

Addison County Regional Emergency Management Committee

<https://acrpc.org/acrpc-remc/>

MEETING AGENDA

9 November 2022, 12:00pm

In Person at ACRPC Office, 14 Seminary St, Middlebury VT

Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89228654074?pwd=VEpOWWRZeGliU21DOWFhN0d0RldvUT09>

Meeting ID: 892 2865 4074

Passcode: 121198

12:00 Call to Order

Brief Introductions and Roll Call

12:05- Approval of August Minutes (and February, May minutes if possible)

Bylaws Approval Vote if quorum is present (A. L'Roe/B. Marks)

12:10 Winter Weather Hazards and Projections from NOAA/NWS- Scott L. Whittier, Warning Coordination Meteorologist, DOC/NOAA/National Weather Service

12:30- VT National Guard Emergency Response-Jason T. Galipeau, Lt Col, VT National Guard Director of Military Support

12:40- Bylaws discussion and Vote (A. L'Roe/B. Marks)

12:50- Updates

- **Vermont Emergency Management Update (M. Kennedy)**
- **THIRA/SPR update (D. Kuzio)**
- **RPC updates (A. L'Roe)**

1:00pm Adjourn

Next REMC Meeting- Wednesday, February 8, 2023
Zoom and ACRPC Office

Upcoming Trainings

Vermont Local Emergency Management Director Course

Tue, Feb 21- Wed, Feb 22, 2023, 2:30 pm - 6:30 pm each day

This course will familiarize Local Emergency Management Directors (EMD) and Coordinators (EMC) with major roles, responsibilities, and “how to do it” guidance, across all four phases of Emergency Management. NOTE: for virtual trainings, attendees will receive an email with connection instructions the day before the training.

Register by Mon, Feb 20, 2023: <https://vermont.csod.com/>

Community Resilience (AWR- 228)- Virtual

January 18 & 19, 2023, 1:00—5:00 p.m. each day

The goal of this course is to increase awareness of the meaningful actions that you and your community can take to enhance resilience to natural hazards and opportunities to incorporate resilience into professional practice.

Registration required via University of Hawaii: <https://ndptc.hawaii.edu/training/delivery/3228/>

Funding Opportunities

State Homeland Security Grant Program

<https://hsu.vermont.gov/homeland-security-unit/funding-opportunities>

State Homeland Security Program (SHSP)- municipalities, for authorized equipment. Special focus on Cybersecurity

Next Round of applications due in early 2023, but likely additional money this Fall 2022

Hazard Mitigation Grants (<https://vem.vermont.gov/funding/mitigation>)

Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)

Mitigation of local roads and bridges, home acquisitions, structural elevations or relocations, replacement of undersized culverts, mitigation outreach and education.

(under this round, projects will be eligible to receive a **90% federal cost share**, requiring **only a 10% local match** (reduced from 25% local match)

Additional money for Benefit-Cost Analyses (BCA) for projects that are already designed

Applications accepted on a rolling basis with state application deadline on **November 30, 2022**.

Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC)

Grant program to states and local communities for mitigation activities

Next Round of applications due **December 9, 2022**

Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA)

To reduce or eliminate the risk of repetitive flood damage to buildings and structures

Includes Community Flood mitigation projects to reduce future NFIP flood claims

Next Round of applications due **December 9, 2022**

Flood Resilient Communities Fund (FRCF)

Reducing the future public safety and water quality impacts of climate-related flood hazards, focusing on buyouts of flood-vulnerable properties

Next Round of applications due **March 31, 2022**