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ROLL CALL/AGENDA/OTHER:

- 1. NHMA Admin to follow up on Barb Miller's outreach to reconnect with Daya Dayananda.
- 2. <u>Ed Thomas</u> to add Action Items discussion to the meeting as a regular practice.

MINUTES:

- 3. NHMA Admin to correct the spelling of Lori Peek's name in the April Meeting Minutes.
- 4. NHMA Admin to get the Minutes & Action Items out within a day or two of each call.

RNN COMMUNITY MEMBERSHIP - Rebecca Joyce Memorandum

5. NHMA Admin to send around last copy of Rebecca Joyce's Membership Memorandum giving everyone two weeks to respond with comments and make clear that not responding is presumed to be consensus.

PILOT OF THE RNN/DISASTER RISK REDUCTION CURRICULUM in Harrisburg, PA

- 6. <u>Contractor (Wightman & Associates)</u> to prepare a report on the Harrisburg roll out.
- 7. <u>Shannon Burke</u> to report her recommendations on what the RNN should do next with regard to the Curriculum.
- 8. <u>Ed Thomas</u> to suggest a 25th Module on Continuity of Operations for both business industry and government, per comments from George Huff; this to be considered for development in the next year.

NHMA DRR CURRICULUM & WORKSHOP STATUS:

- 9. <u>Ed Thomas and Jim Mullen</u> to speak with an affiliated Community College in the State of Washington next week regarding the use of our Curriculum in their four-year program in Emergency Management.
- 10. <u>Ed Thomas (and Jim Mullen?)</u> to follow up with Vanderbilt University and University of New Orleans who are interested in partnering with us for the DRR Curriculum.
- 11. <u>Ed Thomas (and Jim Mullen?)</u> to review and report on a possible add-on to the Texas Flood Plain Managers Conference.
- 12. <u>Allison Hardin and Shannon Burke</u> to get out more information on the American Planning Association doing a state-wide webinar in June.
- 13. Roger Faris to connect with Barb Miller, Rebecca Joyce and Jim Mullen about writing up what has been done in Harpers Ferry, West Virginia, on how to handle a no-federal money disaster that is catastrophic for the people involved. This material is of special interest to the American Bar Association who have been contracted by the Cargill Foundation.
- 14. <u>Ed Thomas</u> to keep everyone informed and involved in status of the Cargill Foundation's interest.

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- 15. <u>Ed Thomas (and PMT?)</u> to follow up with NACo about how to put something together with additional FEMA funds to do something in West Virginia
- 16. Ed Thomas (and PMT?) to work on the RNN Annual Meeting after October 1st.
- 17. <u>Ed Thomas (and PMT?)</u> to review possibility of participating in the Texas Flood Plain Managers meeting in September.
- 18. <u>RNN Members</u> to share their thoughts with <u>Ed Thomas and Rebecca Joyce</u> for the PMT on whether or not to combine the Annual Meeting with a another venue (like the Texas Flood Plain Managers Meeting) or to do a separate, stand-alone meeting like Harrisburg somewhere such as Shepherdstown or Charlotte-Mecklenburg,
- 19. <u>RNN Members</u> to share their thoughts on how to move forward with the Curriculum to Ed Thomas and Rebecca Joyce for the Program Management Team and the CTP.
- 20. <u>PMT</u> RNN Meeting venue to include a workshop for certification credits for attendees so as many persons can attend as possible.
- 21. RNN Community to decide on how to phrase this in the invitation to the Meeting.

NATURAL HAZARDS WORKSHOP/NHMA SYMPOSIUM - COMBINED EVENT July 9-12, 2017

22. <u>Erin Capps</u> to update everyone on a possible breakfast meeting Wednesday morning featuring a speaker and potential webinar on hazard mitigation within the emergency management field.

STATUS OF PRACTICAL COMMUNITY RESILIENCE PROJECT IN SOUTH CAROLINA

23. <u>Ed Thomas</u> to follow up on an RNN speaker for a meeting sponsored by Clemson University in June. Suggests a spokesperson for the RNN and the DRR Curriculum who could be paid for out of the Grant. Clemson to discuss at the Workshop in July.

STATUS OF ISLAND PRESS INTEREST, ABA

- 24. <u>Ed Thomas</u> to follow up on writing a book on Resilience at the local level. <u>RNN</u> <u>Community members</u> who are interested in this to let him know.
- 25. <u>Ed Thomas</u> to follow up with the ABA on developing a small booklet on how persons and families can survive a disaster. RNN Community members who are interested to offer input on this.

COMMENTS/ISSUES/GOOD NEWS

26. <u>Rebecca Joyce</u> to write a short article for the Newsletter on how organizations are responsible for evacuating their clients in an emergency and what help is available to them for that.