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Date: February 5th, 2026

To: Justice Committee

From: Captain David Sherrick, Lieutenant Seth Herrig, and John Dwyer

Subject: EMA January Board Report

Notable Events

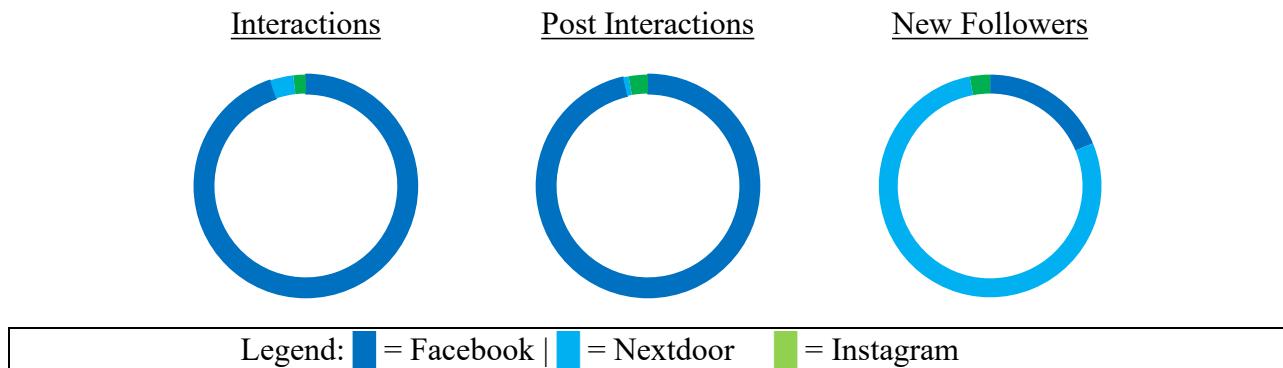
- 24 Volunteer hours this month
- Performed the monthly outdoor warning siren test – Jan 6th
- Hosted Champaign County Public Information Officer's Meeting – Jan 8th
- Met with Urbana Mayor & City Manager regarding Emergency Management – Jan 8th
- Attended Champaign County Fire Chief's Meeting – Jan 8th
- Sent out alerts for severe thunderstorm warning & communicated with local representatives – Jan 8th
- Sent out multiple alerts for snow squall warning – Jan 14th
- Attended IEMA Recovery/Resilience learning session – Jan 16th
- Guest Speaker for Community Resilience Course through the University of Illinois Civil & Environment Engineering Department – Jan 20th
- Search & Rescue Team had training on helipad operations – Jan 20th
- Attended Paradigm Pipeline Safety Program at the I-Hotel – Jan 21st
- Attended National Weather Service conference call regarding winter storm watch – Jan 22nd
- Hosted East Central Illinois Community Organizations Active in Disasters (ECI-COAD) Meetings – Jan 22nd
- Attended National Weather Service conference call regarding winter storm warning – Jan 23rd
- Sent out multiple alerts for winter storm warning and extreme cold warning – Jan 24th-25th
- Attended Area Homeless Shelter & Outreach Committee Meeting – Jan 26th
- Hosted the Champaign County Emergency Liaison Meeting – Jan 27th
- Attended “When Minutes Matter: Alert and Warning Technical Assistance Workshop” – Jan 27th
- Hosted TEEX MGT-312 Senior Officials Workshop – Jan 28th
- Attended IEMA Region 7 Exercise Based Workshop – Jan 29th
- Met with the Vinyard Church regarding community support in emergencies – Jan 29th
- Met with Thomasboro ESDA and Village President on ESDA operations & training – Jan 30th

Upcoming Events

- Protecting Houses of Worship Seminar, over 100 attendees registered, at ILEAS - Feb 11th

Information Dissemination to Champaign County

CCEMA had **158,757 views** of its social media content and gained an additional **304 new followers**.



The point of contact for this memorandum is John Dwyer, the EMA Coordinator. Please send all questions and concerns to jdwyer@champaigncountylil.gov or 217-384-3826.

Respectfully,

John Dwyer