



Call Report issued by Debbie Groat

4/8/20	Debbie Groat
	County/City COVID19 Workgroup
	Stephanie Whalen, Rick Konrad, Lisa McDonald, Jennifer Miller, Stacey Rappold, Meghan Blumhardt, Rosetta Butler, Jeramie Calandro, Karen Myers, & Brian Snyder
<p>DISCUSSION</p> <p>Main point of discussion was to share information on COVID19 operations, disruptions and supply chain demands:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Jeramie (BMC) shared the work being done with emergency managers. She has a new position at BMC under the UASI program. Their weekly meetings have high concerns over delivery times. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jennifer mentioned that the “burn rates” are much faster than normal or anticipated. 2. Rose expressed the same problem with burn rates and that suppliers have said that FEMA is #1 priority on all shipments. <p>Jeramie shared that a decontamination machine on the way to clean N95 masks.</p> b. Rick (MWCOG) shared that they are ordering N95 masks and 15-minute tests for Public Safety officials. These are negotiated procurements. Presently, have requests for 500K masks but need more. Looking for emergency warehousing via emergency managers. Trying to figure out how to handle bulk order payment. Meghan recommended laying out clear roles to ensure a smooth process. Rose asked about K95 masks and surgical – Rick will put on list. Brian encouraged this effort because it helps smaller entities that need supplies. Complete your supply survey issued by MWCOG. c. Karen/Stephanie/Stacey (Harford) shared that they have their hotel arrangement in place to house 1st responders who are exposed to COVID19. This may also be used for homeless population. Hart to Hart will be their supplemental ambulatory service. They have ordered some masks with wired money to a Chinese firm based on manufacturing experience from EMS Innovations in Pasadena, MD. d. Lisa (State of MD) said that orders are in for N95 but not sure if they have been delivered. Lisa offered to help anyone with sourcing questions. e. Rose (Balto. Co) they have placed orders for N95, surgical and K95 masks. Cloth masks need to be ordered for office staff (new requirement). f. Brian (Annapolis) UASI has helped with some PPE that is trickling in. 	
<p><u>Action Items: None</u></p>	