

Facility Disaster Planning Subcommittee

August 18, 2011



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Hillsborough County Tier II Records Assessment

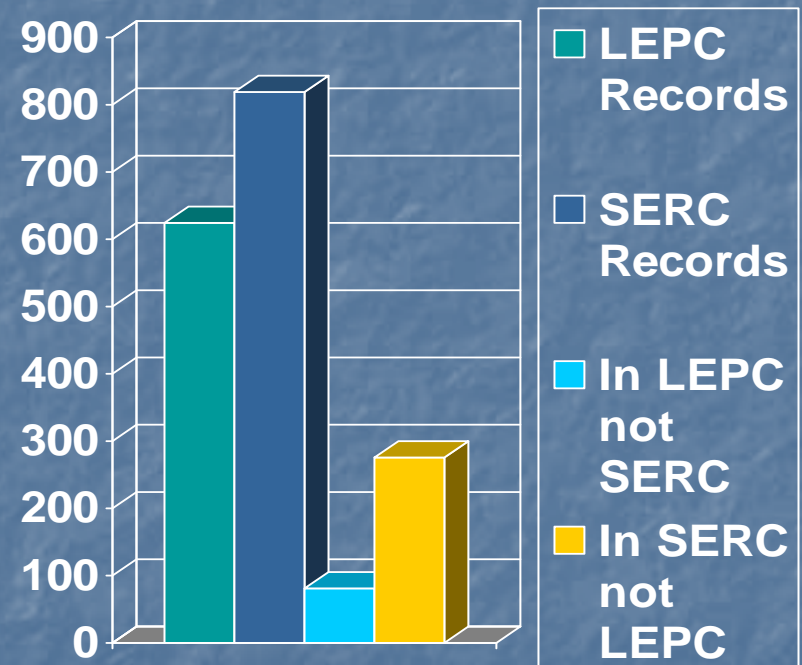
Inventory Prior to Assessment

LEPC Records – 625

SERC Records – 817

LEPC not SERC - 83

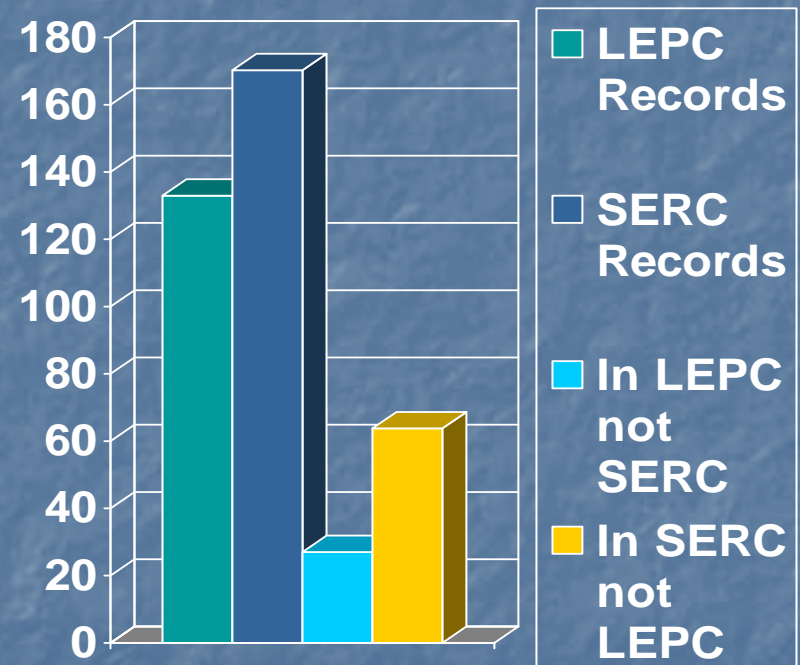
SERC not LEPC - 275



