

Regional Parish OHSEP Director's Subcommittee  
State of Louisiana

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JOE GANOTE  
CHAIRMAN

Regional Parish OHSEP Director's Monthly Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, August 13, 2019 at 10:00 AM  
GOHSEP Over Watch  
7667 Independence Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA

### ATTENDEES

Lee John, Darren Guidry, Hector Villarreal, Neal Brown, Patrick Harvey, Pam Roussel, John Taylor, Evan Thomason, Collins Simoneaux, Darryl Delatte, Cade McLemore, Bobbi Joe Breland, Joe Ganote, Tracy Hilburn, Rubby Douglas, Kevin James, Brian Crawford, James Waskom, Teresa Basco, and Toni Rochelle

### WELCOME

Joe Ganote called the meeting to order at 10:17 AM. He completed roll call and a quorum was established. He welcomed everyone.

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### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Patrick Harvey made a motion to approve the minutes and Neal Brown seconded the motion. There was no opposition. The June 2019 minutes were approved.

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### GOHSEP UPDATES, Declarations and Cyber Event

Director Waskom

- The Audio & Visual upgrades in the State EOC, Over Watch, Media and Conference Rooms are completed.
- Director Waskom gave updates on the recent Cyber Ransom Ware attacks:
  - Chris Guilbeaux and his team was assigned to come up with a Response Plan
  - EFS-17 Cyber Security, Kevin Breaux (GOHSEP), Devin King (LSP Cyber Crime Unit), Dustin Glover (Office of Technically Services, CISO) Brant Mitchell (Stephenson Disaster Management Institute, Executive Director) put together about an 85% solution on Response and the EFS-17 Annex Plan. We are currently up to about 90% completion.
  - The Co-leads on the Office of Technically Support and LANG
  - Currently the National Guard has two Cyber Protection Teams trained and certified in Cyber Security
- Sabine Parish
  - Sabine Parish was the first to be hit with the Cyber Attack
  - OTS determined that Sabine Parish files were totally encrypted to include their backup server and phone system

- Their system was rebuilt from the ground up. National Guard along with volunteers from IBM, CenturyLink, and Microsoft came in to assist with rebuilding the whole system.
- Others that were attacked include: Morehouse, City of Bastrop, Tangipahoa Parish and Sheriff's Office, East Carroll, Secretary of State, Dept. of Corrections and Law Enforcement.
- We were able to prevent four events and attacks.

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## **IA PDA**

Rubby Douglas

- Rubby expressed the importance of collecting data from the Parishes for IA PDA
- Teams are out in the field this week conducting PDAs in Allen and Calcasieu Parishes
- IA PDA team will be working with the Regional Coordinators to collect information from home owners and the Parishes

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## **Open Discussion**

- Regional Director's Updates
- Guy McInnis will continue on as St. Bernard Parish President
- Jefferson Parish will be electing a new Parish President in the upcoming election
- Rachel Wilkinson has been named the new Ascension Parish OHSEP Director
- Kevin James gave a briefing on upcoming Cyber Conferences in North Louisiana
- Brian Crawford was introduced as the new GOHSEP Critical Infrastructure Specialist
- Interviews are going to be conducted next week for the School Safety position.
- The Louisiana Principal Association will be meeting in Lake Charles on September 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>
- Next Meeting will be held on September 10, 2019 at 10:00 AM in the OverWatch

The motion to adjourn was made by Patrick Harvey, seconded by Bobby Joe Breland.  
Meeting adjourned at 11:40 AM