



North Corridor Minutes

February 10, 2021

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Call to Order

Michael Rankin called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm.

Minutes (C101)

Mr. Rankin requested review of the December minutes. Mark Burgess (Nacogdoches Medical Center) made a motion to approve the minutes, Johnnie Perry seconded the motion, and the corridor members carried the motion. The minutes were approved as written.

New Business

- **COVID-19 Response Update**

Gary Litton reported the COVID numbers in the region are starting to trend down. Hospital and EMS partners are working together to ensure patients transferred. He discussed the GA32 with the corridor members advising the region is at 13.74%. This information can be found on the SETRAC website under COVID Reports. It is important that the hospitals continue to stay as consistent as possible since it will take 15 days of consistency to open back up to elective surgeries. Adam Lee added that the percentage depends on reporting, so it is very important for everyone to complete their reports in their fullest.

- **Hazard Vulnerability Assessment (HVA)**

Mr. Litton advised the corridor members the HVA is due to SETRAC by February 10th. He gave instructions on how to complete and submit the report.

HPP Capabilities Review (C101)

The coalition has met and continues to meet the capabilities during the COVID response with ongoing med surge planning, training, and exercises, etc.

EMTF Update (C306)

Mikal Orr reported Chambers County will demobilize from the Del Rio SMA on Friday morning. Windsor EMS has one crew deployed on the Laredo SMA through the 14th. Reimbursements continue to be processed and the state is approving payments rather quickly.

Training and Exercise (C104)

John Wingate reported on the EMResource changes. Login information must include an official email and be related to the employing agency, not a personal account such as a yahoo, AOL, Gmail, etc. To sign up for EMResource, EMTrack, and WebEOC trainings you must register online at <https://www.setrac.org/register-for-training/>. In-Person trainings are now open for scheduling and can be held with social distancing guidelines at each facility. The Burn Surge Exercise was successfully conducted, and the AAR would be completed within a 60-day period. Once completed, it will be sent to the state and then sent to all participants.

Special Population Update (C101)

Hilal Salami reported Hilal Salami reported Hilal Salami reported SETRAC continues to engage with stakeholders and PPE distributions are ongoing. Long Term Care facilities have received their vaccines. The health departments are currently reaching out to the Home Health facilities regarding their vaccines. All previous After Action Reports have been released for use as full scale exercises.

Partner Updates (C101)

No partner updates were submitted. Anyone wanting their partner update included in the minutes should send their update via email to Roxie Ward at roxie.ward@setrac.org. This will ensure updates are documented accurately in the minutes.

Open Discussion/Other Business

No further discussion.

Adjournment

There being no further business or discussion, Mr. Rankin adjourned the meeting at 2:53 pm. The next North Corridor meeting is scheduled for Wednesday (February 10, 2021) via “Go to Meeting”.

ATTENDEES: Mike Rankin, Mark Burgess, Olen Bean, Billy Ted Smith, Johnny Luman, Sarah Adams, Johnnie Perry, Sharon Buffalo, Gary Litton, Adam Lee, Hilal Salami, Mikal Orr, John Wingate, Roxie Ward