

TOWN OF HAY RIVER
EMERGENCY MEASURES COMMITTEE MEETING
April 16th, 2021 @ 10:00am

The Emergency Measures Committee meeting was held Monday, May 3rd, 2021 at 10:00 by Zoom

Attendance listing attached

1. Call to Order

- a. Meeting was called to order by SAO Glenn Smith at 10:02am

2. General Introductions

- Roll call of all members in attendance

3. Current Breakup Conditions – Ross Potter

- This week we may see some action
- Water is getting out through West Channel
- Falls was sitting at 303 cubic meters – water us high back to the border
- Meander River broke a couple of days ago
- Updating the Website, social media and by emails
- Lots of ice melt this week with the warm temps expected

4. Mitigation and Preparedness Activities Update

- a. Monitoring equipment is all installed and working well
- b. Should have resources in place this week with JTFN and the Rangers for Bridge check stop
- c.
 - Some concern about the outflows,
 - the ground is still frozen to set up the delineators. Will follow up with infrastructure
 - Drainage is going well
- d.
 - Mitigation work is ongoing near the Ox Bow trail
 - Aqua dams to help prevent flooding in West Channel are going in
 - Water pumps will be used to pump out water on the properties in West Point
 - Public Works is steaming culverts and making sure the drainage is flowing on Vale Island
- e.
 - Evacuation procedures were completed last week
 - Self-isolation residents will have a separate check point at the registration centre but asked to phone in.

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- Evacuation centre and registration centre has put together a plan and procedures including food, cots/blankets, supplies and staff
- Training of registration staff was last week with help from the Hay River Health and Social Services Authority
- RV park will be operational again this year and is now open to register
- Updates will be online through our website, social media and email. more than once a day id required

5. Round Table Questions and Answers

- Dan Schofield – Sent suggested changes to the website to Glenn
- Glenn Smith – Haven't seen them yet
- Carolyn Ridgley – Has there been any communications regarding people with symptoms or isolating not using the RV park?
- Glenn Smith – The Covid Securitate to contact people in isolation, We will follow up further and corporate into the procedures
- Dan Schofield – All communications say not to go to the Community Centre for registrations but to register by phoning in
- Stephane Millette – Staff at the Community Centre have questions to ask anyone that is registering for the RV park.

6. Adjournment – 10:35am

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April Martel	KFN	
Brian Willows;	HRHSSA	X
Eaton, Victor; 874-5564	Coastguard	X
Elizabeth Harder; 874-2353	Airport	X
Erin Griffiths;	HRHSSA	
Ford Belanger ; 876-1007	NUL	X
Glenn Smith;	THR	X
Wendy Ross	WPFN	X
Jolitta Laroque;	Housing	X
Kandis Jameson;	THR	X
Kurtis PILLIPOW;	RCMP	X
Mark Harris;	DEA	X
Bobbie Bourque	MACA	X
Mary Blake Moore	MACA	X
Norm McCowan (Norman_McCowan@gov.nt.ca);	Lands	X
Rob Wilkins (rjwilkins@hayriverford.ca);	Rangers/Coastguard	X
Mike Auge	THR	X
Robert Bouchard (cllrbouchard@hayriver.com);	THR	X
Ross Stanley	NUL	
Shawne Kokelj;	ENR	
Stacey Barnes;	THR	X
Stephane Millette;	THR	X
Trevor Beck;	Metis	
KFN Council (Aaron, Les & Joyce)		X
Victoria St. Jean;	KFN	
Peter Redvers;	KFN	
Ross Potter;	THR	X
Albert Bourque;	ENR	X
Alvin Pitre (alvin_pitre@gov.nt.ca);	HRHSSA	
Kevin Devoe	RCMP	
Allen Schaefer	Infrastructure	
Sandra Lester	HR Seniors	
Noel Voykin	NTPC	
Zulfqar Khan	Social Services	
Carolyn Ridgley	NTHSS	X
Dan Schofield	Covid Secretariat	X