Manatee County Tier II Records Assessment

Inventory Prior to Assessment

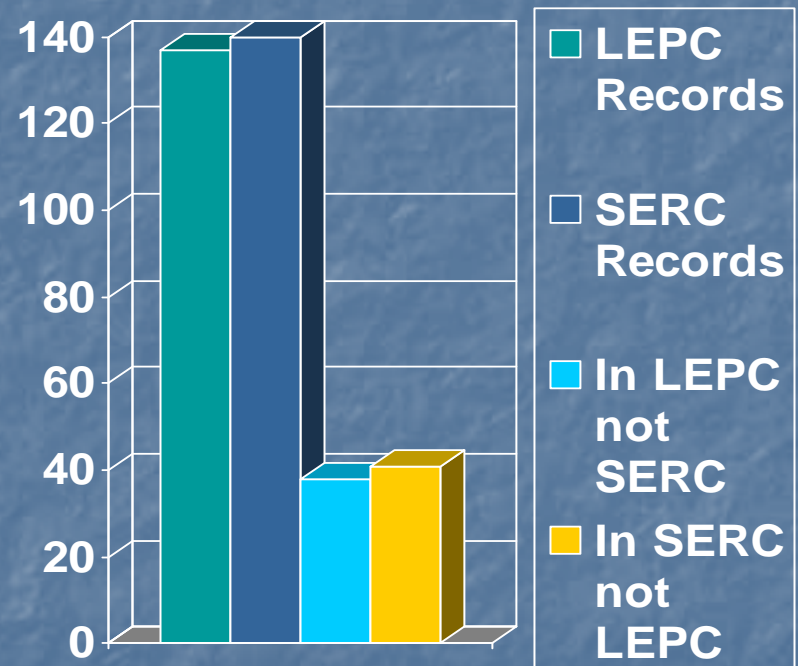
LEPC Records – 133
SERC Records – 170
LEPC not SERC - 27
SERC not LEPC - 64



Pasco County Tier II Records Assessment

Inventory Prior to Assessment

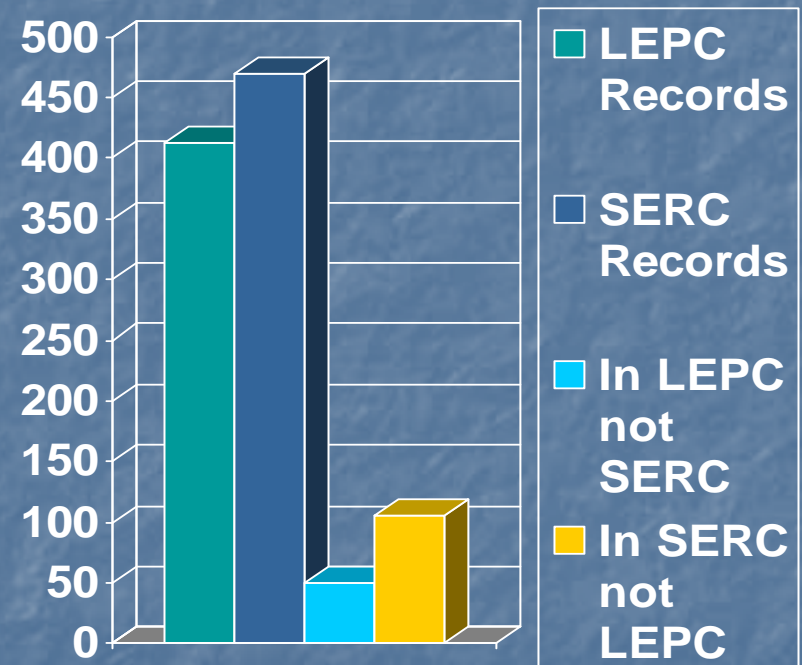
LEPC Records – 137
SERC Records – 140
LEPC not SERC - 38
SERC not LEPC - 41



