



To: SCHMRT Members and Administrators
From: Gerry Gray, Operations Director
Date: July 14, 2010
Subject: June 2010 SCHMRT Drill Recap

[Drill Attendance Roster and Drill Sign-in Sheet both attached]

DRILL RECAP

Note to team & administrators: my apologies to you for getting this report out so late – it has been a remarkably busy time for many of us.

On June 16th, 40 members of the SCHMRT assembled at Redding FD Station 8 for training and project work. CalFire, Shasta County Fire, CHP, Red Bluff Fire and Redding Fire were represented.

This drill featured three circuit stations: Haz Cat Kit / Unknown Chemical Identification, Heinz 5-Step / Unknown Chemical Identification, and Level A Suit Time.

Identification of unknown chemicals was a good exercise considering that we recently updated all of our SCHMRT sampling kits and reagents; some new procedures were introduced. This exercise provides an opportunity for team members to remain proficient with both the Haz Kat kit and the Heinz kit.

As I have mentioned before, suit time is very critical training since all of our members have limited opportunities to work in Level A suits. To this end, members had work time in Level A suits during the drill.

One final training station was the inventory familiarization station – this is a “free-for-all” for any member needing to study the inventory of HM-24 or pull equipment out and practice their skills.

While the team was busy with these assignments, I was compiling the Team Typing forms and paperwork necessary for the next step of the day: Team Typing Inventory Project (see below).

TEAM TYPING

I have been in contact with Chief Jan Dunbar at CalEMA who has provided me with an abundance of information on the Team Typing project. As you may recall, the SCHMRT has been working diligently in our attempt to procure essential equipment that will allow the team to be recognized as a CalEMA-sanctioned hazardous materials response team. Our first objective:

Type III status, followed by the more stringent Type II status. To this end, we engaged most of the team members at the June drill with inventory sheets to check and double check all of our equipment in preparation for the team typing audit (not scheduled yet). Our inventory checks show that the SCHMRT fared very well on the Type III classification, less so on the Type II classification, as expected. Although all of our suits are compliant for hazardous materials entries and such, none of our suits have NFPA-certification (1991 & 1992) which is a mandate for the CalEMA audit. Fortunately, the team has not purchased any new suits in several years and so we will focus our future purchases on meeting the CalEMA suit requirements. Additionally, more good news is that we still have some unexpended grants which will help us to secure the necessary gear. This is a very involved project and I will keep you posted on our progress.

TEAM RECAP

Welcome to new members: Kyle Ferris, SHU; Greg Tavalero, SHU; Todd Wallace, SKU. And a huge farewell to Jim Mobley, SHU, who has been a solid and dependable member of SCHMRT for many years – thank you for your effort and commitment Jim!

On June 30, HM-24, with Red Bluff Fire Engineer Matthew Shobash and myself, responded to Mercy Hospital where a hazardous materials training class was underway. We presented the class with an overview of the SCHMRT mission, membership, and capabilities. My deep appreciation to Engineer Shobash for assisting me in this request.

On July 8, I attended the quarterly Local Emergency Planning Commission (LEPC) meeting in Red Bluff. The LEPC is attempting to secure funded hazardous material training for our area – primarily for technician-level training and above. Both CalFire BC Russ Fowler (Butte Co Haz Mat Team Director) and I comprise the LEPC Hazardous Materials Training Committee.

SCHMRT Operations Manual has been revised and has been circulated to the SCHMRT Administrators for review and feedback.

Next drill: City of Redding Council Chambers – chemistry review. July 21, 2010 at 0900 hrs.

Next SCHMRT Administrators Meeting: July 22, 2010 at 0930 hrs.

GENERAL

1. Workgroup Leaders/Managers:

- Clint Swensen: SCBAs
- Kevin Ward: Documents and Forms
- Cyndi Freeman: Member Records

- Rod Moore: Suits and Suit Maintenance
- Rob Pitt: Inventory Management
- Kyle Johnson: Communications Equipment
- Rik Valles: Technical Reference
- Scott Packwood: HM-24 Apparatus Issues

The Team Leaders are those individuals who continue to make things happen on this team. It is truly a thankless job, but I do want to take a moment and thank each and every one of the SCHMRT Workgroup Leaders and encourage them to continue in their assignments.

2. SCHMRT.ORG

Reminder to visit the team website at www.schmrt.org regularly for updates.

3. SCHMRT Incident Log

You will notice that I have included a YTD SCHMRT incident log in this report. This is a record of incidents (large & small) that were mitigated with the assistance of SCHMRT members. I feel it is important to understand that the SCHMRT is not only prepared for the "large incident" but we are ready to render technical assistance on any hazardous materials incident. Thank you to team members for forwarding incident reports.

As always, I am available for any questions and/or comments about the SCHMRT.

