

**City of Redlands
Disaster Council
Minutes**

Monday, January 25, 2021
Zoom Meeting
Redlands, CA 92373

A. Call to Order (Esther Martinez)

- a. Meeting called to order at 4:00 p.m.

B. Public Comment (Esther Martinez)

- a. *(At this time, the Disaster Council will provide an opportunity for the public to address them on any subject within the jurisdiction of the Committee that is not already scheduled on this agenda. Please Note: No general discussion of such items or action on such items may be taken by the Committee. Comments are limited to three (3) minutes.)*

C. Introductions / Disaster Council Purpose (Esther Martinez)

- a. Esther Martinez

D. Approval of Minutes (Esther Martinez)

- a. Motion to approve the minutes of the October 26, 2020 meeting: Minutes Approved

E. Old Business

- a. No Follow-up items (Esther Martinez)

F. New Business – Presentation by Liliana Encinas, National Listos Program Director, “Listos: Disaster Preparedness Education for Vulnerable Populations”

- a. Introduce the Program

- i. History:

- 1. There was very little preparedness messaging offered to the Spanish speaking Community.
 - 2. The program was developed in Santa Barbara County in 2009.
 - 3. There was a roundtable discussion with Community Leaders, CBO’s that work with the Spanish speaking community so that the program could include everyone that would be a stake holder, to build a positive program

- ii. What was the Model for Listos

- 1. Various programs contributed to the way that Listos was developed.

2. The Promotores de Salud Program, CERT Curriculum, and other types of Spanish speaking Outreach.
- iii. What is Listos:
1. Listos provided information on the importance of disaster readiness in a very basic form.
 - a. Including the sharing of preparedness skills and information with family and friends.
 2. The 8 hour Curriculum included the following topics:
 - a. Identifying vulnerabilities in the home.
 - b. Important document back up
 - c. Fire extinguisher introduction
 - d. Disaster Supply kit
 - e. Utilities Shut Off
 - f. Creating Reunification and Communication Plans
 - g. Basic First Aid
 - h. Familiarity with Fire alarms and Carbon monoxide alarms.
 - i. Focuses on low cost to no cost preparedness
 - j. Provides education and information that serves participants not only during disasters, but also throughout their everyday lives.
 3. Due to COVID-19, Listos offers virtual educational options, we are currently not conducting any in-person training.
 - a. Zoom and Youtube are platforms that are used.
 4. Key Lessons
 - a. Meet them where they are (at work or home).
 - i. Neighborhood
 - ii. Mobile home parks
 - iii. Agricultural workers
 - iv. Foodbanks
 - b. Welcome Children
 5. Success of the program are:

- a. CERT State and National Conferences embraced the program.
 - b. The program received the Harriet Putum Award
 - c. We have partnerships with American Red Cross, Edison, PG&E, UC Santa Barbara, Community Colleges, and AMR.
 - d. The program has been implemented at the State Level.
 - e. The state granted the program through the California for All Grant 2019-2020.
6. What has happened now?
- a. Currently that are 58 Listos Program.
 - i. The City of Redlands being one of them.
 - b. The program has been translated into 11 different languages.
 - c. The curriculum has a new updated design.
7. All new Listos programs must be sponsored by a valid government agency. Agencies are:
- a. Local Fire Department
 - b. Local Police Department
 - c. Local Emergency Services Office
 - d. Only on a case by case basis non-governmental agencies can be considered as a sponsoring agency.

G. Agency Announcement

H. Member Announcements (Roundtable)

I. Possible agenda items for next meeting (?)

- a. There were no suggestions at this time.

J. Adjournment

- a. Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

The next Disaster Council Meeting will be held on April 26, 2021