Pinellas County Tier II Records Assessment

Inventory Prior to Assessment

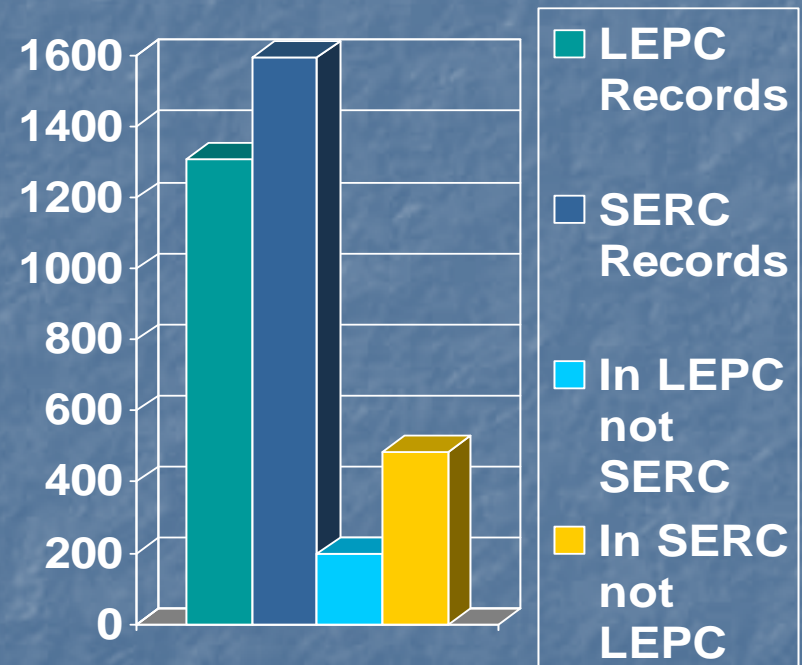
LEPC Records – 413
SERC Records – 469
LEPC not SERC - 50
SERC not LEPC - 106



Tampa Bay LEPC Tier II Records Assessment

Inventory Prior to Assessment

LEPC Records – 1,308
SERC Records – 1,596
LEPC not SERC - 198
SERC not LEPC - 486



Observations

- Many Chemical Types & Quantities varied between Data Sources;
- Numerous “SERC Only” Facilities were farms, hospitals, golf courses, car dealers, marinas and/or Oil Change/Lube companies;
- Several “SERC Only” facilities appeared to be located Outside represented County

Observations (Cont'd)

- Many “LEPC Only” Facilities were Tier II records from 2007 (or earlier). No record of Facility closure received by LEPC;
- Numerous Chemicals under Threshold were reported on Tier IIs;
- Facility Contact information was often that of Consulting Firm and/or Out-of-State representative(s);

Observations (Cont'd)

- Although not Required, e-mail addresses were provided for about 10-15% of all Facilities that reported;
- It appears that Container information was occasionally transposed; and
- Some Facilities continue to recognize Range Codes for their "Maximum Daily Amounts" rather than Pounds, as required.

**Facility Disaster Planning
Subcommittee Purpose and
Mission Statement**

Purpose and Mission Statement

- Outreach and educate area hazmat facilities and share planning experiences
- Arrange speakers to support workshops
- Recognize facilities having great planning, readiness, and response
- Encourage facilities to share lessons learned from past disasters

Purpose and Mission Statement

- Help large facilities improve disaster preparedness with training workshops
- Assess and rate disaster potential from Tier II Review
- Assess preparedness of high risk facilities for area-wide disasters

Area Wide Disaster Brainstorming Forum – July 14

Representatives from the following attended the Forum

- ACT
- Aerosonic Corp.
- AT&T
- CENTCOM
- Chemical Formulators
- City of Dunedin
- CSX Transportation
- Dunedin Fire Dept.
- Hillsborough Medical Reserve Corps
- HRP Associates
- Pasco Cogen
- Rooms to Go
- Salon Centric
- SATCO
- Transitions Optical
- Universal Waste & Transit

Facility Disaster Preparedness Forum – July 14, 2011

The Forum was designed to promote interaction between representatives of facilities storing hazmats, first responders and others regarding preparations prior to and following area-wide natural disasters.

Facility Disaster Preparedness Forum – July 14, 2011

Highlights

1. Need for Chemical facility access into affected areas
 - Maybe a nationally, regionally, or locally-recognized certifiable badge system to allow access of appropriate personnel into affected areas and/or across State/County/City lines.
 - Who would issue such badges? DHS/TSA? FL SERC/DEM? County DEM? Local FD?

