



All Hazard All Discipline Notes

April 20, 2023 @ 11:30 am

Gallatin County Coordination Center

Notes

Present	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Patrick Lonergan, Jay Pape, Nate Card, Kyle Sturgill-Simon, Greg Tryon, John Alston, Jason Jarrett, Ian Parker, Scott McCormick, C Foley, Brian Nickolay, Whitney Bermes, Spencer Gilchrist, Rob Hart, Jake Simpson, Tim Martindale, Christopher Grimes, Chandler Spilo, Joe Swanson, Deborah McAtee, Ken Oekerman, Brittany Willis, Zach Brown
Minutes Approval	<ul style="list-style-type: none">February 16, 2023- Approved
Presentations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Rob Hart of the NWS provide an overview of the short/long range forecast. We have a above normal snowpack, Gallatin Co. is out of drought, drier weather next few months, May-June expect warming temperatures with typical rainfall impacting snowfall with rising rivers. The second half of summer is expected to be normal/hot temperatures.Scott McCormick of Bozeman PD present an overview of the recent active killer email threat received by Bozeman School Dist. School officials reported the email to Dispatch who notified the SRO- McCormick. Threat came from a foreign server. Language and names used were accurate enough to initiate a response. Exact location of threat was not specified, requiring a response to all schools posing significant logistical/tactical hurdles. Due to the number of locations to be cleared, the decision was made to cancel all schools the following day (Monday) and a mass notification was sent out. A door was found opened at Bozeman High where efforts were then directed and no threats were found, school resumed Tuesday. Lessons Learned- improve coordination w/school & agencies, coordinate Knox Box/Key access. Little negative feedback was received.
Discussion Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Jay Pape presented on the CMAT (Community Mitigation Assistance Team) concept. The USFS offers a team of subject experts to review county-wide mitigation efforts utilizing a SWOT analysis. The program is free of charge and the need will discussed further by the Fire Adapted Gallatin Working Group.

Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patrick Lonergan provided an update on the 2023 Homeland Security Grant updates. The GCSO will receive ~\$150k of the requested amount. Award will only cover defensive capabilities. The Rescue Task Force and Water System Protection projects don't appear to have been funded. • Emergency Medical Services Study- Buck Taylor is working with the contractor on revisions that better meet the purpose of the study. • Patrick Lonergan announced that GCEM receive the Federal CWDG Award for \$1.5m and is awaiting distribution of funds. Next round of grant is still TBD. • Jay Pape provided an update on the MCI plan revisions in progress. • The Emergency Management Plan was adopted by Gallatin Co and will be released in early May. • Patrick and Greg spoke about the flooding incident off Dry Creek Road and the challenge with getting an emergency shelter established in a reasonable timeframe. This will be followed up with the Red Cross.
Next meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 15, 2023

Upcoming Activities

Upcoming Training (https://www.readygallatin.com/training-opportunities)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DNRC Basic Wildland, 4/22-23/2023, Bozeman • L0212, Hazard Mitigation Grant Assistance, 5/2-5/2023, Billings • ICS-300, Intermediate ICS, 5/1-3/2023, Virtual • ICS-400, Advanced ICS, 5/4-5/2023 • S-212, Wildland Power Saws, 5/5-7/2023, Bozeman • S390, Intro to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations, 5/8-12/2023, Missoula • S-212, Wildland Power Saws, 5/16-19/2023, Livingston • S230-231, Engine & Crew Boss, 5/23-24/2023, Blended, Virtual/In-person • MGT472 MT Planning for Transitional & Long-term Housing After Disaster, 06/22/2023 • Self-paced plus Webinar, • TEEX/MGT439, Pediatric Response Emergency Preparedness, 07/13-14/2023, BHD Regional Medical Ctr • ICS-300, Intermediate ICS, 10/3-5/2023, Bozeman • ICS-400, Advanced ICS, 1/9-10/2024, Bozeman
Upcoming Exercises
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TBD