NJTI COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Date: Wednesday August 14, 2024

Time: 13:00PM EST

Meeting called to order by: Brad Gass @ 1305

IN ATTENDANCE

Katrina Shamshak. Brad Gass, Amanda Mountford, Cassie Lowery, Chris McMeen, Cystal Lawrence, Jason Smith, Jonathan Lemmond, Rebecca Conners, Sebrina Jackson, Natalia Duran, Sarah Eagle

CURRENT EVENTS

Brad Gass talked about the wildfires, educating them about the process

STANDARD

- Brad looking for status of new standard from Rebecca
- Rebecca hoping to have the standard completed by end of the year after the other committees review

NORTH CAROLINA

Jonathan Lemmond states 20 graduated from the NC Emergency Management TERT class

TEXAS

- Jason states, after hurricane many PSAPs were down. They were on an ESI net or core services set up but they were still connected to telco system
- This caused issues of where services needed to be deployed
- Investigation launched within the state for 911 system reporting

NENA

- Cassie introduced herself as NENA NJTI board rep. If there is anything that needs to go back to NENA just let her know
- Jason asked about NJTI and CISM
 - Cassie: In the standard there is a mention of CISM and debriefings. It would be a good idea to have a database of those trained in CISM. Those that are deployable. If TERT is needed CISM is probably needed as well
 - Amanda from NH says NH has a solid program but unknown if they are able to go out of state
 - o Natalia from Florida said their peer support is set up similar to TERT
 - o Sebrina from Tennessee says their coworker did their RPL on this topic

SOCIAL MEDIA

- Brad said they are unsure who has access to Linkedin and X (Twitter account)
- Brad wants Chris and Laramie to go through website and make notes to send to Crystal, April, Brad so the changes can be made
- Need to add Chris and Laramie to facebook page

BROCHURE

- Amanda and Sarah H were going to work on brochure and to be conference committee
- They will decide on "swag"
- APCO marketing team has offered to be a resource, to make it "pretty"
 - o Sooner the better so APCO can have time before conference time again

REGIONS

Previous volunteers:

- Amanda Region 1 or 2
- Rebecca Region 3
- Sarah F Region 9 and 10
- Sarah E Region 7and 8

Jason looking for volunteers for;

- o Region 4
 - Sebrina of TN has volunteered
 - Natalia of FL has also volunteered
- o Region 5
 - Rebecca will take if no volunteers
- o Region 6
 - Jason of TX
- Natalia advocating for 2 coordinators in each region
 - o Katrina volunteers to help Region 1 and 2 if needed
- Brad will send something to the other members to see if they can fill in their area
- Natalia asking if there is SOPs for what the reps do
 - o Brad states it just involves updates or if region need anything
 - Natalia states once assignments are finalized we should all get on the same page. Jason talked about making a "one pager" with talking points

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