

CAR Meeting Tuesday March 4, 2014 at Vendome

Attendees: Anne, Elsaby, Marcia, Kerri, Trish

Regrets: Jodi, Carla

Updates:

-discuss new organization structure- CAR and emergency response divisions to join to form the Community Response and Resiliency Division-Paul and Gloria will co-lead. Kerri will be the liason of the task to the HSCA board.

1. Volunteer recognition event: Sunday June 22/14

-next planning meeting April 3/14- 5:00 pm

2. March 12 Event Planning

-Trish volunteer at CAR table, CAR table details TBD

-Jodi to label tables and make table plan

-feedback papers-Jodi

-Marcia will look into facilitation march 12

-food order-Jodi- cookies

-table set up -City and Flood Task force in the Hearth, other groups in the Slate room

-Marcia will bring 200 -72h emergency bags

- suggest have a volunteer sign up sheet for community leaders program and role description

3. Community Rebuilding and Resiliency/ Emergency Planning

-Jane's walk during emergency preparedness week May 3 or 4- Kerri and Gerald host a walk annually

-Disaster Alley –Sunday may 4

-Crisis café RFP circulated-deadline March 14.

-community notice board. Pending funding for Development permit

4. AHS

- How to integrate Elsaby –she will come to the March 12 event.

-Elsaby works with a team: nurse, OT, SW, psychologist- would refer back to urgent mental health at Sheldon Chumir Center.-the team is asking the community for referrals.

-Contact for the public is 403-955-6019 community disaster outreach team

-Looking into Grief, Recovery and Loss – there is a 90 minute presentation being developed—

consider end of April for the talk, ideally 10-14 people and people would need to sign up in advance

-Health link is a good resource – they will redirect to Access Mental Health who will decide which services are needed.

-there is a sense of lack of control to natural disasters and to the response to and prevention of same from a City and Provincial perspective.

5. Emergency Response Update

-March 12 suggest have a volunteer sign up sheet for community leaders program

-have leader description

-Gloria has created detailed community response program document

6. Calgary Family Services: Anne McIlwaine

-will advertise in our newsletter and Voice

-taking referrals for seniors >65yrs

Communication: Next email to the database

-April 9 reminder-Mid March-Introduce Anne, Elsaby, advertise upcoming events, call for community leaders-Gloria , June 22 party date and volunteer request for planning, Crisis Café site update

Next Meeting: March 19 at 7 pm HSCA .