## March 2014 Monthly Report Michael Sanders Emergency Services Coordinator

This was one of my busiest months ever with the LAHCFD programs.

This month I taught 1 PEP class with 19 citizens attending.

1 CPR class was taught by the SCCFD F/F with 11 people attending.

1 CERT Supervisor training class was held on Trailer and ARK set up with 10 C/S attending..

Presented 2 classes to Daughters of Charity, one on Hazardous Materials to the shop personnel and the other was to All of the staff on Evacuation procedures.

Held a class on the new CERT/Ham Radio Recon team concept to 12 CERT/Ham members. We will be using this system for the May 14<sup>th</sup> CERT/Town/Ham Exercise.

Performed a safety inspection at Serena Giori house 26631 Taffe Rd.

Taught a PEP class to 10 LAH Town Staff members at the fire station.

Met with Bruce Martin to discuss the new CERT Zone map updates and continue to work with Purissima Water District to have these done by May 14<sup>th</sup>.

Met with Duncan MacMillan regarding planning with Ham Radio for the May 14<sup>th</sup> exercise. Also met with Marsha Hovey regarding the Town's involvement.

Started and completed a NEW LAHCFD CERT class with 32 people attending. We now have 235 LAHCFD CERT members and our program continues to grow thanks to the support of the LAHCFD Board. During this 22 hour long class I had 14 of our current CERT members assist me in teach some portion of the class. The on duty crews from the El Monte Fire Station once again went above and beyond in assisting me and our CERT class in teaching some form of the CERT class. We have developed a CERT program that is the model for the County. I continually receive compliments about our CERT program and other classes that we teach here in the LAHCFD.

I attended a SCCFD CERT Program Manager meeting at our Headquarters. In attendance were Chief Kehmna, SCC OES Director Danna Reed and Assistant Director Christie Moore along with our other ESC from our fire department. We now have a clearer direction of where CERT is going within our department and in the County.