Gerry

Next SCHMRT drill: July 21, 2010 at 0900hrs

Redding City Council Chambers

Chemistry Review

SCHMRT DRILL ATTENDANCE ROSTER 2010

MEMBER	AGENCY	CREDITS	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	LEGEND
Boshell, John	SCFD	0													X = No. of Credits
Freeman, Cyndi	MFPD	4	1	1		1	1								Work or Incident
															Drill Cancelled
Ciapponi, Nick	CDF/SHU	5	1		1	1	1	1							Vacation
Corn, Scott	CDF/SHU	4		1	1	1		1							Sick/Injury
Ferris, Kyle	CDF/SHU	1						1							Other Training
Haker, Jeromy	CDF/SHU	1						1							Not Member
Johnson, Kyle	CDF/SHU	4		1	1		1	1							Updated 07/14/2010
Lazzari, Dustin	CDF/SHU	4	1		1	1	1								
Mobley, Jim	CDF/SHU	3		1	1	1									
Quigley, Garrett	CDF/SHU	5	1	1	1	1	1								
Reginatto, Corado	CDF/SHU	3				1	1	1							
Reid, Bill	CDF/SHU	3		1	1	1									
Reiling, Andy	CDF/SHU	3		1	1			1							
Swensen, Clint	CDF/SHU	5	1	1	1		1	1							
Tavalero, Greg	CDF/SHU	1						1							
Whitehurst, Tim	CDF/SHU	5	1	1		1	1	1							
Emerick, Andrew	CDF/TGU	4	1	1		1		1							
Becker, Robert	CDF/TGU	2		1				1							
Frits, Mark	CDF/TGU	3		1		1		1							
Stroing, Tom	CDF/TGU	4	1			1	1	1							
Vance, Byron	CDF/TGU	4		1		1	1	1							
Lazarich, Sam	CDF/TGU	5	1	1	1		1	1							
Packwood, Scott	CDF/LMU	2		1	1										
Martin, Doug	CDF/LMU	3		1		1		1							
Cummings, Keith	CDF/SKU	4		1	1	1		1							
Wallace, Todd	CDF/SKU	1						1							
Quigley, Darin		1						1							
Anderson, Mike	RFD	5	1	1	1	1	1								
Bates, Rich	RFD	4	1		1	1	1								
Blair, Mike	RFD	5	1	1	1	1	1								
Carter, Randy	RFD	0													
Coleman, Sean	RFD	5	1	1	1	1		1							
Eiler, Gary	RFD	2					1	1							
Flader, Steve	RFD	4	1		1	1		1							
Foley, Jason	RFD	2				1		1							

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Freeman, Daryl	RFD	3		1		1		1							X = No. of Credits
Gould, Mike	RFD	6	1	1	1	1	1	1							Work or Incident
Gray, Gerry	RFD	6	1	1	1	1	1	1							Drill Cancelled
Howard, Steve	RFD	4	1	1		1		1							Vacation
Jentzen, Dan	RFD	5	1	1		1	1	1							Sick/Injury
Krautkraemer, Dave	RFD	5	1	1	1	1		1							Other Training
Krznarich, Ron	RFD	5		1	1	1	1	1							Not Member
McMurtrey, Eric	RFD	5	1	1	1	1	1								Updated 07/14/2010
Moore, Rod	RFD	4		1	1		1	1							
Nardo, Ryan	RFD	5	1	1	1		1	1							
Pitt, Rob	RFD	4	1	1	1			1							
Plummer, Shawn	RFD	5	1	1	1	1	1								
Sawyer, Mike	RFD	4	1		1		1	1							
Schreiber, Lonnie	RFD	5	1	1	1	1	1								
Stoke, Jeremy	RFD	4	1	1	1	1									
Utvick, Ron	RFD	4	1	1	1	1									
Valles, Rik	RFD	5	1	1	1	1	1								
Ward, Kevin	RFD	6	1	1	1	1	1	1							
Rogers, Adrian	SLC	1	1												
Carr, David	Rbfd	4	1	1			1	1							
Shobash, Matthew	Rbfd	4	1	1			1	1							
Fincher, Howard	AFD	0													
Zufall, John	SCSO	3		1		1	1								
Boyes, Bill	CHP	5	1	1	1		1	1							
Joiner, Steve	CHP	3		1	1		1								
Rickard, Ken	CHP	5	1		1	1	1	1							
Ross, Greg	CHP	1		1											
Scott, Jim	CHP	2		1		1									
Hildebrand, Kevin	CHP	1				1									
TOTALS			34	44	35	39	33	40							

