

## **Q1 Tri-County LEPC Meeting Notes**

### **1. Introductions**

- All coordinators and attending council members were introduced.

### **2. LEPC Case Study**

- Brian Bland presented a case study from his organization.

### **3. Updates from the Last Meeting**

- **Dorchester County:** Upcoming Critical Infrastructure event.
- **Berkeley County:** Industry-driven ICS courses are being planned.
- **Charleston County:** Introduced new team members.
- **Council Meeting Overview:**
  - Key discussion focused on planning for a Fall exercise.

### **4. Goal Setting**

#### **Discussion on objectives for the year and LEPC priorities:**

- **Santee Cooper:**
  - Plans to send a few representatives to a potential exercise.
  - Upcoming notification drill.
  - Coordinating their own field exercises.
  - Conducts a tabletop exercise every three years.
- **Bushy Park:**
  - Annual tabletop exercise scheduled for May.
  - Conducts regular drills for individual entities within the park.
- **Hospitals:**
  - Aim to compile Emergency Management (EM) and site plans.
  - Seeking more structure in emergency response and planning.
  - Exploring ways to consolidate plans using EPlan.
- **Dorchester County:**
  - Proposed a common tabletop exercise that industries can tailor to their specific needs.
  - Goal: A joint walkthrough before customized adaptations.

## 5. Subcommittee Discussion

- Coordinators will follow up with those interested in joining the training committee.
- Continued discussions on organizing an end-of-year exercise.

## 6. Next Steps

- **Bylaw Amendments:** Will be addressed in the next meeting.
- **Training Meeting:** Scheduled for April (exact date TBD).
- **2025 Meeting Calendar:** No objections raised.
  - **Tuesday, May 13th** – Charleston County
  - **Tuesday, August 12th** – Dorchester County
  - **TBD:** Possible exercise in place of a meeting