

ARPEC Minutes
10 February 2011, HR Classroom
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 Harris, COL McHenry, COL Rogers, LTC Wirth, LTC Rogers, G., LTC Mikula, MAJ Rogers, Mr. Tanner, Mr. Dohrman, Mr. Wille, Mr. Hill, Ms. Craigo, Mr. Lykins, Mr. Pietzker, Ms. Gulla

Attendance at this meeting constituted a quorum.

Item

Status

1. Previous Minutes & LPC Metrics

Standing Item

The minutes from September 2010 were reviewed and accepted. The metrics were reviewed. All LPC's are meeting timely with quorum. The East LPC will need an additional facilitator due to deployments. The parties were encouraged to send people to the Hiring Board Training scheduled for 20 April 2011.

CSMS 10-01, Computer Reimaging issues, was discussed. "Computer Reimaging" no longer defines the computer issues within CSMS. "Access to computers for Maintenance Personnel" will be added to the issues chart with an April 2010 start date. COL Harris mentioned that this issue is one of network access and currently there are problems with the numbers of devices on the network. A meeting is being held 23 February with the J6 and CSMS to discuss IT issues. Mr. Pietzker will be invited to attend that meeting as the union representative.

2. Overdue Appraisals

Standing Item

There are no overdue appraisals to report.

3. Energy Conservation

Standing Item

COL Harris discussed that energy usage is creeping upward and may affect our goals for energy conservation. He encouraged everyone to continue to make improvements to curb energy usage.

4. Safety Issue Update

Standing Item

The Facilities Maintenance Sub-working Group continues to meet and address safety issues in our facilities. The ventilation systems in our maintenance facilities is being studied and addressed. Calculations are underway to determine which shops meet standards and which do not. The next step is to put together plans to fix those shops that are not meeting ventilation standards. The union suggested that ONG look at similar private industry shops to see how they deal with ventilation issues. Freight Liner was suggested. LTC Mikula went over RAC charts. The union suggested that before an issue is removed from the chart it first be consulted at that shop to assure the issue has been addressed.

5. *Facilities Construction*

Standing Item

The DIMR office provided an update of the many ongoing construction projects. It is anticipated that positions will be need to be filled once construction is complete. Furniture bids are being taken at both Springfield and CSMS which is a sign that indicates completion of the projects. A DIMR report will become a standard part of the ARPEC Agenda.

6. *Government Travel Card (GTC) Issues*

Closed

There is currently a 12% delinquency rate on Government Credit Cards. Which supervisor (Mday or Tech) addresses a delinquency is dependent on the status in which the expense was charged. Some of the delinquency can be attributed to a failure by employees to file timely expense reports. ARPEC 10-01 "GTC and Discipline" is to be removed from the issues metric.

Next Meetings:

ARPEC

6 May 2011, 0900

JPEC

10 March 2011, 1200

For Management

For Labor

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