clayton Hackett
- Vote to allocate funds for annual drill
- Presentation by Kim Culver, La Porte ISD

Adjournment



Meeting Minutes

March 12, 2015

Call To Order

Clayton Hackett called to order the regular meeting of the LEPC on **March 12, 2015** at 11:10 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

A motion by Bud Melder, PeroxyChem, was made to accept the **February 12, 2015** meeting minutes. Ray Cook, Dow, seconded the motion. A vote was taken; Motion carried.

Reports

a) Emergency Communications – Dena Mahan:

1. Incidents –

- **Dupont:** According to Dena, Dupont is currently testing their alarm system and did not send out an Emerge notification and dispatch and City Hall have received over 20 phone calls with questions. According to members in attendance, they have been receiving notifications all week from Dupont that they would be testing so the City must have missed the notices since they were dealing with the ship channel incident.
- **INEOS:** Tim Buchanan spoke regarding an incident on February 17th. INEOS BMC was doing some demo work on old vessels on top of a finished building. A fire started when a torch came in contact with dry flake pouring out of one of the vessels. Operations in the area got all workers down safely and put the fire monitor on the fire. ERT responded and extinguished the rest of the fire.
- **LyondellBasell:** On March 6th at 1130 hours Lyondellbasell released approximately 100lbs of Glacial Acetic Acid from a flange leak at their North Dock to the ground and Galveston Bay. NRC was contacted and Coast Guard, TX GLO and TCEQ all responded to the site. The spill was neutralized and cleaned up and the flange leak repaired. The incident was cleared at 1500 hours.

2. Reverse Drills

- a. 2/19/15 @ 0200 hours: Axiall Corp – No response at all.
- b. 2/25/15 @ 1000 hours: Baker Petrolite – Emerge response at 1024 hours and all clear was issued at 1049 hours, no issues.
- c. 3/5/15 @ 0200 hours: Air Products – Emerge notification sent at 2010, no all clear issued.

b) **Emergency Response & Resources – Richard Bass:** On August 27th, all 4 zones will have a drill. There is a backup date but it will only be used in the event of a hurricane. Richard will send out a meeting request to his committee for April to meet and discuss how the LEPC plans to participate with the drill.

c) **Hazardous Materials Facility Liaison – Burch Estes:** Sent out email about Household Hazardous Waste Day. They are looking for 15 volunteers and Dena will check to see if they need any HAZWOPER-trained individuals like they did in the past. Randy Royall says they do need a lot of help. This is a great opportunity to volunteer. It will be April 11th from 9-1:00.

d) **Planning** – No update.

- e) **Public Education & Information – Bill Bower:** Geared up for Wally training and Baker 6th grade program. Committee will meet prior to the LEPC meeting next month.
- f) **Golf Tournament – Robert Eldridge:** Robert wanted to thank everyone for participating in the event. The weather turned out great and the tournament was a success. The final numbers are as follows: \$25,435 in committed sponsors and mulligans sold. Cost of the tournament was \$10,127.13 which left us with a profit of \$15,307.87 to go towards our drill.
- g) **Treasurer's Report:** We received \$70,047.65 this month from member contributions and golf tournament registrations. Total Disbursements of \$28,193.03 which included lunch, secretarial services, postage and our first payment to Emerge for 2015. Ending Balance as of February 27, 2015 was \$80,229.56.

Old Business

- Contributions Due – Contributions for 2015 are due 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 are due by March so please get those in as soon as possible.

New Business

- Presentation by Bud Melder with PeroxyChem – gave a presentation on the facility and its responsibilities.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made and passed. Meeting adjourned @ 11:50 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: April 9, 2015

BALANCE AS OF LAST REPORT: March 12, 2015

Checking Account Balance \$80,229.56

TOTAL FUNDS: \$80,229.56

RECEIPTS SINCE LAST MEETING:

\$27,652.40

TOTAL RECEIPTS SINCE LAST MEETING: \$27,652.40

DISBURSEMENTS SINCE LAST MEETING:

\$37,896.57

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS SINCE LAST MEETING: \$37,896.57

