EMERGENCY READINESS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES July 19, 2021

The Emergency Readiness Committee met in the County Board Conference Room. The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Chairman Robert Allen.

Members Present:

Robert Allen, Chairman C. Rick Vernier, Asst. Chairman Susan Gruberman Jana A. Moll Robert Trentman

Members Absent:

Willie Dancy, Excused Ken Easterley, Excused

Others Present:

Mark Kern, Chairman, St. Clair County Board Lonnie Mosley, County Board Ken Sharkey, County Board Herb Simmons, EMA Director

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

There were no Public Comments or Questions asked at this Meeting.

A motion was made by Ms. Gruberman and seconded by Ms. Moll to approve the Minutes from the June 21, 2021 meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

Director Simmons gave the EMA report, noting that the report for June/July 2021 was routine with no issues. He reported that the County's Weekly Facebook COVID Briefing will continue on Wednesdays. He stated that the IEMA complimented the County on its Mass Vaccination Site. He also advised that the County has received reimbursement funds totaling \$1,089,157.28.

A motion to approve the EMA report was made by Mr. Vernier and seconded by Ms. Moll. Motion passed unanimously. ATTACHED IS A COPY OF THE EMA REPORT.

Upon no further business, motion was made by Mr. Vernier and seconded by Ms. Gruberman to adjourn the meeting at 6:09 p.m. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Allen, Chairman Emergency Readiness Committee

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Director

Emergency Readiness and Public Safety Report June / July 2021

- 1. All monthly radio and warning sirens were tested
- 2. Continued weekly updates regarding the COVID-19
- 3. Staff attended the joint NENA / APCO meeting
- 4. Attended weekly conference call with IEMA regarding response to COVID -19
- 5. Attended the monthly conference STARR COM call.
- 6. Attended the IEMA regional 8 meeting.
- 7. Attended the SIEC monthly meeting
- 8. Received information on reimbursement of COVID expenses of \$1,089,157.28.

Respectfully Submitted

Herbert Simmons