

ARPEC Minutes
6 May 2010, 1330 Classroom #2
Dress: Business casual or uniform of the day
Breaks as needed

Mission: To transform labor-management relations from confrontation over rights to collaboration on achieving improved Military Readiness, Public Service, and Individual Quality of Life

Attendees: COL Faber, COL McHenry, COL Ashenhurst, COL Driesbach, COL Ore, LTC Wirth, LTC Rogers, G., LTC Rogers, H., MAJ Buck, MAJ Mikula, CPT Schwade, CPT Barrowcliff, Mr. Tanner, Mr Shafer, Mr. Wille, Mr. Hill, Mr. Lykins, Mr. Gooch, 1LT Scott

Attendance at this meeting constituted a quorum.

Item

Status

1. Previous Minutes & LPC Metrics

Standing Item

The minutes were reviewed and accepted. The metrics were reviewed. All LPC's are meeting timely with quorum. CSMS 10-01, Computer Reimaging issues, is being addressed by the J6 to the satisfaction of the LPC. All facilitator positions are filled and trained. MAJ Durbin will be the ARPEC alternate facilitator. MAJ Mikula will be the primary. Units are up to date on IBB training. The management members of the contract negotiation team need IBB training. Those individuals will be scheduled for the 14 July 2010 class.

2. Overdue Appraisals

Standing Item

There are no overdue appraisals to report.

3. Energy Conservation

Standing Item

Mr. Gooch gave a presentation on Energy Conservation. The Adjutant General's Department, Army National Guard, is 7% below the Governor's goal. The Beightler solar project is progressing on schedule for completion in June. Other solar projects in Toledo and Ravenna will be complete and online in the very near future.

4. Safety Issue Update

Standing Item

The Facilities Maintenance Sub-working Group identified and cleared the majority of the deficiencies since the last meeting. The coordination efforts and progress of the group is excellent. Occupational Health is meeting the vendor of the ventilation systems to identify how they were tested. Still awaiting a report from NGB Occupational Health.

5. Facilities Construction

Standing Item

The DIMR office provided an update of the many ongoing construction projects. The Ohio National Guard continues to leverage federal funds for the construction and maintenance of facilities. CSMS Phase II will likely be complete in September 2011. The USPFO Warehouse on DSCC is projected to open earlier than expected in Spring 2011.

6. *Technicians and Force Protection Duties*

Discussion

The J2 office provided a briefing outlining the requirements for moving our armory to Force Protection Condition (FPCON) Alpha to Delta. The general requirements are expected to be a trained, equipped and identified staff that conducts rehearsals. The group discussed the requirements and potential scenarios requiring such a force and requested further clarification from the Adjutant General. The group agreed that the information presented was excellent for situational awareness and that if the Adjutant General’s guidance requires the group to address the issue that they would do so accordingly.

7. *Government Travel Card (GTC) Issues*

Discussion

The group discussed scenarios where a technician is issued a GTC for fulltime employment and uses the card for military travel and subsequently fails to pay the bill or otherwise misuses the card. The group discussed who is responsible to ensure the technician pays the bill (FTUS supervisor or military commander). Labor would like the issue to be handled in the technician lane if the misuse or unpaid bill is the result of technician travel and for the military channels to handle misuse of unpaid bills that occur for military travel. The Staff Judge Advocate office agreed but added that a military commander should not be precluded from taking administrative action to correct the behavior. The group requested a formal inquiry from NGB-JA to clarify what the limits are for the FTUS supervisor and the military commander. The group agreed to have this issue back on the agenda for the next meeting and requested copies of all relevant regulations and TPRs with appropriate passages highlighted.

Next Meetings:

ARPEC	5 August 2010, 1330
JPEC	1 July 2010, 1200
Statewide Symposium	January 2011
ARPEC Town Hall Meetings	5 & 12 April 2012

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