

## **OVERVIEW - COMMUNITY CONTINUITY, Phase I, II, III, IV**

**Phase I – OPENING THE DIALOGUE - Date: April 4, 2009 - Time: 8:00am to 12:00pm**

**Focus:** *Identify hazards – motivate dialogue- survey readiness - promote preparedness – and move towards Community Continuity. Discuss the role of community NGO's in disaster preparedness, response and recovery. When disaster strikes what demands will be placed on them, how they will cope, and how can they prepare! How can NGO's be a conduit to stakeholders and each other to promote preparedness to strengthen community continuity?*

**Invited Participants will be Community Leaders from:**

	<b># of Invitees:</b>
• Chamber of Commerce: (San Pedro, Harbor City, Wilmington)	3
• ILWU (63,94,13)and PMA	4
• Faith Based	8
• Non-Profits	8
• Neighborhood Councils	7
• Homeowner Groups	5
• Neighborhood Watch Groups	3
• Ham Radio	2
• CERT	3
• Community Groups: (Rotary, Elks, Kiwanis, Lions, Dalmatian Club, Croatian Club, Boy Scouts)	8

**Phase II - GETTING DOWN TO BUSINESS - Date: July 09'**

**Focus:** *Identify hazards – motivate dialogue- survey readiness - promote preparedness and move towards Community Continuity. Business and Industry are the back bone of the community but how well prepared are they? Are they an asset or liability? How do their emergency plans interact with those of the community? How can they promote preparedness now so that they and the community respond and recover quickly when disaster strikes?*

**Invited Participants will be business and Industry Leaders from:**

- One Representative from each entity participating in Phase I
- BICEPSS
- Repeats - Chamber of Commerce: (San Pedro, Harbor City, Wilmington)
- Repeats - ILWU (63,94,13 and other locals)
- Repeats - PMA
- Representatives from selected businesses and Port Industry
- AMSC – Shoreside Stakeholder Committee
- Industry: Leisure/Entertainment
- Refineries
- POLA
- POLB

**Phase III – CONNECTING THE DOTS - Date: October 09'**

**Focus:** *Connecting Business and Community Groups to responder agencies, response NPO's, public entities, city, county and federal emergency operations. Knowing what to expect, when and what help is coming, coordinating plans and communication. Working together to promote preparedness as a community priority.*

**Invited Participants will be Leaders from:**

- One Representative from each entity participating in Phase I & II
- City, County State Agencies (E.G LAPD, LAFD, USCG, Public Health, AMSC, EMD, Port Police)
- AMSC
- POLA - POLB
- (Private/Public): LAUSD, Harbor College, PTA'S, Day Care Facilities
- Nursing Homes
- Hospitals
- Animal Control
- Parks & Recreation
- Red Cross/Salvation Army
- Harbor Safety Committee

**Phase IV – PULLING IT ALL TOGETHER - Date: January 10'**

**Focus:** *Analysis of the Collaborative information, survey results, Presentation of written EOP, Outline of 2-Year STRATEGIC PLAN*

**Invited Participants will be Selected Representatives from previous participants in Phase I, II, III:**

## COMMUNITY CONTINUITY, Phase I - DRAFT AGENDA

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*ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES: Review Hazards & Challenges- Form a Communication Network - Document Emergency Preparedness Readiness...Status and Needs - Develop a Partnership Plan to Assure Improved Emergency Preparedness*

**Date: April 4, 2009 - Time: 8:00am to 12:00pm**

- 7:45am CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST, REGISTRATION & NETWORKING
- 8:15am OPENING PLENARY  
Introduction of Event and Keynote  
(Possible speaker - Councilwoman Janice Hahn or Jim Featherstone)
- 8:30am REALITY CHECK  
**Keynote Speaker, Dr. Lucy Jones**  
911 – *The line is busy!* (Possible speaker - Jeff Elder)  
“No way out of town...Shelter in place” (speaker to be determined)
- 9:15am Break / Networking
- 9:30am SETTING THE STAGE – *Community Continuity*  
Overview of concept, objectives and goals of the CC Harbor Area Initiative, Introduce 4-Phase agenda outlines
- 9:45am PANEL DISCUSSION - *COLLABORATION* (Connecting our Community)  
Participants to address issues & solutions:  
Potential speakers to include representatives from:  
ENLA  
COPE Preparedness (COPSS)  
Neighborhood Councils (such as Lake Balboa and Sherman Oaks)  
Mike Martinet, Area G  
Tracy Hopkins, City of Hermosa Beach (mapping)  
Red Cross  
EMD  
Moderator:  
*To be determined*
- 10:20am Break- Snacks
- 10:30am MEASURE OUR READINESS  
Break – out into Round Table Focus Groups  
Group completion of pre-determined Survey Questions
- 11:40am 20/20 VISION – *Moving Forward*  
Analysis of Break Out groups
- 12:00pm ADJOURN