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SABINE-NECHES CHIEFS ASSOCIATION

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JULY MINUTES

Quorum is (10) Voting Members at Regular Meeting

NEXT MEETING

The August 4th, 2010, 732nd SNCA meeting at 10:00 A.M. will be held at Robert's Steakhouse and sponsored by Oil Mop.

The 731st Sabine Neches Chiefs Association meeting was called to order at 10:03 a.m. on Wednesday July 7th, 2010 at the Wright Building in Port Neches and hosted by Garner Environmental.

Jeff Bolton gave the invocation.

John Owens led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Stacy Tryer, with Garner Environmental, welcomed the membership and self-introductions were made.

The following SNCA Officers were excused; Vernon Pierce, Tommy Wells, Doug Jones, Tod McDowell, and Butch Holmes.

READING OF THE MINUTES

President Stephen Curran, asked for "Approval" of the previous month's minutes as e-mailed. A motion was made by Dale Jackson and seconded by Anne Huff to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDANCE:

For 2011, the dues statement will be e-mailed. Each member will need to send in:

- * Name of company/entity
- * Name of person to send invoice
- * Correct e-mail address
- * Voting member name and alternate.

Send this to tgbasham@chevron or Mr. John Avery at javery@portarthur.com.

TREASURERS REPORT:

The Treasurer’s information is compiled by Terry Basham, Sec. /Treasurer with the assistance of John Avery, PAFD. The report was presented by Mr. Dale Jackson due to Terry’s absence.

Treasurer Gives Report

Financials as of 07/01/2010.

Checking:	29,922.08
CD:	4,967.86

Total:	30,889.94

The President called for a motion to approve the Treasurers Report; Mike Free made the motion to approve the Financials and Shawn Gearing seconded the motion. The motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

USCG/TGLO gave brief update on the BP spill in the Gulf and potential impact to the Texas Coast.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Nominating Committee - No report

Membership Committee – No report

Constitution and By-Laws – No report

Audit Committee – No report

Training and education:

Update was given on William’s Foam/Fire School. It was a success and had Worldwide participation.

Industrial Fire World will be held in Mobile Alabama April 11-14, 2011 – More to come.

Best Complex/Beaumont Fire School will be held October 23-29 2010. Catalogue is ready and available electronically on the Best Complex web site.

What: Enhanced Threat and Risk Assessment Training Class (MGT 315) - FREE (see prerequisite below)

Where: Beaumont EOC , 700 Orleans, 2nd floor

When: Aug 18 - Aug 19 (All Day)

Description:

This is a Planning/Management level course that is designed for jurisdictions that have already taken the 3-day threat and Risk Assessment (MGT 310) . Class good for following disciplines/functional areas:

Law Enforcement, Hazardous Materials, Fire Services, Public Health, Private/Public Sector Security, Emergency Management, Emergency Medical Services, Governmental Administrative, Public Safety Communications

It is recommended that the target audience for the ET&RA (MGT 315) course are those personnel who have already attended the OG&T 310 course and, at a minimum, encourage all scheduled attendees to take the following online course:

"WMD/Terrorism Awareness for Emergency Responders" Course # AWR 160

To register: A) Go to: <http://www.teexmdcampus.com>

B) Click on: **On-line courses**

C) Click on: **Domestic Preparedness Campus**, enter and register

Please check the SNCA web site for training opportunities.

Also please check <https://www.preparingtexas.org/index.aspx>

Awards Committee – No report

Communications – Pat Grimes discussed the setinfo.org website and its availability for press releases. He requested members to “Check it out”!

Inventory – Requests for updates will be sent out in the near future. A new section is being added on spill response.

Bosses Night – No report

Programs – Programs are scheduled thru the fall.

Drills/Exercises – No report

Homeland Security – No report

Oil Spill – Working on list to be included in inventory list.

Overhead Teams – No report

Providing Mutual Aid for Over 60 Years

Strategic Planning – No report

Golf Tournament:

The Golf Tournament was a success and special thanks to Stephanie for all the hard work she puts in.

Public Relations – No report

RECENT EMERGENCIES/ ISSUES

Recent emergencies were discussed in the following categories: Industry, Municipal Fire, Law Enforcement, EMS, Homeland Security and Health.

PROGRAM

The Deepwater Horizon was discussed by Captain Plunkett and J.T. Ewing.

PLEASE NOTE THE UP-COMING HOSTS:

Please review the upcoming hosts. Each member is required to host a monthly meeting. Below is the schedule for 2010-2011.

Host Member	Month	Year
Oil Mop	August	2010
Hagemeyer North America	September	2010
E. I. DuPont (Orange)	October	2010
Sun Marine Terminal (Sunoco)	November	2010
Acadian Ambulance	December	2010
SNCA Strategic Planning Meeting	January	2011
Chevron/Phillips Chemical Co. - Orange	February	2011
Pinehurst Fire Department	March	2011
Chevron-UGT Pipeline	April	2011
Colonial Pipeline Company	May	2011
ExxonMobil Chemical P/E	June	2011
Valero	July	2011
Firestone Polymers	August	2011
Cheniere	September	2011
CHRISTUS Hospital - St. Elizabeth	October	2011
Chemtrade Logistics (Peak Sulfur)	November	2011
Bridge City	December	2011

ADJOURN

A motion was made by Mike Free and seconded by Jeff Bolton to adjourn the 731st meeting at 11:35 am. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Terry Basham
Secretary/Treasurer