

## JEFFERSON COUNTY Local Emergency Planning Committee

Dear Tier Two Provider:

October 12, 2023

"Local Emergency Planning Committees" (LEPC) are mandated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The purpose of the LEPC is to ensure the public is informed and protected through adequate preparation for possible chemical emergencies. Jefferson County's LEPC meets bi-monthly on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, at 11:00 AM at the Rockin' A Café, 3520 West Cardinal Drive Beaumont, TX 77705-2937, (409) 842-0010. We encourage members to visit our Website at: <a href="https://www.jeffcolepc.org">www.jeffcolepc.org</a> for all information regarding the LEPC including meeting times and locations. Meetings are open to anyone interested in promoting hazardous materials education and safety in our community.

You can begin paying 2024 dues from receipt of this letter. Dues can be paid by check or by paying online at <a href="https://www.jeffcolepc.org">www.jeffcolepc.org</a> (Apps & Fees/See attached).

## What your dues funded in 2023:

- Public awareness regarding Hurricane and Emergency Preparedness through electronic billboards throughout Jefferson County.
- The Southeast Texas Alerting Network (STAN) through electronic billboards.
- Emergency Preparedness presentations to various community groups.
- Training for emergency responders.
- Training for emergency management personnel.
- Administrative costs for Jefferson County LEPC.

We know that members rely on the LEPC to help meet regulatory, corporate and other requirements. Please ensure your organization retains its membership in good standing with the LEPC.

## Dues amounts are determined by the type of organization:

Industrial/Manufacturing/Pipeline/Oil/Chemical Production	\$750
Commercial/Vendor	\$350
Municipal/Emergency Response/Medical	\$50

Questions can be directed to: Jefferson County EMC, Robert Grimm or Deputy EMC, Jeff Phillips at (409) 835-8757 or, alternatively, you may inquire by email at: jeffry.phillips@jeffcotx.us

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE LEPC!

Sincerely,

Robert Grimm.

Co-Chairperson, LEPC