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March Quarterly Membership Meeting

Our quarterly membership meeting was held on Thursday, March 31st. The theme was Emergency Management, both private sector preparedness and working with public sector divisions. The presentation was given by Paul Haley, City of Trenton Emergency.

During his first presentation, Mr. Haley questioned the audience to find out what each of the participants was looking to gain as a result of the presentation. Responses ranged from getting a refresher on emergency management to gaining a better understanding of private / public partnerships. Most attendees wanted to build a better relationship with the public sector and feed that into their company's program. Handouts were provided and used as a guideline for the presentation. The handouts included resources that participants could use to build an Emergency Response plan, as well as contacts within the region that they should be acquainted with if an event happened in their area.

During his second segment Mr. Haley continued cycling through the resources provided. Some of the links are provided below. Finally, the presentation concluded with mock exercises based upon four different scenarios. Attendees were able to think about a response and share these with the group. A spirited discussion broke out during each scenario review. If you are interested in any of the information provided during this presentation, please email publications@michigan-acp.org.

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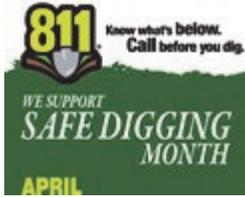


Meeting Locations: Officer / Director Meeting

Comerica Bank,
3501 Hamlin Road,
Auburn Hills, MI
- 2C, Floor 2 East
Conference Room

Emergency Management Links

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| MSP - Emergency Management & Homeland Security (EMHSD) | http://michigan.gov/emhsd |
| MSP - EMHSD: Local Contacts | From above main page, click on " Local Program Contacts " |
| MSP - EMHSD: Local Emergency Planning Workbook | From above main page, click on "Emergency Management and Homeland Security Publications ", then " Local Emergency Planning Workbook " |
| FEMA - Independent Study Program | http://training.fema.gov/IS |
| FEMA - Exercise Evaluation Guides | https://hseep.dhs.gov/pages/1002_EEGLi.aspx |
| FEMA - ICS Resource Center | http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/ICSResource/index.htm |
| DTE Outage Map | http://www.dteenergy.com/map/outage.html |
| Michigan Pipeline Awareness | http://michigan-pipeline.com/Pipeline-Safety.html |
| National Pipeline Mapping System | http://199.107.71.24 |
| Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) Program | http://www.epa.gov/tri/ |
| Natural Hazards and Disasters Information Resources | http://www.colorado.edu/hazards/resources/ |
| Region 2 South Bio Defense | http://www.2south.org/public/index.php |



Safety Corner - April is Safe Digging Month

April 2011 will once again be National Safe Digging Month, the time of year when all Common Ground Alliance stakeholders come together to communicate how important it is that professionals and homeowners alike call 811 and follow the safe digging process to help prevent injuries, property damage and inconvenient outages. In the State of Michigan, you may also go online to submit requests through www.missdig.net. Want to know what those colored flags mean, check out the "Utility Color Codes" link.



Chapter Business

Getting Involved

Being involved as a chapter Officer or Director is an excellent way to not only earn valuable CEU credits, but also help steer the direction of your ACP Chapter. If you would like to volunteer for a future position, or would be willing to help in other capacities, please email Denise Rayner at president@michigan-acp.org.



ACP Michigan Forum

Our Directors of Public Relations and Information are working on creating a forum for the Michigan ACP Chapter website. Be on the lookout for more information regarding this exciting initiative. Discussions with fellow practitioners is the cornerstone of our meetings and this format will soon be available 24 X 7 just by logging in. For more information, contact either Director at publicrelations@michigan-acp.org or information@michigan-acp.org.

Auditing the Books

During our most recent meeting, the 2010 ACP Chapter Audit was conducted. This audit is conducted yearly and ensures our Treasurer is compliant with the Chapter Charter and ACP International rules and regulations. We are pleased to announce that the audit passed with flying colors.

