

From: Allen, Meredith
Sent: 9/5/2014 2:15:07 PM
To: 'Solis, Maria' (Maria.Solis@cpuc.ca.gov)
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: RE: Draft South Napa Earthquake Response and an Observer Ground Rules from Sempra

Hi Maria,

Thanks for sending. I agree that we should have a similar handout and will provide to our emergency team. We will work on the PSEP list.

I hope you have a great weekend!

Meredith

-----Original Message-----

From: Solis, Maria [mailto:Maria.Solis@cpuc.ca.gov]

Sent: Friday, September 05, 2014 1:13 PM

To: Allen, Meredith

Subject: RE: Draft South Napa Earthquake Response and an Observer Ground Rules from Sempra

Hello Meredith and I hope you're having a great Friday. I just received this attachment from Sempra and thought it might be helpful for you to provide something similar to your observers in the future.

Below is part of the summary I wrote for Denise this morning at 7 AM that I said I'd email to you today. Thank you so much for your list it was perfect and I included it in the body of my email. I'd been talking to Liza about using the Napa event as an opportunity whenever we can to talk about the positive aspects of the new CA Public Utility Code that has been written since San Bruno and the fact the PG&E took the initiative to start the PSEP projects before the final decision was approved by the Commission.

This is the first opportunity Denise has had and I expect there will be more opportunities in the future including during the de-brief meeting we have on 10/16 (recall we discussed adding the benefit of the PSEP program to the agenda).

Anyway, this write-up was short, however it's start to show results of collaboration between PG&E and the Commission and improvements made since San Bruno. It's nice to focus on achievements! I expect in the future I will be asked for a more detailed list of PSEP improvements in the Napa/Sonoma area. It would be helpful to add to your to do list for me:) a list of PSEP projects in the area of the quake that have been completed to date. If I could get this list in 2 weeks that would be great. Thanks and have a fabulous weekend, Maria

Here is an excerpt from the email:

If this is a good opportunity to give the Commission and our Legislators some kudos you can also mention the following: Since the San Bruno incident revision to the CA Public Utilities Code (PUC) and additional enforcement from SED on top of our existing Federal Gas Safety Code, contributed to the minor infrastructure damage in the Napa/Sonoma area due to this 6.0 magnitude earthquake.

* The majority of the high consequence area and class 3 and 4 pipeline safety and enhancement projects (PSEP) have been complete since mid-2014 in the Napa/Sonoma area. Major grandfathered transmission lines have been replaced, automated valves installed, and existing transmission pipes have been strength tested, all in

the spirit of ensuring our utilities have traceable, verifiable, and complete records.

* For example, a major transmission line in Jameson Canyon that was a grandfathered pipeline, near the fault line was replaced last year.

* In addition, many improvements related to emergency response and outreach to local first responders have also occurred due to the revised CA PUC in the last three years. The revised Gas and Electric Emergency Response Plans written since the San Bruno incident and the extensive outreach to first responders proved to provide the additional training and preparation necessary to respond to this event. As evident in the rapid and concise communication between local first responders, PG&E, and our SED team in order to restore customers in a timely manner.

Have a Blessed Day and be SAFE, Sincerely, Maria

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-----Original Message-----

From: Allen, Meredith [mailto:MEAe@pge.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 04, 2014 10:42 PM
To: Solis, Maria
Subject: Re: Draft South Napa Earthquake Response

Thanks. Would be great to see the additions. Have a good night.

On Sep 4, 2014, at 10:13 PM, "Solis, Maria" <Maria.Solis@cpuc.ca.gov<mailto:Maria.Solis@cpuc.ca.gov>> wrote:

Perfect, thank you so much. I'll forward you what I add. I'm going to use this second opportunity to highlight all the PG&E positives since San Bruno. Sweet dreams

Have a blessed and SAFE day :-)

----- Original message -----

From: "Allen, Meredith"
Date:09/04/2014 9:16 PM (GMT-08:00)
To: "Solis, Maria"
Subject: Draft South Napa Earthquake Response

Maria,

Attached is the draft response. Please let me know if this works.

Thanks,
Meredith

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