Minutes
DEMHS Region 3
RESF 8
Public Health Sub-Committee Meeting
March 1, 2019
S. Windsor Health Dept.

Attendees: Jeff Catlett, Michael Pepe, Charles Brown, Heather Oatis, Marge Seiferheld, Carmine Centrella, Nicole Hawley, Mary Rose Duberek, Kevin Elak, Sal Nesci, Patrice Sulik, Sara Darlagiannis, Allyson Schulz, Johnathan Butler, Derek May, Tung Nguyen, & Melissa Marquis

- Welcome – Melissa Marquis
- Approval of Minutes
  - Jennifer Kertanis made motion, seconded by Charles Brown
- State Updates - None
  - DEMHS
  - DPH
- Regional Status Updates
  - CREPC / Healthcare Coalition
    - SWOT updates sent from previous meeting to the group
    - All participants of group will receive invite to VEOCI – “ESF8 Steady State Room”
      - VEOCI will be used for HAN in place of Everbridge by 12/30/19
    - Trainings and data migration will be scheduled
      - Q3 deliverables to be sent to Carmine by 4/15/19
      - Tetra Tech – 41 local EOPSs, looking at at-risk populations
      - ICS for Healthcare to be hosted at CROCG- watch for announcements
  - Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) Contract
    - No new information for notice of funding
  - MDA Restructuring
    - Consider drafting potential workplan and roles/responsibilities associated with having single MDA.
- CROCG subcontracting to local health to do work; money will continue to go to local health departments
- If CROCG needs additional funds, they will be requested from DPH
- DPH is not expected to make changes
- Current contract ends 6/30/19; guidance from DPH is to start planning; no anticipated budget reconstruction
- Anticipate required HVA as dictated by process of participation

*Local Drills/Exercises*
- Joint FVHD/WH HD11/5/19 mass vaccination drill
- Millstone Host Community Drill with Eastern Highlands 5/23/19
- FEMA Evaluation exercise 6/13/19
- McLean Nursing Home looking for pan flu tabletop and functional exercises; potential opportunity for regional plan and coordination
- MRC/CERT 4/3/19 – Until Help Arrives, 8a-12:30p at Goodwin
- MDA 36 POD full scale 6/11/19

*Other Business*

*Next meeting – April 5, 2019 - host- Windsor Health Department*