Checking Account Balance as of March 31, 2015 \$69,985.39

TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS as of March 31, 2015 \$69,985.39

Misty Bridges
La Porte LEPC Coordinator

2015 LA PORTE EPC MEMBERS

April
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COMPANY	CLASS	REPRESENTATIVE	INIT	COMMITTEE/ ROLE	ALTERNATE REP	INIT	COMMITTEE/ ROLE
Air Gas	D	Harris, Ashley	AW	ER&R	Adams, Don		
Air Liquide - Bayport	C	Johnson, Greg	J	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	B	PE&I Chair	Martinez, Joshua		
AKZO Nobel Polymers, L.L.C. - Battleground	C	Wilson, Ron	RW	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	W	other	Jackson, Jody		
Axiall Corp. (formally PPG - La Porte)	C	Christianson, Steve		PMNL	Grimes, Jeff		
Baker Petrolite - Pasadena	C	Buffington, Stephan		ER&R	Hulen, Lynnette		
Bayport Industrial							
BASF (formerly COGNIS)	C	Belbas, John		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

COMPANY	CLASS	REPRESENTATIVE	INIT	COMMITTEE/ROLE	ALTERNATE REP	INIT	COMMITTEE/ROLE
City of La Porte	E	Suggs, Jeff		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		
DB Western, Inc.	C	Hextell, Dean		PE&I	Bocksnick, Mike		PE&I
Dana Suttles	D	Birdwell, Donna					
Dow Chemical - Bayport	D	Cook, Ray		ER&R	Russell, Ray		
Dow Chemical - La Porte	C	Cook, Ray		ER&R	Russell, Ray		
DuPont - La Porte	C	McDonald, Lakeah	LM	HMFL/SF	Roberts, Kevin		
E.R. Carpenter L.P.	C	Mike Costin Braun, John	MC	PL	Kapfer, Andy		
Enterprise Products Operating L.P.	B	Farmer, James		EC	Ricky Buckhorn Michael Mouton		
Equistar Pipeline	B	Russell, Kevin		Other	LeBlanc, Greg		
Eurecat U.S. INC.	C	Estes, Burch		EC/Membership	McCulloch, Fred		
EXEL Inc.	F	Webb, Corey					
EXXONMobil Pipeline Co.	B	Melendez, Jamie		Haz Waste	Salley, Timothy		
PeroxyChem - Pasadena	C	Melder, Bud		ER&R			
Garner Environmental Services, Inc.	A	Fair, Breanna		ER&R	Emmons, Keith		
Gas Innovations	D	Porter, Alton		Golf Tournament Chair	Whipka, Bill		
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	C	Bainter, Bonnie		PE&I/SF	Smiley, Ray		

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Greif	F	Ramirez, Ruben		Other	Chirstensen, Patrice		Other
Gulbrandsen Technologies	C	Mejias, Edgar			Walcott, Bryan		
HARCROS Chemicals	C	Childress, Monica	MC	Other	Roger, Mary		
Highway Transport Chemical LLC	D	Mueller, Danny			Hall, Barry		
INEOS Olefins & Polymers USA	C	Buchanan, Tim		Haz Waste	Turner, Don		
INEOS Oligomers	C	Fowler, Melinda	MF	Vice Chair	Dowdy, Jed		
Intergulf	F	Wallace, Stephen	SMW	Membership	Minter, Chris		Membership
Invista	C	Lehman, Greg		Other	Baker, James D & Zachary Rumph ✓	ZR	Other
ITC (not required to pay contribution)	C	Holley, Carl		ER&R	Coffe, Gary Seiwis, Dante	CF	
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		EC	Bass, Richard	KB	ER&R
Kuraray America Septon	C	Bass, Richard		EC	Kuhfeldt, Sheryl	KB	
La Porte ISD	G	Culver, Kimberly	KE	PE&/SF			
Linde Gas, L.L.C.	C	McClain, Kevin	KM	PL			
Lonestar Ecology		Stringer, Watt		HMFL	Hartley, Joel		
Lubrizol - Bayport	C	Sonnier, David		ER&R	Greene, Scott Deel, Rick	RD	ER&R
LyondellBasell - Choate	C	Price, Don		PL Chair	Cooper, Tommy		
LyondellBasell - La Porte	C	Israel, Chris		PL	Freeman, Tereasa		PL

