



**Isabella County SSA Meeting  
May 5<sup>th</sup> 2021 Minutes**

**Meeting Called to Order: 1:32 PM Attendee's:**

Joe Maxey - TPD	Main, Mike-ICSO
Barton, Leanne - GIRESD	McNally, Jennifer-CMHCM
Beltinck, Rick-MPPD	Sawyer, Luke-Shepherd PD
Chilman, Bill-Beal City Schools	Greg Mcillan, Shepherd Schools
Lisa Bergman, Renaissance	Verleger, Jennifer – Mt. Pleasant Schools
Johnson, Lt. Dave-MSP	Don Sytsema, MPPD

**Directors Report:**

- None

**Gratiot/Isabella RESD:**

- None

**District Updates:**

- Beal City – Discussed the difficulties with COVID and contract tracing that the schools are having, including the continual changes from MDHHS.
- Mt. Pleasant – Discussed the 10 day versus the 14 quarantine changes from MDHHS this week. Spoke about the community and law enforcement support involving some recent media attention.
- Morey Flex – No Report.
- Shepherd- Mcmillan stated that he will be done at the end of the school year. The district has hired a Terry Starr from Kalkaska area.
- Renaissance Academy-Discussed the construction and parking issues that they have been dealing with the last few weeks. The school has worked on a parking lot plan that is working.
- Sacred Heart Academy-No Report.
- Weidman Elementary-No Report.
- Community Mental Health – CMH has been very busy the last few weeks. Stated that are trying to get caught up on assessments. Indicated that a second person will be assigned to the schools to help with case load. WNEM will host a phone bank session for call in's in regards to anyone needed mental health services and/or if they have questions.
- There are a lot of information in regards to programs and an app on the CMH website for anyone that would like it.  
<https://www.cmhcm.org/>

**Law Enforcement:**

- Sheriff Main talked about the recent shooting in the apartment complex and another recent armed robbery. Discussed the uptick in violent matters and encounters in our county, state and country.
- Chief Sawyer spoke about a recent incident involving student(s) that damaged several thousands of dollars to the school.
- Lt. Sytsema talked about the violence that we have seen as well in the community.
- Lt. Johnson spoke about a group that was video taping the post and other public buildings again today. Sheriff indicated that they were at the Sheriff's Office as well. This group had been here a few months ago and they are usually looking for someone to become

constitutional with them. They call themselves the constitutional crusaders. Lt Sytsema indicated that they had been video taping schools in other districts in the past. [https://www.youtube.com/results?search\\_query=michigan+constitutional+crusader](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=michigan+constitutional+crusader)

**Old Business:**

- None

**New Business:**

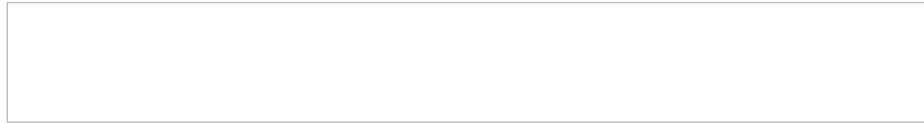
- Discussed having the June meeting, typically we do not have the June as the schools are so busy at that time of year. It was agreed to not have the June meeting. There will be radio checks in June.

**Announcements:**

- None

**Next Meeting Date:** NEXT and a BETTER Year, have a great summer!

Isabella County School Safety Radio Test Log											
Shepherd	ID Number	Yes or No	Quality	Mt Pleasant	ID Number	Yes or No	Quality	Tribal Schools	ID Number	Yes or No	Quality
ODYSSEY	2C05	No		MT PLEASANT I.T. OFFICE	1C07	No		SAG CHIP BROADWAY	5C04	Yes	Good
SHEP BUS GARAGE	2C00			MT PLEASANT TRANSPORTATION	6C02	No		SAG CHIP OGEMAW	5C14	Yes	Good
SHEP CENTRAL OFFICE	2C01	Yes	Good	MT PLEASANT CENTRAL OFFICE	1C01	Yes	Good	<b>Beal City</b>	<b>ID Number</b>	<b>Yes or No</b>	<b>Quality</b>
SHEP ELEMENTARY	2C04	Yes	Good	GRATIOT-ISABELLA TECH EDUCATION CENTER	1C44	No		BEAL CITY CENTRAL OFFICE	3C01	Yes	Good
SHEP HIGH SCHOOL	2C02	Yes	Good	FANCHER ELEMENTARY	1C24	Yes	Good	BEAL CITY ELEMENTARY	3C04	No	
SHEP MIDDLE SCHOOL	2C03	Yes	Good	GANIARD ELEMENTARY	1C54	Yes	Good	BEAL CITY HIGH/MIDDLE	3C02	Yes	Good
WINN ELEMENTARY	2C14	Yes	Good	KINNEY DAYCARE	1C44	Yes	Good	<b>Other</b>	<b>ID Number</b>	<b>Yes or No</b>	<b>Quality</b>
<b>Not Active</b>	<b>ID Number</b>	<b>Yes or No</b>	<b>Quality</b>	MARY MCGUIRE ELEMENTARY	1C04	Yes	Good	RENAISSANCE	6C14	Yes	Good
BEAL CITY ALT ED	3C05	No Test		MPHS	1C02	Yes	Good	SACRED HEART ELEMENTARY	7C04	Yes	Good
EOC	6C04	No Test		OASIS	1C05	No		SACRED HEART HIGH	7C02	Yes	Good
<b>Peak Programs (SPM TEST)</b>	<b>ID Number</b>	<b>Yes or No</b>	<b>Quality</b>	PULLEN ELEMENTARY	1C34	Yes	Good	WHITE PINES	6C24	No	
FANCHER PEAK	1C26	No Test		WEST INTERMEDIATE	1C03	Yes	Good	ST JOSEPH THE WORKER	7C14	Yes	Good
GANIARD PEAK	1C76	No Test		VOWELS ELEMENTARY	1C14	Yes	Good	WEIDMAN ELEMENTARY	8C04	No	
MARY MCGUIRE PEAK	1C06	No Test		ROSEBUSH	1C64	Yes	Good	COMMISSION ON AGING	8C80	Yes	Good
PULLEN PEAK	1C36	No Test		MT PLEASANT CITY HALL PEAK	1C56	Yes	Good	MOREY FLEX SCHOOL	6C02	Yes	Good
WEST INTERMEDIATE PEAK	1C36	No Test		KINNEY (SPECIAL ED DEPT)		Yes	Good	FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHU	6C06	Yes	Good
VOWLES PEAK		No Test						MICHIGAN WORKS	1C66	Yes	Good
WINN WAC PROGRAM		No Test						RESD (WINDING BROOK)	2C06	Yes	Good



- Steps to activate and perform a monthly radio check
- 1) Call central dispatch at 989 773 1000
    - a. Identify who you are and that you will be performing the monthly school radio check
    - b. Ask them to activate the countywide alert system on the SSA radio
  - 2) Once the alert tones have went off on the radio pick up the MIC and began the check by stating
    - a. SSA radio check to (school/entity that you are calling) radio check.
    - b. If the school answers then mark them down as "Yes", if they don't respond mark them as "no"
    - c. If the transmission is weak or poor please mark that as well (if transmission is clear leave blank)
  - 3) Once the check is done email the results to [isabellacountyschools@gmail.com](mailto:isabellacountyschools@gmail.com)
  - 4) Remind all to reset radio's by turning off and on.