



**MABAS Special Ops Work Group  
AGENDA**

**June 28, 2023 11:00 AM**

**MOB Center  
7377 Grange Hall Road, Holly**

*Zoom Meeting  
Meeting info in email*

1. Call to Order at 11:03
2. Approval of Meeting Agenda – No Changes
3. Review of April 12, 2023 Meeting Notes – No Changes
4. Financial Report
  - a. Account balances as of 6/26/2023
    - i. Fund Balance \$305,914
    - ii. FY23 USAR Balance \$117,701
    - iii. FY23 Supplemental Balance \$181,931
5. Special Operations Director – McIntyre:
  - a. Work Plan Update: Deployment Workbook Updates, Google Shared Drive Reorganization, Legislative Day 8/4 or 8/18, new LARA POC, Conversation with MPFFU President Sahr, Q3 Report due by 7/15 and requesting final disbursement for both appropriations.
6. Training & Exercise Chief – Whitehead:
  - a. Work Plan Update: Completed ORE with 120 personnel at Camp Grayling and completing AAR, introduced load planning and drones during ORE, Tech Search, Annual Water Symposium, CSS, Ops Chief (4), Forklift and CDL training. Upcoming trainings are StS in KS, GPS Ops in house.
7. Special Operations Chief – Martin
  - a. Work Plan Update: Validations in Midland for CS and Rope Rescue, Grand Traverse and Otsego hazmat in May. Upcoming is Dearborn and Grand Travers and Otsego Rope. Will modify validations for benchmarking time. Water Rescue and USAR MRP with Multi-State group to establish. Move towards Water Type III typing with RBO as a gap.
8. Training Coordinator – Evans
  - a. Work Plan Update: Deployment Coordinator, RRC training on 8/2 (still need Region 3, 5 and 6), MRP and Strike Team Leader on 8/28-8/30 at the MOB trainings
9. Old Business
  - a. Mobile Command (Air Ride Solution in progress) and Water Rescue Updates
  - b. MRP Handbook – Working with UAS group to follow NIMS Typing and Tier II
  - c. Incident Support Trailers and Tents – Installing lighting, shelving and load plan. Should be done by end of July with many improvements.
  - d. LA Reimbursement – Hurricane Ida: Receiving \$239,733.77
10. New Business
  - a. Supplemental Grant Projects
    - i. Validated Spec Ops Training Reimbursements: Accept reimbursement requests from Validated Teams per proposed policy from Supplemental/Training Appropriation – Motion by Tuller, second by Chevrette. Motion passed.
    - ii. Purchase 15 - Kenwood Dual Band Radios: Not to exceed \$65,000 from the Supplemental/Statewide Network Appropriation and distribute 800 Mhz radios on ILS and validated teams. Motion by Chevrette, second by Tuller. Motion passed.
    - iii. Purchase two drones, Teal Eagle II Western drone and a Blue drone needed for emergencies that are used in emergencies that receives federal funds. Not to exceed

\$40,000 from the USAR/Deployment Appropriation. GIM-30 is medium platform with far greater capabilities than Blue Drones. MI-TF1 has 10 licensed drone operators. Motion by Tuller Second by Chevrette. Motion passed.

iv. Reconfigure two Box Trucks to give flexibility of unloading the box trucks from the side and front. Not to exceed \$45,000 from the Supplemental/Equipment Appropriation. Motion by Chevrette, Second by Parker.

11. Next Meeting/Adjourn. Motion to adjourn by Tuller, second by Kwapis. Motion passed, meeting adjourned at 12:15.

Attendance: McIntyre, Whitehead, Martin, Evans, Parker, Tuller, Chevrette and Kwapis