

Blaine County-IDAVOAD Flooding Conference Call
 June 6, 2017
 Meeting Minutes

Rusty Devereaux - ARC
Dave McCune – LDS Charities
Dan Gasiorowski – IDVOAD
Jennifer- Idaho Food Bank
Heidi Smith-211- Navigation
Cindy Poe - FEMA Region 10
Chris Corwin-Blaine County E.M.
Dave McCune-LDS Charities-IDAVOAD Treasurer
Joe Lombardo – Ada County EM
Marta Tanikuni-Bureau of EMS

Becky Platt-OR-ID United Methodists
Mike Prill – Team Rubicon
Mike Bullard-Presbyterians
Jerry Royster - HUD
Sarah Thorpe-Behavioral Health
Mary Marsh – ID Office of Emergency Management (IOEM)
Aaron Blake-IOEM

(Roll Call Request – If your name is missing (First, Last, or all) or spelled wrong please let me know so the minutes and future lists can be updated. If your organization is incorrect, missing, or spelled wrong please let me know so this can also be updated for this and future records.)

Welcome and Roll Call:

Mary listed those that checked in before the meeting began, and then stated the purpose of the call.

Status Reports:

Chris Corwin-Blaine County E.M. stated the first peak was on May 8 in Blaine County. Some crawl spaces and homes as well as roadways have been flooded including a private road that serves 5 homes. There are approximately 22 homes in Hailey, 10-20 in Warm Springs and Gimlet. Some of them are under mandatory evacuation orders. The Red Cross has two shelters on stand-by in the area. It was asked if those that affected have flood insurance, which is unknown at this time.

There was discussion regarding a mobile home park status. Chris stated the sewer system was repaired so they did not need to evacuate.

Immediate needs are to assist in paying for gas to run generators. They want to create a fund to accept donations to help pay for unmet needs such as gas for generators, and the private road. It was recommended by the IDAVOAD that they use a local 501c3 such as the Fire Department who has a burn out fund. They could then distribute gift cards, which would be the best way to handle it.

Becky Platt-United Methodists asked if they had any idea of damages yet. Chris stated they have requested preliminary damage assessment information be turned in and have received 2. The Red Cross is prepared to assist with damage assessments if needed.

It was recommended when there is a better idea of the damage and unmet needs it would be determined if there is a need for a Long Term Recovery or Unmet Needs Committee to be formed.

Mary will send Chris a copy of sample By-Laws for a LTRO.

Mary will forward photos from Rusty of the Red Cross to those that send her an email requesting them.

Dan G. will forward Financial Recovery information for Chris.

Chris stated he would share the information from this call with his jurisdiction.

Call concluded.