

Public Safety Power Shutdown (PSPS) After-Event Notes & Thoughts...

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COMMUNICATIONS

Comcast email failure.

- Develop alternative communications channels <Mateo>
- Advise outside agencies and organizations right away of failure and get their acknowledgement; ensure alternate communication works. <All EOC leaders>
- Formalize MSN back up at Town Hall. Confirm bandwidth and other limitations. Information push out. Get a back-up generator (propane powered?) for back-up communications and public space needs (heat and lights). <Mateo/John>

Public Safety – Bald Mountain repeater failure, see Governor’s grant program. <John/PD>

Develop cheat sheet to coordinate and centralize event FAQs, (see Brenda’s suggestions). Push this out on the web and Face Book. Consider a twitter feed. <Sandy/Tom>

COORDINATION

FBUSD <???

MCRPD – CV Starr (Dan Keyes/???)>

PG&E EOC

- Confirm PG&E’s Mendocino County “Single Point of Contact – SPOC” is the County OES liaison. <Tom>
- Get a copy PG&E after action summary. <Tom>

County OES

- Strengthen relationship with County OES liaison. <All EOC Leaders>
- Get a copy of County OES after action summary <Tom>
- Prepare and provide an essential services list for them, (e.g. gas stations, grocery stores, hotels/motels, restaurants, etc.) Discuss this in-house to determine best way to implement. <Tom/Sandy>

INFRASTRUCTURE

Finish emergency supply agreements. <John/Sandy>

Tweak equipment shut off protocols for equipment without backup power. <John/Leads>

Small back-up generator for Town Hall, confirm size and what to provide power for, (e.g. MSN, lights, fans, etc.) The heat is provided by propane. <John/Sandy>

COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTERS (CRC)

Work with PG&E to stage everything ahead of time. Possibly including a generator.
<John/Tom/PG&E>

Work with PG&E to store left over materials at their Corp Yard on Walnut Street. <John/PG&E>

MCRPD (CV Starr) staff to locally assist. <Dan Keyes/PG&E/Tom>

Continue informal CRCs at City Hall and PD? Provide coffee and snacks next time?

SHELTER

Determine long term location, CV Starr vs. East City Hall <Tabatha/Tom>

If East City Hall, release RFP for building rehabilitation. Likely scope will be safety issues and essential functionality.

If CV Starr, investigate collaboration with FBUSD at Redwood School.

- CV Starr: day shelter, charging station, showers, snacks, take-home supplies
- Redwood School: overnight shelter, hot meals.

Consider Town Hall.

Consider Senior Center and Middle School

GOVERNOR'S PSPS/EMERGENCY PREP REILIANCY GRANTS

New generators. <John/Sandy>

- 1) Bald Mountain radio repeater station
- 2) CV Starr (and possibly Redwood School)

Current \$10 million program, only Cities can apply. Same grant program has a \$26 million set aside for only Counties.