

**Suburban Cook County Local Emergency Planning Committee**  
**February 14, 2024**  
**Summit Public Library District**

**AGENDA**

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Introductions & Affiliations
- III. Welcome & Opening Comments – John Lillquist, Chairperson
  - Membership Data-Base – Update your email if needed.
  - OMA – Certificates awarded upon completion of program.
  - FOIA training – Certificates awarded upon completion of program.
  - <https://foiapac.ilag.gov/>
- IV. Minutes from November 15, 2023, Meeting
- V. Update: Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) Grant. Commodity Flow Study previously conducted throughout Cook County.
- VI. Sub-Committee Progress Reports
  - Emergency Response Plan - John Korouzos
  - Chemical Facilities Liaison - Kristine Wienberg
  - Right-To-Know - David Silke
  - Public Education & Information – Bob Welter
  - Emergency Response & Resources – Dave Cozzi
- VII. Training Seminars
  - Check Website: <https://www2.illinois.gov/iema/training/pages/default.aspx>
  - The IEMA Website:  
<https://www2.illinois.gov/iema/Pages/default.aspx>
  - IEMA Website – Ready Illinois:  
<https://www2.illinois.gov/ready/Pages/default.aspx#tabitem2>
- VIII. Exercise/Drills
  - Training and exercises are critical for effective emergency response. This section contains links to many training and exercise resources available for local emergency responders. See the menu on the right for links to specific training and exercise information.  
<https://www2.illinois.gov/iema/training/pages/default.aspx>

- If you want to learn more about the Training Program or are interested in attending a specific course, please contact your [IEMA Regional Coordinator](#). Registration should be made in advance to attend any IEMA sponsored class. Walk-in registrations are only accepted if room space and course materials are available. To register for IEMA classes, please see the [IEMA Online Registration and Tracking Program Page](#).

Presentation – Griffin Byers: Cook County – Will present for the Chicago-area an EHS TTX tabletop event(s) to be held in 2024. The exercise is designed to Increase awareness of response actions needed to respond to a transportation – related release of an EHS.

Mr. Byers will confirm the on-line and in-person tabletop course for the training exercise event(s).

IX. Meeting Schedule

- a. Full Group Meetings are held on Wednesdays, 11 AM at Summit Public Library at this time.

**\* Next meeting is May 15, 2024**

- b. Sub-committee Meetings will occur as necessary.

X. Comments by LEPC members

XI. Public Comments – any non-members present

XII. **A special THANKS to Summit Public Library for use of the facility.**

XIV. Adjournment