

COMMUNITY

Nicholas County LEPC – Sept. meeting

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Members of the Nicholas County LEPC (Local Emergency Planning Committee), which included Nicholas County Emergency

Management Director and Fire Chief Doug French, Judge-Exec. Steve Hamilton, and representatives from the Nicholas County Fire Department, Nicholas County EMS service, Nicholas County Schools, Nicholas County Sheriff's Department, and Willowbrook Healthcare, met on

Monday, Sept. 8, 2025, at 4:00pm, at the Nicholas County Courthouse, for their regularly scheduled meeting.

Chief French called the meeting to order with approval of the minutes from the last regularly held monthly meeting, and approval of the treasurer's report.

Under old business, the committee discussed the future purchase of an ID maker for city and county use, at an approximate cost of \$2,899.00. The committee previously purchased new chairs for the Nicholas County Fiscal Court courtroom, where the LEPC meetings are held. These purchases are legal, credible expenses the LEPC are allowed.

Under new business, Chief French reports that he would take care of the Membership Cover Page, which is due by Nov. 30, 2025. The committee also discussed the By-Laws, which the committee only has six, and inventory, both of which are due by Nov. 30, 2025, as well.

Chief French gave a copy of a public notice to Ky News Group to be published in the newspaper, by Dec. 31, 2025.

The committee also approved payments of \$100.00 each to Wendy Dailey and a

member of Attorney Dawn Letcher's staff for services rendered to the LEPC, which include data entry / administration support / clerical work.

Before adjournment, the committee held a round-table discussion regarding scheduling a mock disaster drill and walkthrough at NCES and NCMHS, possibly around the Christmas break; and scheduling a walkthrough at Willowbrook Healthcare.

The committee also discussed the usage of an emergency generator at the schools and possibly putting in a manual transfer switch for such generator usage.

The next LEPC meeting is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 4, 2025, at 4:00pm, at the Nicholas County Courthouse.

The meeting was subsequently adjourned.

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