

Session 12: Hostile Action Based Drills: A Soup to Nuts View for Local Emergency Responders and Managers

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Abstract:

Since 911 our preparedness level for a terrorist attack has changed drastically with the emergency preparedness community. Under the guidance of Department of Homeland Security, nuclear power plants across the country have been the focus of enhanced response plans and procedures, both within the plant and also the surrounding communities. Within the last three years, Kewaunee Power Station, Point Beach Nuclear Power Station, Kewaunee and Manitowoc Counties have been preparing for hostile actions against each power station. This presentation will outline the planning process of evaluating plant and community resources, acquisitions of resources identified as needs, the training required for emergency responders and then integrate into plans and procedures to prepare for a terrorist attack. Those plans and procedures were validated by the full-scale exercise. We will share our lessons learned with you from all aspects of the emergency response community such as Fire, Emergency Medical Services, Law Enforcement, and Emergency Management. Lessons learned will also be shared with you from a plants perspective.

Biographical Sketch of Lori Hucek:

Lori Hucek has been in Emergency Management for 11 years, in which the last nine she has served as the Director. One of the facets in this job is to be responsible for 13 offsite facilities plans in the county, one of those being Kewaunee Power Station. Lori is responsible to ensure that emergency response agencies are involved in training and exercising those plans. Lori sits on the Emergency Medical Services Council, is the coordinator for the Local Emergency Planning Committee. She also is part of the Advisory Board for Emergency Management course at Lakeshore Technical College. Lori feels that the Radiological Emergency Plan for Kewaunee County is the hub to managing any disaster situation in Kewaunee County.

Biographical Sketch of Steve Wood:

Steve Wood has worked for Dominion for 31 years. Steve has worked at three of the four nuclear stations Dominion owns including four years at the corporate office. Steve currently works at Kewaunee Power Station. He transferred to Green Bay WI area in 2005 as the Manager of Emergency Preparedness. Mr. Wood holds degrees in Police Science, Governmental Administration and a master's degree in Business. Steve also serves on the Lakeshore Technical College Advisory Board for the Emergency Management degree.

Biographical Sketch of Chris Gulbrand:

Chris Gulbrand has over 22 years in Law Enforcement and is currently the Law Enforcement Operations Lieutenant for the Kewaunee County, WI Sheriff's Department. His assignments within the department have included training, as well as incident command planning. Currently, he serves as SWAT Commander for the department. Chris instructs ICS training and Unified Tactical training, as an adjunct staff member of the Northeast Wisconsin Technical College, Green Bay. Chris has also been a member of the Kewaunee County Emergency Medical Services Council since 1984 and is currently the President of the Wisconsin County Police Association, Ltd. In addition to being a law enforcement officer, Chris has been a volunteer firefighter since 1978. Chris believes that his dual role in the police and fire fields has given him a unique perspective into the all-hazards approach to incident command.