

**SAN DIEGO UNIFIED DISASTER COUNCIL
MEETING MINUTES
August 19, 2021**

1. CALL TO ORDER

Nathan Fletcher called the meeting to order at 9:03 am and roll call was taken.

2. ROLL CALL

CARLSBAD
CHULA VISTA
CORONADO
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
DEL MAR/ENCINITAS/SOLANA BEACH
EL CAJON/LA MESA/LEMON GROVE
ESCONDIDO
IMPERIAL BEACH
NATIONAL CITY
OCEANSIDE
POWAY
SAN DIEGO
SAN MARCOS
SANTEE
VISTA

MEMBER

David Harrison
Harry Muns
none present
Nathan Fletcher
Mike Stein
Steve Swaney
none present
John French
Walter Amedee
Rick Robinson
none present
Colin Stowell
Daniel Barron
Justin Matsushita
Ned Vander Pol

3. CALL FOR PUBLIC INPUT

There were no requests to speak received from the public.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ACTION: The minutes of June 17, 2021, were unanimously approved.

5. Regional Tabletop Exercise – Julie Jeakle, OES

Regional Tabletop Exercise was hosted virtually for the first time ever, with 115 participants across 59 agencies (local, state, federal, military, tribal, & healthcare). Fuel and generators were identified as a major area to focus on. After action report upcoming and will have some valuable input.

6. Regional Vehicle Status – Dan Vasquez, OES

Dan Vasquez from County OES gave an update on regional vehicles. 6 MCA's and 3 MDU's. Consumables for the trailers are on a 2-year rotation for restocking, 1 year behind for Chula Vista and Heartland currently. Questions came up regarding housing these vehicles and moving them around, meetings planned to address future locations and other challenges.

7. Cal OES Report – Cruz Ponce, Cal OES

- Fires update: currently 12 shelters open across 6 counties affected by current wildfires in NorCal.
- COVID update: concern about a possible Labor Day weekend spike, along with schools being open affecting transmission rates.
- Drought update: 50 of 58 counties are in a drought emergency. <https://drought.ca.gov/> for more information.
- Border Hubs: active now in Imperial, San Diego, and Riverside counties to process migrants.

8. City of San Diego OES Update – Megan Beall, City of San Diego OES

- San Diego Office of Homeland Security is now the City of San Diego Office of Emergency Services.
- UASI update: ramping up FY22 allocation process, expect guidance and project template in the next couple weeks.
- New (interim) Executive Director, Chris Heiser.

9. EXECUTIVE REPORT – Jeff Toney, OES

- A. PSPS Report – Identifying gaps and mitigation strategies. Large working group and a public survey. 12 recommendations being presented to the Board of Supervisors at the 8/30/21 meeting.
- B. Border Update – Significant surge. County is assisting only with isolation/quarantine for COVID positive/exposed. Positivity rate has decreased from 11% to 4%. 4700 vaccines have been given in the migrant population. Title 42, we are still waiting for federal government decision.
- C. ShakeReadySD – USGS-approved app. Press conference scheduled for 8/25 for the rollout. It notifies users in the area of a 4.5 or higher magnitude quake with a shake intensity of 3 or higher.
- D. Staffing Update – Dustin Ivers, one of our Sr. ESC's, is taking a promotion and heading to Miramar. Recovery questions can be sent to Jeff and Nick Thomlison until the position is filled.
- E. Other – Great Shakeout is 10/21/21 at 10:15 am. Great time to share the news about the ShakeReadySD section of our ReadySanDiego app.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING – October 21, 2021, from 9:00-11:00 am
SD County OES - 5580 Overland Avenue, Suite 100, San Diego, CA 92123

MEETING ADJOURNED – 9:38 AM