Facility Disaster Preparedness Forum – July 14, 2011

Highlights (Cont'd)

2. Pre-disaster and shutdown inventories of hazmats
 - Aboveground Tank inventories
 - fill tanks to equalize anticipated pressure and make unfloatable; **OR**
 - Reduce or remove inventories from region
 - Conducting pre-strike hazmat inventories.

Facility Disaster Preparedness Forum – July 14, 2011

Highlights (Cont'd)

- Post Disaster Communications – Public disaster response agencies may take command of area-wide cell phone service and/or fuel sources.
- Neighboring facilities - Although Facilities may be spared from significant damage, they may still be at great risk from adjacent affected facilities.

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Highlights (Cont'd)

- Noting that local resources may be scarce or not available immediately following a disaster, it may be advantageous to pre-coordinate necessary resources from other parts of State and/or entirely out of State.

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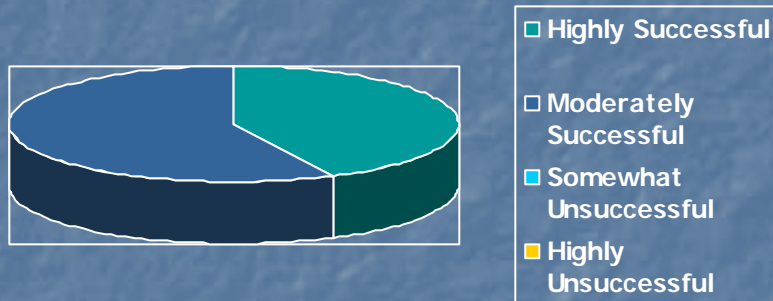
Facilities may want to consider:

- establish “Rally Point” 3-4 days following disaster for uniting facility personnel of affected areas.
- get Out-of-State contact info for employees; and
- Set up social media network or website to serve as communication network with employees

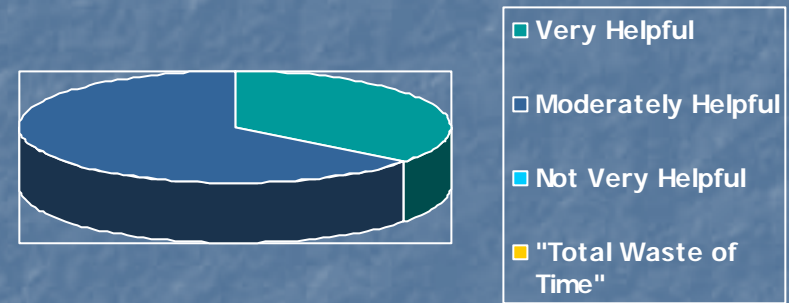
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Forum Evaluation Results

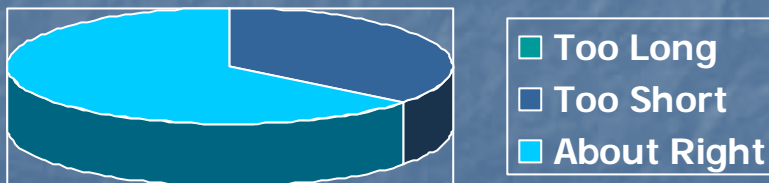
Success in meeting Objectives



How helpful to attendees personally



Length of Forum



Was Facilitator qualified to Guide Forum?



Facility Disaster Preparedness Forum – July 14, 2011

Other Remarks Received

- Need better instruction/guidance for completing Tier II electronic filing; and
- *“What some of the County and regional procedures are in disaster situations – especially focusing on area-wide disasters.”*

Next Brainstorming Forum

- Wednesday, September 7 2 pm – 3:30 pm
- Opportunities for improvement
- Tidal surges - optional

LEPC/Local Fire Departments -

- Communicating LEPC affairs to LFDs
- LFDs communicating and promoting LEPC events
- LFDs communicating new potential facilities to LEPC for Tier II reporting or training
- Joint Tier II training with LEPC and LFD

Wrap-up

- Other Issues/Comments
- Future Subcommittee Meetings
- Action Items from Today's meeting
- Adjournment