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Report to Board of County Commissioners

Date: June 2, 2020

Action Items:

1. Request the Boards approval and signing of the following grants:
 - a. Emergency Management Performance Grant in the amount of \$53,720.00
 - b. Emergency Management Performance Grant, COVID-19 Supplemental in the amount of \$7,975.79
 - c. Emergency Management Preparedness and Assistance Grant in the amount of \$105,806.00
2. Request the Boards approval and signing of the Non-Congregate Sheltering Checklist.
3. Request the Boards approval and signing of the Non-Congregate Shelter Request Letter to be sent to FEMA for approval.

Information Item:

1. Franklin County EOC has been working with FDEM (Florida Division of Emergency Management), FEMA, and DOH (Department of Health) to update our existing Shelter Plans. These updates will address the COVID-19 issues and the unique sheltering requirements needed to protect individuals. The Non-Congregate Sheltering Checklist and Non-Congregate Shelter Request Letter are items needed for these updates.
2. **HURRICANE SEASON BEGAN YESTERDAY JUNE 1, 2020.**
3. EOC Staff continues to monitor the stages of the HLMP (Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program) Grant. The HLMP grant has allowed us to mitigate numerous homes throughout Franklin County over the past 5 years. We are in the Construction stage now.
4. EOC Staff has sent in the reporting documentation for the CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) Grant.
5. EOC Staff are working diligently with DOH Staff regarding the COVID-19 virus. This includes hosting meetings with representatives from DOH, Sheriff's Department & Weems, EMS, Conference Calls, pushing out messaging from DOH on Facebook and our EOC Website.
6. EOC has been making cloth mask. We have given approximately 200 masks to the Security Officer at the Court House to give out to the public as needed to assist with COVID 19 protection.
7. EOC Staff continue to participate in conference calls (Approximately 10 calls weekly) with the State DEM, Region 2, DOH, FEMA, etc. regarding COVID 19. We also continue to update WebEOC with missions for PPE, Local State of Emergency, and SitReps.

8. EOC advertised for the SPN Coordinator/Office Admin position. We had 7 applicants and have interviewed all who applied. EOC has made a choice on the applicant best qualified for the position and will report back to the Board upon acceptance of the position.
9. FCEM Staff continues to work on FEMA reimbursement claims from Hurricane Michael. (Please see the Attached Report regarding Hurricane Michael Projects). This includes working with FEMA staff regarding mitigation of damaged parks, roads, etc. Mitigation takes some time but EOC Staff continue to work diligently with FEMA Staff on the most beneficial repairs for Franklin County. Attached is an update of FEMA projects. EOC Staff has begun the FEMA reimbursement claim process for COVID 19.
10. 05/25/20 monthly IPAWS (Integrated Public Alert and Warning System) Testing successful.
11. Franklin County EOC has partnered with WeatherSTEM and there are now 6 WeatherSTEM sites in Franklin County. These locations are St. George Island Bridge, Ochlockonee Boat Ramp, Island View Park, Franklin County EOC, FSU Coastal Marine Lab and Franklin County School. We would like to thank the WeatherSTEM Team for making this possible. To view the live feed from any of these locations go to <http://franklin.weatherstem.com/> . Below is a sample of the real time information you can view from any of the sites.

The screenshot displays the WeatherSTEM interface for FSWN Franklin County EOC. The main weather display shows a temperature of 81°F with a sun icon and a forecast of 'Fall (50% cloud cover)'. Below this, 'Key Details' are provided, including wind speed (ESE @ 9 mph with gusts to 15 mph), humidity (83.5%), and rainfall (0.01 in). A sidebar on the right, titled 'All Sensors', lists various sensors and their current readings.

Sensor	Reading
10 Minute Wind Gust	15 mph
Anemometer	9 mph
Barometer	29.994 in. Hg (1015.71 mb)
Barometer Tendency	Rising
Dewpoint	75 °F
Heat Index	86.7 °F
Hygrometer	83.5 %
Rain Gauge	0.01 in.
Rain Rate	0.00 in/hr
Solar Radiation Sensor	568 W/m ²
Thermometer	80.5 °F / 26.9°C
UV Radiation Sensor	6 Moderate Risk
Wet Bulb Globe Temperature	80.1 °F
Wind Chill	78.7 °F
Wind Vane	ESE 121 °

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