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LyondellBasell - BYO		Price, Don		HMFL	Hardcastle, Lance		
M&M Protection, LLC	F	McHazlett, John			Riggs, Scott		
Metton America, Inc	C	McNeill, Gwendolyn		HMFL	Johnson, Judy		Hazardous Waste Team
Nissan Chemical - Houston/Pasadena	C	Pace, Keith		Other	Contreras, Gene	<i>GC</i>	
Noltex	C	Mann, Tim	<i>JM</i>	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	<i>RE</i>	Golf/SF	Gober, Dodie		
Oxyvinyls-Houston Operations (LP/Battleground)	C	Lancelin, Tim Machemehl, Kevin		EC	Cox, Justin	<i>JC</i>	
Port of Houston	G	Rizzo, Colin	<i>CR</i>		Dowda, Jessie		
Praxair Inc	C	Freuler, Tom		PE&I			PE&I
San Jacinto College District	F	Lambert, Ginger					
Shell Pipeline	C	Barker, Phillip	<i>PHB</i>	PE&I	Yandell, Gerald		
Solvay	C	Pearce, Kevin	<i>KVP</i>	SF	Haertling, Andrea		
South Coast	B	Pham, Dan		HMFL			
Southern Ionics	C	Hackett, Clayton	<i>CH</i>	Chairman PE&I	Boyd, Joey	<i>AB</i>	
Sun Products Corp.	C	Eady, Scott		Golf Tournament	Soto, Jason	<i>AS</i>	Golf Tournament, Emer. Response
Total Petrochemicals	C	Sipe, David		EC	Stokes, Bobby	<i>BS</i>	Other
Trecora Chemical (formerly SSI Chusei)	C	Cuevas, Donna	<i>DC</i>	Golf Tournament	Novak, Jim		
TYCO (Pentair)	F	Speer, Steve					

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Zeon Chemicals	C	Owens, Gary		Other	Souris, Jeff		Other
American Red Cross	G	Conerly, Phoebe		PE&I	Compian, Joe		
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	<i>[Signature]</i>		Swenson, Ed		
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	<i>[Signature]</i>	
--- OEM	E	Wade, David	<i>[Signature]</i>				
--- PUBLIC HEALTH & ES	E	McClendon, Mac					
--- SHERRIFS OFFICE	E	Brown, Ron	<i>[Signature]</i>	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					
Senator Mike Jackson's Office	E	Lewis, Barbara					

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Texas General Land Office	E	Harding, Maren		ER&R			
Texas Industrial Medical	F	Taylor, Elizabeth			Moses, Rick		
Texas Parks & Wildlife	E	Shirley, David		SF	Moreno, Frank		
Union Pacific	F	Lerch, Frank			O'Brien, Tim		
U S Coast Guard		Sampert, R.J.		Response			

Companies in red indicate **voting** members. Dues were paid in 2010.

Acronyms

EC = Emergency Communications
ER&R = Emergency Response & Resources
HMFL = Hazardous Materials Facility Liaison
PE&I = Public Education & Information
PIO = Public Information Officer
PL - Planning
PMNL = Plant Manager's Network Liaison
SF = Safety Fair

Membership Classification Code (See Bylaws)

A = Service Business
B = Manufacturer of Articles
C = Chemical Manufacturer
D = Transportation-Related
E = Responsible Agency or Jurisdiction
F = Associate Member - Facility
G = Associate Member - Non-Profit Organization

Tina Mikes		DMT					
Frank Benbouten		PASADENA OEM					
Jeff Suggs		KURARAY			Jeff.Suggs@kuraray.com		
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Kristen Todd	E	TCEQ			spill12@tceq.texas.gov		
DALE BLAKE		KANEKA					
LARRY CLOUD		Dow Pipelines			LPCLOUD@DOW.COM		
JOE FERRO		City of Webster					
Kristin Gauthier		City of Baytown					
Ben Reese		GCA			breeser@gcawda.com		

