

July 27th 2008 planning meeting D-Day Ohio Inc.

In attendance

Mr. Rick Fike - Stunt Predator

Mr. Jim Meyerhoffer - CAP

Mr. Mike Felmlee- D-day Ohio Inc.

Ms. Sarah Westrick - D-day Ohio Inc.

Mr. John Kloock- Stunt Predator

Mr. Tony Julio - City Council

Mr. Tom Udell – American Legion Post 151

Mr. Paul Nelson - American Legion 151

Meeting was called to order at 1pm

City Business

1) The highway signs used in years previous need to be located and be put up. Mr. Julio volunteered that a Jim Jones had them and would take care of it.

2) Security- CAP committed to being there Saturday to secure beach and run camp patrols for D-Day Ohio Inc. Mr. Udell suggested the ATV club Mr. Julio stated they would need to talk to Mr. Dave Dickson at Township Park and get special permission ahead of time. Additional police patrols through the park were requested and Mr. Julio agreed.

3) Soccer fields need to be roped off Friday for parking which the city has previously done for the event. Mr. Julio acknowledged and agreed to this.

4) The side access road needs to be blocked Friday Mr. Julio acknowledged and agreed to this.

5) Fire and EMT needed on site. Mr. Julio acknowledged and agreed it would be there. Mr. Fike stated he would need to meet with the Fire Chief.

6) Power drop discussed, Mr. Julio deferred to Mr. Ed Somppi and Mr. Mark Jones and did not commit to this.

7) Parade permit for march to boats. Mr. Julio explained the proper process to go through asked for route specifics which were given to him.

8) The city was asked about paying for the shuttle Mr. Julio stated it would be a matter to take before council and did not commit to that.

9) It was emphasized that the tap at Township Park must be open for the re-enactors to get water from.

CAP business

- 1) Mr. Meyerhoffer stated CAP intended to be there at 8 am Saturday morning if not Friday evening.
- 2) Mr. Meyerhoffer agreed the CAP would be responsible for setting up the VIP seating and securing that and the battlefield
- 3) Mr. Meyerhoffer offered 15-30 cadets to help with this event

Legion business-

- 1) The legion was asked and agreed to provide a flagpole that may need to be guide wired out.
- 2) Plans for dinner and dance were reaffirmed. Volunteers to help set up the tables for both were requested, Jim Meyerhoffer volunteered the CAP to assist.
- 3) Mr. Nelson asked for how many volunteers were needed from the Legion and what jobs they would need to fill. Requested someone familiar send him the information so he would not delete their e-mail. He was given Ms. Westrick's e-mail and contact information.
- 4) Mr. Udell requested PR head's contact info so that he might get information to give potential donors. He was given it at the end of the meeting.

Pyro business-per Mr. Fike

- 1) A red flag will indicate the beach is hot and white flag will indicate it is cold.
- 2) Only setting 30 charges.
- 3) Wants several pyro briefings with unit commanders.
- 4) Plans on setting base trenches at 9 am Friday.
- 5) Three lines of pyro running across the beach A, B, &C.
- 6) Will be on site at 6 AM on Friday to start work.
- 7) His primary goal is to get 100% yield.
- 8) Will send up a rocket to signify he is ready to go.
- 9) Mr. Fike has told the US Army to come and wants to let them know who to contact about setup. He was given Ms. Westrick's information to forward to them

Meeting was adjourned at 3:30pm.

Mr. Felmlee, Ms. Westrick, and Mr. Meyerhoffer then went to the event site and discussed the CAP role more in depth. Mr. Meyerhoffer again committed the CAP to being there.