

Hancock TIM Group  
January 12, 2021  
0930 Via Zoom  
Meeting Notes

Welcome

Lt Rod Charette Welcomed everyone

Introductions were made

Attending:

Lt Rod Charette, Maine State Police  
Stu Marckoon, Town of Lamoine  
Chief Craig Shane, Dedham Fire  
Joe Lacerda, Maine DOT  
Oriana Flemming, Northern Light Medical Transport  
Jeff Currier, Maine Forest Service  
Dale Rowley, EMA Director Waldo County  
Andrew Allen, Maine DOT  
Steve Theberge, Maine DOT  
Bob Conary, Hancock County  
Chief Tommy Morris, Brooklin Fire  
Derren Belskis, Acadia National Park Ranger  
Captain Troy Bires, Ellsworth Police  
Dianne Rice-Hansen, BACTS

Reverse Evacuation

A discussion on the reverse evacuation continued. Where are we going with this and what is the end game. Dale Rowley noted a study that has been done situated around hurricane evacuation. Dianne will request a copy of the study to review.

- a. We need to decide what we want the outcome to be.
- b. What is the plan, who are the stakeholders?
- c. Signage and Roadways

It does not seem right or fair to ask volunteer firefighters to stay ahead of the scene blocking the road for hours on end with very little information. There is a need for some sort of signage. Andrew Allen talked about some signage that could be put up along designated routes. This signage is pink in color and the signs would be unfolded when they are needed. Suggested routes would be Route 9, Block at 192 with similar on Route 1A, potentially signs could be put up on Route 3 as well. The signs are a work in progress, Andrew would have to ask for comments and then go from there.

Detour Routes

Need further discussion to determine what these would be, the vulnerability study and the Hurricane Evacuation Study might help to determine what those might be.

## Moving Forward

### a. Training

Dianne talked about training, due to the current COVID situation we cannot do in person training, however there is some discussion about virtual training. We will have more discussion on this at the next meeting.

## Next Meeting Date

February 23, 2021 - 0930 - Via Zoom

## Adjournment