CERT

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

BRECKSVILLE - BROADVIEW HEIGHTS

JANUARY 2017 MEETINGS

I. General Meeting

Date: 1/19/2017 Time: 7pm-8:30pm

Location: Brecksville Human Services Meeting Room

A. Announcements

1. February 15th Meeting—this meeting topic will be a discussion about the use of Narcan to avoid opiod overdoes and will be given by the director of Project DAWN from MetroHealth.

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B. Command Post and Backpack Inventory—Melissa Mathys

We performed an inventory of our backpacks and replenished batteries, N95 masks and gloves. We continued the meeting with a presentation by Melissa of how how to establish a command center. The ICS organizational chart along with the CERT structure chart was reviewed. The various duties of each position were discussed along with the proper documentation that needs to be completed. We then did a mock exercise on how to establish a CERT command center. We were reminded that when the CERT trailer is used to respond to an event the following items need to be retrieved from the Fire Station when the trailer leaves: key for trailer, radios, magnetic signs and AED. A suggestion was made to include an empty gas can in the trailer for the generators.

Respectfully Submitted, Sue Schindler Cc: E.Egut, J. Hajek, C. Jatsek, J. Winar, S. Morabito