



**Naugatuck Emergency Management Advisory Council
N.E.M.A.C.**

Minutes of the 5/21/12 Special Meeting

Attendance:

Members:

Deputy Chief Ken Hanks NFD, Chairman
John Deer, LEPC
Karen Spargo, NHVD
Terry Stieber, NVNA
Jay Pugliese, NPD
Al Raymond, Secretary

Attendees::

Josh Bernegger, NPD
Marilyn Dempsey, Tech Air

The meeting started at 2:07 PM with the Chairman leading the Pledge of Allegiance.

Jay Pugliese made a motion to accept the previous meeting's minutes. Terry Stieber seconded it. The motion passed unanimously.

Jay Pugliese made a motion to postpone the election of officers to the next meeting. John Deer seconded it. The motion passed unanimously.

Chairman Ken Hanks introduced the topic of the meeting, the state wide emergency management exercise that will be held 7/28/12 to 7/31/12. Per Chairman Ken Hanks, our town's participation will be during the 7/30/12 – 7/31/12 session. The requirements and goals of the exercise were presented to the Council. Town participation is required to allow DEHMS and FEMA to release FEMA regional emergency management monies.. A wide ranging discussion ensued that included the mechanics of the exercise and the emphasis on local government responsibility in the provision emergency services that has come down from DEHMS.

Further discussion dealt with previous experience with exercises and particular issues in providing emergency services in an emergency.

Chairman Ken Hanks set the next meeting for 7/16/12. This meeting will include election and swearing of officers and preparations for the upcoming exercise.

Jay Pugliese made a motion to adjourn. Terry Stieber seconded it. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 2:46 PM.

Respectfully submitted

Albert E. Raymond
Secretary