

7/26/05 MCVOAD Minutes

Attendees: Jack Frank - DSV, Sharon Heck - DSV, Ed Burke - Pinecam, Beth Graham - Risen Lord Lutheran Church, Vicki Kowal - MRC

Discussion Items:

- Due to “death” of the bone, Beth will need hip replacement surgery. MCVOAD expressed concern and best wishes for Beth as she has surgery.
- Neighborhood Planning Registration list (Kings Valley) was never found. Twelve people showed up for the 6/22 meeting at Elk Creek per Beth.
- Betty and Ed did a general presentation at Platte Canyon Chamber. The number of attendees appears to be unknown. Ed reported that some Burland residents had some interest in CERT and might call MRC for more information.
- Vicki announced that Marvena, the new Director of Operations, starts at MRC on August 15. She will be invited to the next MCVOAD meeting.
- Sharon presented CERT module one to Boy Scouts: 68 kids, 7 adults. The Scouts asked several questions and appeared interested.
- Resource Surveys will be sent out February or March each year. The 2004 surveys need to be updated.
- Ed reported that some insurance companies are dropping properties due to fire danger. Vicki expressed that although fire mitigation is necessary, this will harm many Family Services consumers. Ed informed us that grant money is available for fire mitigation (Jeff Davis is contact person).

Future Plans:

- Discussed future CERT trainings. The most effective ways so far have been targeting mailings and presenting to captive audiences. Discussed the following captive audiences: churches, schools, and civic organizations. Other good choices are local media, and special events (Conifair, Bailey Days, Rhubarb Festival, Chili Festival, Holiday Parade, etc).
- DSV/PCRC will have a booth at Conifair, where Sharon will display the following items for MCVOAD: File of Life, Home Safety Emergency Plan, and Jeffco EOC “Are You Ready?”

To Do List:

- **Kevin** – Minutes from June 28 meeting and animal response module.
- **Vicki/Katie** – Find volunteer to update 2004 Resource Surveys.
- **Vicki/Katie** – Discuss the possibility of getting special event volunteers to monitor MRC booths at local events in the future, such as Conifair. This would need to be approved by Bob and Marvena, and MRC would need a strong, reliable special event volunteer base to do this. MRC, domestic violence (MDVC), and MCVOAD information would be part of the booths.
- **Vicki** – Talk to Heather or Sheila regarding CERT presentations at schools for spring 2006. Talk to Bob, Katie, and Marvena regarding CERT presentations to Chambers and civic organizations.
- **Sharon** – Will call a few local churches regarding CERT presentations.

Next MCVOAD:

- **Tuesday, August 23, 6:30 at MRC.**