

EMA CONFERENCE CALL MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, Sept 28, 2011 AT 2:00PM

60 Counties participated in the EMA conference call:

Adams	Fulton	Marshall	Starke
Allen	Gibson	Miami	Steuben
Bartholomew	Grant	Newton	Sullivan
Boone	Greene	Noble	Switzerland
City of Gary	Hamilton	Orange	Tippecanoe
Clark	Hancock	Owen	Vanderburgh
Clay	Harrison	Parke	Vermillion
Crawford	Hendricks	Perry	Vigo
Daviess	Henry	Pike	Wabash
Dearborn	Howard	Porter	Warren
Decatur	Jackson	Pulaski	Washington
Dubois	Jasper	Putnam	White
Elkhart	Jennings	Ripley	
Fayette	Lake	Rush	
Fountain	LaPorte	Spencer	
Franklin	Lawrence	St. Joseph	

Mary Lyons welcomed everyone to the conference call. During the call, questions should be e-mailed to Mary Lyons mlyons@dhs.in.gov and they would be addressed later in the call or sent to the appropriate person to answer it.

Planning and Grants Management Division:

Grants Management Branch - Mary Fields

- 2010 ACAMS/CI agreements need to be signed and turned in by the end of the month. If you have any questions please contact Mary Fields mfields@dhs.in.gov

Plans Development Branch – Tim Hayes

A new NIMS training plan has been released by the NIC affective Sept 14, 2011. More information will be coming. If you have any questions please call Dave Barrabee or Tim Hayes.

Field Services Division - Gerri Husband

- All funds that haven't been used from last year's Competitive Grant Award should have already been ganed back.

John Grant

- District Response Equipment Grant Fund is tested through the end of October. We should get your awards out by November 2011.

Public Information Office

PIO – John Erickson

- The new Emergency Preparedness Guide will be sent out to you soon. These are for lower income families.
- On November 9 there will be a National Emergency Alert System Test. There will be a press release well ahead of time for you to get the word out.

- PIO workshops starting Oct 28. Details have been sent out to you. Please contact John Erickson with any questions.

Training and Exercise Division-Jenna Rossio

- Training Courses are available on our website.

The next EMA Conference call will be held on Wednesday, October 26, 2011 at 2:00P.M. Please remember to call in at 1:55 from a land line if at all possible to avoid extra noise.