SCHMRT MEMBER SIGN-IN SHEET

MONTHLY DRILL: WED, JUNE 16, 2010 -- RFD STATION 8

Boshell, John	SCFD	
Freeman, Cyndi	MFPD	WORK
Ciapponi, Nick	CDF/SHU	<i>Nick Ciapponi</i>
Corn, Scott	CDF/SHU	<i>Scott Corn</i>
Haker, Jeromy	CDF/SHU	<i>Jeromy Haker</i>
Johnson, Kyle	CDF/SHU	<i>Kyle Johnson</i>
Lazzari, Dustin	CDF/SHU	*
Mobley, Jim	CDF/SHU	*
Quigley, Garrett	CDF/SHU	
Reginatto, Corado	CDF/SHU	<i>Corado Reginatto</i>
Reid, Bill	CDF/SHU	* <i>Bill Reid</i>
Reiling, Andy	CDF/SHU	<i>Andy Reiling</i>
Swensen, Clint	CDF/SHU	<i>Clint Swensen</i>
Whitehurst, Tim	CDF/SHU	<i>Tim Whitehurst</i>
Emerick, Andrew	CDF/TGU	<i>Andrew Emerick</i>
Becker, Robert	CDF/TGU	<i>Robert Becker</i>
Frits, Mark	CDF/TGU	<i>Mark Frits</i>
Stroing, Tom	CDF/TGU	<i>Tom Stroing</i>
Vance, Byron	CDF/TGU	<i>Byron Vance</i>
Lazarich, Sam	CDF/TGU	<i>Sam Lazarich</i>
Packwood, Scott	CDF/LMU	
Martin, Doug	CDF/LMU	<i>Doug Martin</i>
Wallace Todd Cummings, Keith	CDF/SKU	<i>Keith Cummings</i>
Quigley, Darin		<i>Darin Quigley</i>
Anderson, Mike	RFD	VAC
Bates, Rich	RFD	
Blair, Mike	RFD	
Carter, Randy	RFD	121
Coleman, Sean	RFD	<i>Sean Coleman</i>

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MONTHLY DRILL: WED, JUNE 16, 2010 -- RFD STATION 8

Eiler, Gary	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Flader, Steve	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Foley, Jason	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Freeman, Daryl	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Gould, Mike	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Gray, Gerry	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Howard, Steve	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Jentzen, Dan	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Krautkraemer, Dave	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
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Moore, Rod	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Nardo, Ryan	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Pitt, Rob	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Plummer, Shawn	RFD	
Sawyer, Mike	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Schreiber, Lonnie	RFD	Work
Stoke, Jeremy	RFD	SICK
Utveck, Ron	RFD	Vac
Valles, Rik	RFD	Work
Ward, Kevin	RFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Rogers, Adrian	SLC	
Carr, David	RBFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Shobash, Matthew	RBFD	<i>[Signature]</i>
Fincher, Howard	AFD	
Zufall, John	SCSO	Work
Boyes, Bill	CHP	<i>[Signature]</i>
Joiner, Steve	CHP	
Rickard, Ken	CHP	<i>[Signature]</i>

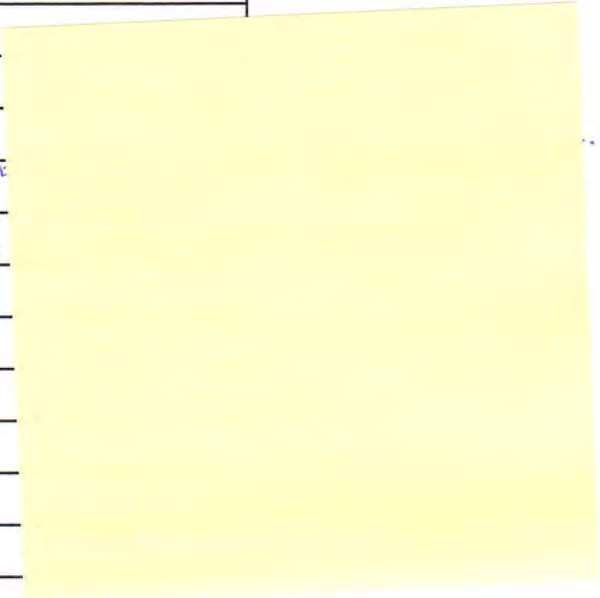
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Ross, Greg	CHP	
Joiner, Steve	CHP	
Rickard, Ken	CHP	<i>MSM</i>
Ross, Greg	CHP	
Scott, Jim	CHP	
Hilderbrand, Kevin	CHP	

NEW MEMBER

<i>KYLE FERRIS</i>	<i>CAL-FIRE SITU</i>	<i>KF</i> <i>CELL</i>
<i>Greg Tavalero</i>	<i>CAL-FIRE SITU</i>	<i>Greg Tavalero</i>



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2010 SCHMRT INCIDENT LOG

SCHMRT Incident Number	AGENCY Incident Number	Date	Substance	Location & Jurisdiction	SCHMRT Member
2010-01	CASHU000181	08-Jan-10	5 gal "Preserva Crete"	Buckhorn Summit - CHP	Reiling
2010-02	RFD2010-322	11-Jan-10	630 gal Raw Sewage	Redding - RFD	Valles
2010-03	RFD2010-470	16-Jan-10	5 gal Unknown Oil	Redding - RFD	Gray
2010-04	RFD2010-1767	25-Feb-10	Medicinal Lab Waste	Redding - RFD	Ward
2010-05	RFD2010-3087	08-Apr-10	5 lb Corn Starch	Redding - RFD	Gray
2010-06	RFD2010-3413	18-Apr-10	Pesticide	Redding - RFD	Valles
2010-07	RFD2010-6031	05-Jul-10	Raw Sewage	Redding - RFD	Gould