

# MABAS Leadership Group

## Notes

Thursday 1/11/24 10:00 AM

*Zoom Meeting Only  
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1. Review of 1/4/24 Notes
2. Reports:
3. Topics:

### Erik

**Radios:** No changes

**Everbridge:** Evans and I will be setting up additional dates (with calendar invites) to do other scenarios with the RED Center, DCs, and other special ops teams in the state.

It was discussed on Tuesday that the DC will be the lead person during an event and they will assign tasks (sending 211 forms, calling division dispatch centers, etc) to this group to make phone calls when necessary.

The member directory will be where most of the numbers needed to make phone calls when the RED center disconnects.

**Division exercises:** None at this time.

**MABAS 101:** Around April 28th I am arranging a class in Escanaba.

**IL Dispatcher Hands on class:** Getting with Chief Nicholai this month.

**Dispatch Comms Committee:** No changes from last week

**RED Center:** We go live with the new call taking sheet on the 15th. I have a scenario for the 18th and looking to do one on the 29th

Moving the roll call to the dispatch center as one of their functions vs it always being my responsibility. Training the CTOs and Supv each month. The Exec board, Planner, and RRC is much more difficult to do with the Zoom.

**Back up RED Center:** Still trying to find some time to reach out to Eaton and Wexford then schedule a on site visit. Discuss the process, evaluate the center, make sure they are training on MABAS, using the BOX cards, have the communication and technology in place per the policy. Discuss the expectations, go over guidelines, etc. etc.

Do we need to have a business agreement? **Maybe, check with Trent.**

Does EHP have one?

**MI, WI, IL RED Center meetings:** no changes

**New Validations:** No new ones

### Chris

**Validations:** None in the works, info sent to Kalamazoo for Drone Validation, nothing submitted yet

**Spec Ops Quarterly Meetings:** Wednesday Jan 31, 1000 hours via zoom

**MRP Handbook:** Made suggestions to the list in "Sheet 2" of Sync doc, looking for feedback. RTF-Spoke with Jim Etsin, will discuss. MCI, emails out to Region 2 north to discuss their plans and processes. Next step is to re-write the MRP's. **Circle back with Trent.**

**Water Resource Cataloging:** Meeting with group on Tuesday Jan 16. RBO is still a large Gap, what are our options to help address?

## **Shadd**

**MABAS Online Training:** Finishing review and write up of CS and Trench for Scott/John; once the edits are made we will begin the process of assigning “codes” for MABAS members to utilize for the posted Awareness Level courses; once complete a draft use policy will be presented back to the group for discussion and how to move forward/promote to the Divisions that really need this type of training;

**Need to create policy to distribute the awareness level codes.**

**UAS Program:** Our Ad-Hoc committee is nearing completion for our initial CON Ops plan, along with final drafts of all supporting documents (checklists, reports, training quizzes, skill sheets/Task Book, etc); we will be setting our initial Remote Pilot orientation/training for late Feb or early March for 21 identified RPs already licensed within the TF; we will be incorporating a robust objective schedule for UAS use during the annual ORE in May, which will really test the use of our new systems and challenge our RPS; Next steps will be working with Mike Evans to improve and train our TIS component in support of UAS operations and leveraging the wealth of data that is produced with this new UAS technology.

**MI-TF1 Training:** Planning and preparing for upcoming Position Specific courses for Medical Specialist at FL State Fire College, March 5-8 (4 members); TEEX Adv Shoring College Station TX, March 25-29 (3 members); Machine Rescue Technician, Brighton, Apr 12-14 (5 members); Swiftwater Technician, South Bend IN, June 3-7 (6 members); initial planning meeting for annual ORE Con Ex development set for late January;

**Do we need a waiver to allow non-MI-TF1 members in our training? MABAS agreement should cover it but we need to make sure non-MITF1 members are MABAS members. Create a google form to participate in MI-TF1.**

**ESRI / ArcGIS:** Scheduled meeting upcoming to review goals/objectives for FY24; looking to incorporate and enhance the use of Quick Capture and SARCOP into TF operations and test during ORE; additional use for UAS mapping with ArcGIS to be developed as well.

## **Mike**

**MRP Team Leaders: No report**

**Regional Response Coordinators:** Need to submit a divisions activation policy and contact information for OOD assets listed in Member Directory

**Deployment Coordinators:** Revision to DC Policy.

**MI-TF1 Plans Team Managers:**

**Incident Support Team: No Report**

## **Dave M.**

**MI-TF1:** Going through a roster scrub for non-operational members and returning of PPE.

**Budget Update:** No news on the supplemental budget. They are back in session. HB 5341 and 5342

referred to the Transportation, Mobility and Infrastructure committee. Chris will check with Nate and Trent will check with Sen Begone.

**Reimbursement:** Waiting on Vermont for reimbursement to Michigan.

**Trent**

**Admin:**

**Safe Response:** waiting for final module approvals

**Website Update:**

**AVI:**

**Planner/RRC Mtg this month - MRP's Chris**

**ERG's:**

**Legislative Update:**

**FDID# - Attorney drafting letter to State FM**

**2024 Statewide Ex - Attended IPC, what's MABAS participation?**

**MABAS Legal Counsel: ,**

**Division Activities:**

**Admin Assistant Update:**

**In Attendance:**