

OC - CERT AGENDA FOR MEETING

Thursday 14 May 1830 hours

Public Safety Building 2nd Floor Training Room

- Meeting called to order.
- Review and approve the minutes from the OC-CERT 26 March 2015 meeting.
- **Website Reminder:** A link for **OC-CERT** Information available on the Town of Ocean City website through the Emergency Services home page including google calendar.
The direct link is: <http://oceancitymd.gov/cert>
- **Old Business:**
 - Anyone that still needs CERT equipment please see Carol Boyles.
 - Any additional personnel interested in recording a public safety message for the Ocean City FM radio station contact Bob Rhode.
 - Update on the status Amateur Radio Technician Class
 - Next Planning meeting will be held on Wednesday 4 November 2015 in the Public Safety Building at 1830 hours and will include Worcester, Wicomico, Somerset (invited) and Sussex Counties.
 - Thank you to all the personnel that attended;
 1. EOC Training in April for Situational Unit, "T" Card Resources and telephones
 2. Personnel that attended the National Weather Service's Skywarn Class in Salisbury
 3. Traffic and Crowd Control Training April 2015
 4. Defensive Driving training April 29, 2015
 5. Assisted with ½ Marathon Race and traffic control Saturday 2 May 2015
 6. Covering all the shifts for Spring Fest 2015 from 1000-2100 and 1000-1700 on Sunday
- **New Business**
 - New CERT ID Badges at City Hall after 1 June 2015
 - Fall Cert program to begin Thursday 1 October 2015 1845 hours at the PSB 2nd floor.
 - Summer departmental changes
- **Events and Training during the next quarter**
 - Ocean City Air Show 2015 will be a four day event – June 11-14. OC-CERT will be asked to assist with Operations and Logistics. Sign up for shifts with Carol Boyles.
 - Wednesday 24 June 2015 Maryland State Firefighter Parade will be held and OC-CERT has been requested to assist. Completion of the Traffic Control Program through Ocean City is required to assist with this event. Sign up with Carol Boyles for this event. Check in and assignments will be at 16th street and Baltimore Ave at 1100 hours on the 24th June. Yellow CERT Traffic Vest is required.
 - Ocean City Fireworks displays will be Saturday 4 July 2015 both north and south. Schedule information and sign up will be coordinated through Bob Rhode after 15 June 2015 via phone at 410.723.6650 or email at brhode@oceancitymd.gov Personnel will be in teams of two. Rally Point and times will be announced.
 - OC-CERT Team meeting and training will be held on Thursday 23 July 2015 (**note change**) at the new Beach Patrol Headquarters on Talbot Street and S. Philadelphia Ave. beginning at 1800 hours (**note change**) with Ocean City Beach Patrol and United States Coast Guard. Parking permits will be available that evening at the Worcester Street Lot across the street from the Coast Guard Station, for OC-CERT Personnel,

- **Open Forum Discussion:**

- **Evening Training session:**

Training to consider for future dates:

1. Compass reading practical exercises
2. First Aid Training Course
3. Training with the Civil Air Patrol (fall 2015)
4. Training with Maryland Coordinated Highway Action Response Team (TEAM) (fall 2015)

Closing Comments:

