#### MAY 2016







# Montgomery County CERT General Meeting





#### Tonight's Agenda

- **CERT Business** 
  - Reports
  - Upcoming opportunities

Featured speaker Ben Koshy, Special Ops, MC-CERT

Field Searches

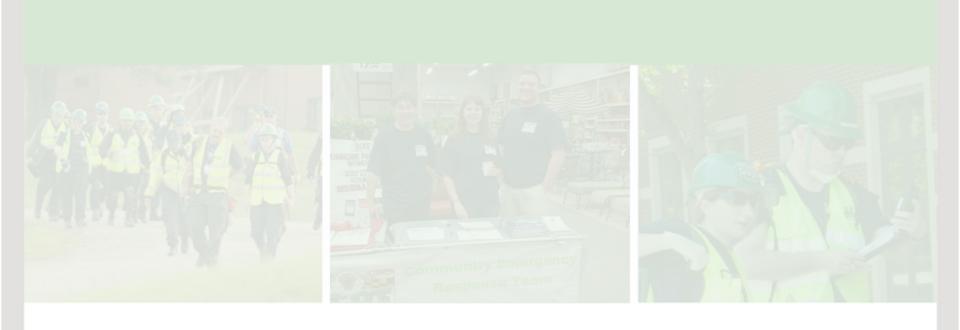


## Outreach



#### **Outreach Items**

- WHO: National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)
- WHAT Safety Fair
- WHEN: Wednesday September 14th; 10am-- 4pm:
- WHERE: 5601 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md.
- WHY: Outreach to the Business/Gov't community
- HOW: Table AND a SPEAKER (CERT intro and role)
- HOW Many: I recommend FOUR (4) CERTS to have some depth to the operation; (in case one person drops)



Operations



#### Pending GoTeam Activities

- Expect two field exercises between now at 6/30
  - Review your equipment
  - Understand the CERT call out procedures
  - Be current in CERVIS
  - Participate in the comm checks



## Animal Services Division Support Request

- MOU/MOA still pending
- A managers meeting is expected soon







# **Training**



#### ASHI Friends and Family First Aid Training

- ASHI First Aid Training
- Event Date/Time: Thu, Jun 23, 2016 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM
- Event Meeting Location:
   PSHQ
   100 Edison Park Dr. Gaithersburg, MD 20878
- Event Registration Code: AYtTUK



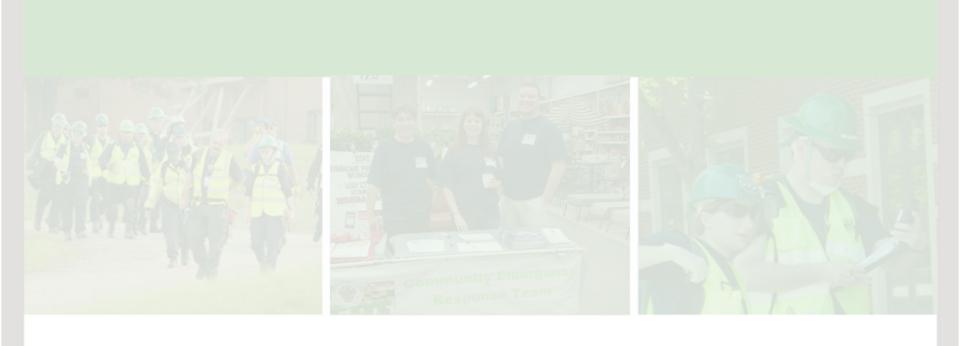
#### Bystander Care Training

- Bystander Care Training will be offered to CERT members for a Saturday class.
- Event Date/Time: Sat, Jun 25th, 2016
- Event Meeting Location:
   PSHQ
   100 Edison Park Dr. Gaithersburg, MD 20878
- Event Registration Code: <u>VArryz</u>



#### **CERT Training Fall 2016**

Project dates 10/5—11/12



# **Upcoming Events**



#### "Mock Victim" Opportunities

- 5/14- CERT Pre-Final Exercise- PSHQ
- 5/18- MCFRS Readiness Drill- PSTA
- 5/21- CERT Final Practical- PSHQ



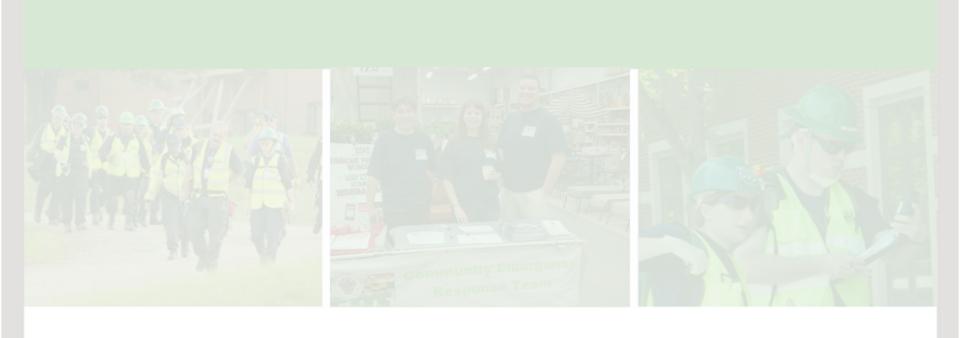
#### CERT Con 2016

• Scheduled for late September (9/24-25) in Fairfax County



#### Storm Camp

- Expected in early October
- Leadership Team Discussing Venue Options

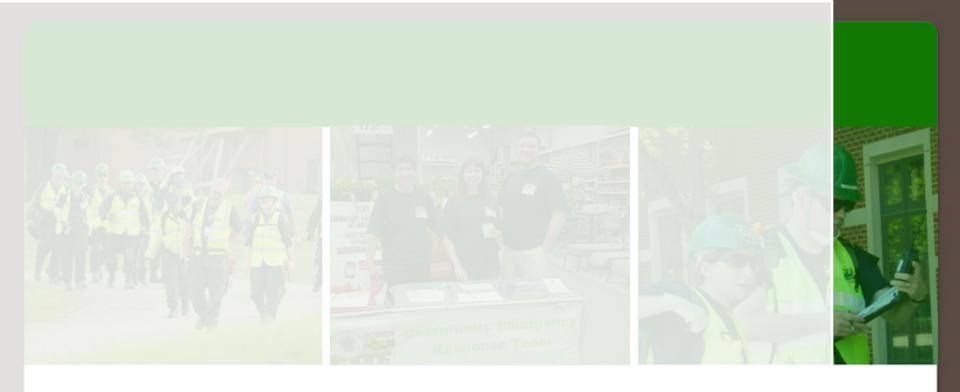


## **Organizational News**



#### **Completed Events**

- Moulage support for MCFRS readiness training
  - 05/09 and 05/10/16
  - Chiefs VERY pleased with our response and skill



## **FEATURED SPEAKER**



## Tonight's Speaker

Ben Koshy, Special Ops Lead



#### **CERT SKILLS utilization**

• Did anyone use their CERT Skills this month?





May Birthdays:
Jamie Crotts- May 20
David Steele- May 2



#### Next General Meeting

- Please join us on June 9th here at PSHQ
  - Sign up in CERVIS







# **Thank You**