

# Agenda

## **Cachagua Community Task Force**

December 4, 2008

*Attendees: Katie and Alan Wheat (Thanks for the use our your outdoor space for meeting!), Jamie del Valle, John Russo*

### **Announcements**

*Notes from meeting: Our website [www.cachagua.net](http://www.cachagua.net) is now linked on [www.cachaguafire.com](http://www.cachaguafire.com) and vice-versa! Thanks Jamie!*

### **What's Next?**

#### CERT Program

- 1) Need to get word out for sign-ups for January Training
  - a. Dates are Jan 10<sup>th</sup>, Jan 17<sup>th</sup>, and either Jan 24<sup>th</sup> or Feb 5<sup>th</sup>
  - b. Make Poster
  - c. Distribute Posters
  - d. Email announcement
  - e. Newspaper announcementAll communications should list [www.cachagua.net](http://www.cachagua.net) in case we need to announce changes, updates, etc.

*Notes from meeting: we need to include a better explanation of what CERT is about. This is FREE community training. This is about us, we the community, saving ourselves in an emergency. The goal is increased self reliance. It should be clear to the community that getting the free training is the top priority, and no one has to commit to becoming a certified CERT member to take the training.*

- 2) Need Roster
  - a. Need point person
  - b. Online registration form emails info to point person

#### Potter Meeting

##### Ideas

- 1) Request county install additional roadside message boards. Where?
- 2) Pre-negotiate w/ USFS to have a policy to strongly favor inclusion of CERT team on any incident command they lead. Request help.

*Notes from meeting: the group did not feel this was something that we should pursue. Concern this may be perceived as heavy handed by some. Other issues that were requested to be raised were: a) battery back-up for AT&T cell tower, b) county contacts in public works, c) predetermined Red Cross evacuation sites*

*(suggestion to contact Nancy Lambert about this, also suggestion that perhaps Rana Creek could be a good location)*

- 3) Sponsorship issue needs to be resolved. Request help from his office to resolve before training begins.

### **Misc. Action Items**

- 1) Need to get presentation from Rob for website
- 2) Schedule meeting w/ Sheriff. Purpose, update and sync.
- 3) Schedule meeting w/ Farr. Purpose: get support for to encourage USFS to strongly favor inclusion of cert on IC command for any incident they control. Also pursue MAC status.

*Notes from meeting: There is no interested in the task force on this issue.*

- 4) Contact Lou Bauman and request his assistance to resolve sponsorship issue.
- 5) Add link to website for “Disaster Service Worker Volunteer Program Guidance” Document that Rob discussed at meeting.
- 6) Contact Big Sur folks and get update on how things are going w/ them, pitfalls, etc.

*Notes from meeting: additional item raised to set a permanent time/place for Cachagua Community Taskforce meetings in the future. John will try to set up a schedule and location for January – June. Meeting place suggestions: general store, rock house, Cachagua firestation.*