2011 ACP-Michigan Chapter Officer/Director Meeting Schedule

| Date | Time | Location |
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| April 21, 2011 | 3:00 - 4:30 pm | Comerica - Auburn Hills, MI 2C, Floor 2 East |
| May 26, 2011 | 3:00 - 4:30 pm | Comerica - Auburn Hills, MI 2C, Floor 2 East |
| July 28, 2011 | 3:00 - 4:30 pm | Comerica - Auburn Hills, MI 2C, Floor 2 East |
| August 25, 2011 | 3:00 - 4:30 pm | Comerica - Auburn Hills, MI 2C, Floor 2 East |
| October 27, 2011 | 3:00 - 4:30 pm | Comerica - Auburn Hills, MI 2C, Floor 2 East |
| November 16, 2011 | 3:00 - 4:30 pm | Comerica - Auburn Hills, MI 2C, Floor 2 East |

Bring a Guest, Bring a Guest

The Michigan Chapter of the ACP is looking for new members. If you know of someone in the BC / DR field who might be interested, please ask them to attend one of our Membership Meetings. This will give them the opportunity to see what the meeting topics and discussions are before making a financial commitment. Guests are allowed to attend one membership meeting before making a commitment.

Meeting Schedule

| Meeting | Date / Time | Location |
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| Quarterly Membership Meeting | June 30th @ 12 - 4pm | Comerica Bank, Auburn Hills |
| Quarterly Membership Meeting | Sept 29th @ 12 - 4pm | Comerica Bank, Auburn Hills |
| Quarterly Membership Meeting | Dec 15th @ 12 - 4pm | Comerica Bank, Livonia |

PRESENTERS NEEDED



The ACP Michigan Chapter is always looking for presenters for membership meetings. Do you have a good program you would be willing to share? Are you interested in speaking at the meeting or participating in a roundtable? Are you in need of additional CEUs for certification? Let us know!

If you would be interested in presenting on a topic, please email programs@michigan-acp.org with a presentation or proposed meeting topic.

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Education/Seminar Opportunities

Continuity Insights 2011 Management Conference

April 11 - 13, 2011

Hyatt Regency, Atlanta, GA

Resilience@Work

Resilience@Work underscores the comprehensive educational program featured at the conference; up to 70 timely and compelling topics carefully organized into identifiable and meaningful categories. But this "tagline" also serves to remind us that the discipline of business continuity continues to be a work in progress. It is a profession very sensitive to change, process improvement, and interdependencies.

Go to www.continuityinsights.com for more information.

Human Resiliency within the Supply Chain

April 20th, 2011, 10:30 am - 11:30 am CDT

Webinar - <https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/831581512>

Supply chains have expanded globally and organizations have outsourced more of their services. The benefits of expansion and technology include flexibility, redundancy and efficiency – but these have come at the cost of increased fragility. This one-hour seminar will explore Human Resilience and Logistics within the supply chain.

Contingency Planning & Management 2011 West Conference

May 9 - 11, 2011

Aria Resort and Casino, Las Vegas, NV

These days in business, education and government, only the well-prepared survive. While some might weather a minor disruption, a disaster would mean the end of operations. Contingency Planning & Management (CPM) is the only conference where you can fine-tune and reinforce your plan with the practical advice of leading national experts & COOP professionals who will share their hard learned lessons as they offer one-on-one, action-oriented advice

Go to contingencyplanning.com/events/cpm-2011/Home.aspx for more information.

SecureWorld Expo 2011

October 5 - 6, 2011

Ford Conference and Event Center, Dearborn, MI

Security demands are rapidly growing while time and budgets for training are not. SecureWorld regional conferences deliver the most affordable, highest quality security education, training and networking right to your community. SecureWorld is at the intersection of Information Security, Physical Security, Compliance, IT Audit, Computer Forensics, Enterprise Risk Management, Business Continuity and Security Management.

ACP Members are offered a \$100 discount off the \$265 conference pass which includes access to the Conference Sessions, Conference Breakfast Keynote, Exhibits & Open Sessions (Includes Lunch) and 12 CPE credits. Register on-line using code **ACPINT**.

Go to www.secureworldexpo.com for more information.

If this newsletter was forwarded on to you, consider becoming a Michigan ACP member
Go to www.michigan-acp.org and follow the Membership Link