

**LEPC (Local Emergency Preparedness committee)
MEETING MINUTES**

Ensure the emergency preparedness of Ellsworth County

October 24, 2019

Members Present:

Jeremiah Brown, Kerianne Ehrlich, Beth Vallier, Bob Kepka, Murray Marston, Keith Haberer, Rory Tillett, Roy Folk, David Chamberlain, Brent Van Buren, Shelly Vopat, Joshua Tipton and Bill Dooley, Southern Star

OPENING BUSINESS:

Chairman Roy Folk called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Minutes from the September 26, 2019 LEPC meeting were approved as presented.

Presentation:

Bill Dooley, with Southern Star Pipeline, discussed the eight-inch pipeline that carries 500 pounds of natural gas all the way through Ellsworth County. There is an on-call operator twenty-four hours a day with a response time of thirty to sixty minutes.

Other Business:

PIO classes will be available in a webinar format November 7, 2019. If interested register on KS Train.

A wildfire Seminar in Hutchinson on Saturday December 14, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Roy Folk made the announcement that this was the last meeting of the year. January will be the kickoff dinner for 2020

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:35 p.m.