



## Meeting Recap

### Aleutian and Pribilof Islands LEPC Special Meeting to Vote on Bylaws

Date: Friday, July 19, 2024 at 1:00pm

Location: Unalaska Public Library

**Attendees:** Peter Gurney, Rachel Alinsunurin, Zac Schasteen, Greg Peters, Josie Padgett, Erica Aus, Cameron Dean, Laresa Syverson, Kerry Mahoney, Wayne Jackson, Cory Nelson, Julian Govea

**Attendees via Zoom:** Layton Lockett, Lauren Adams, William Dushkin

- 1) Vote on LEPC bylaws.
  - a. Bylaws were sent out last Friday.
  - b. Laresa asked about including Akutan in the Aleutian and Pribilof Islands LEPC. Akutan is located in a different district for the Eastern Aleutians. There was discussion about how Akutan would affect Unalaska (the volcano tract, Akutan evacuation through Unalaska, etc.). We agreed to include Akutan informally and may contact the State of Alaska about Akutan.
  - c. Peter was confirmed as LEPC chair, Greg as Project Manager/Information Coordinator, Rachel Alinsunurin as Treasurer, and Erica Aus as Secretary.
  - d. Vote was unanimous for approving the bylaws.
    - i. Cory and Julian arrived after the vote and did not vote.
- 2) William updated the group with news of a 6.0 earthquake ~35 miles SE of Atka, approximately 24 miles deep. No reports that anyone felt the quake.
- 3) Layton inquired as to how efforts have gone to reach out to St. Paul and Nikolski.
  - a. The St. Paul city manager wants to have their own LEPC. Peter spoke with the previous St. Paul VPSO who signed up as a member but has since left. Peter has attempted to reach out to the new VPSO.
  - b. Peter has sent emails to both Nikolski and St. George but has not received a reply yet.
  - c. Laresa will forward Peter contact information for Nikolski.

- 4) CERT committee training will be August 30 – September 1, 2024.
  - a. Wayne offered the Delta Western warehouse as a venue.
  - b. Peter is discussing the liability of CERT with the city.
  - c. Attendees voted to create a CERT subcommittee and Peter suggested Wayne as chair.
  - d. There is no minimum number of participants for the training and in the future, we plan to send people out to become trainers so others can be trained who can't attend the upcoming training.
  - e. Peter will email the CERT registration form out again.
  - f. Zac pointed out that it is 1.5 months until the CERT training and suggested we move forward with Wayne as chair. He made the motion to appoint Wayne as chair of the subcommittee and Greg seconded.
- 5) Now that the bylaws have been approved, Rachel can proceed with creating the non-profit and opening a bank account.
- 6) Lauren is willing to air a PSA for LEPC. Need to send the info or a draft to her.
- 7) The LEPC is planning to join forces with either KUCB or MOTA for a raffle.

Adjourned at 1:30pm

Peter Gurney Date 07/30/2024

Peter Gurney, Chair