

## Mt. Rainier CERT Meeting Notes, 9-21-22

President Melissa Barringer called the meeting to order at 7:34 pm with Karen and Mark also in attendance.

The notes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved.

It was agreed we will continue to meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday, 7:30 pm

Karen will lead the Community Relations and Outreach Committee

It is agreed that upon completing the CERT 2 day basic training course and the evening CPR and First Aid course a CERT member becomes a 'lead responder,' with complete voting privileges and other benefits, such as they may be.

Members have 12 months from the time they joined the group to complete all seven courses offered by OEM.

As members complete a course, they shall review the experience at a subsequent CERT meeting.

By-Laws review:

A quorum is defined as at least half the total number of 'Lead Responders.'

The Secretary's duties include: preparing notes of each meeting, correspondence, information management and filling in for the President.

Strike the entirety of Article 4, Board of Directors, as there are not enough members to fill those positions.

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Article 6., Nominating Committee, needs further review and Melissa will provide a re-work.

Officers shall serve one year terms and are term limited at 2 yrs.

A dummy baby and half an adult dummy have been purchased for \$258.00.

‘Marketing’ Mt. Rainier Cert was discussed – how to get more people interested in actively joining us. If you have ideas, please let us know. Karen is hoping within the next year to recruit 10 Lead Responders and 30 Support members.

Public Safety Night is Friday, September 23, between 5 and 9 pm at the Nature Center. Please sign up to help if you can.