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NHRMC Prepares for the 2021 Hurricane Season

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On Friday, May 28, 2021, the National Human Resource Management Committee (NHRMC) held its first meeting in preparation for the 2021 Hurricane Season.

According to Part III, Section 6 (5) of the Disaster Preparedness Response Act (the Act), Chapter 145 of the Laws of Belize (Revised Edition 2011) establishes the National Human Resource Management Committee. The NHRMC is to allocate appropriate human resources to serve as responders for emergency management duties.

Mr. Rolando Zetina, CEO in the Ministry of the Public Service, Constitutional and Political Reform and chairperson of the NHRMC, expressed his gratitude to the men and women on the committee who have served selflessly over the past years. He emphasized how important the role of each public officer is during times of emergency.

“Public servants have had to think quickly and creatively during times of disaster, and many have put their lives at risk during these times in order to continue serving the public. The citizens of Belize can rest assured that this committee will ensure that citizens’ safety and needs are looked after. The work begins now,” Mr. Zetina stated.

The NHRMC is made up of the following persons:

- Chairperson, NHRMC - Mr. Rolando Zetina, CEO, Ministry of the Public Service
- Liaison Officer - Ms. Adriana Gonzalez, administrative officer, Ministry of the Public Service
- HR Coordinator, Corozal - Ms. Arisia Brown, finance officer, Corozal Sub-Treasury

- HR Coordinator, Orange Walk - Mr. Carlos Contreras, finance officer, Orange Walk Sub-Treasury
- Zone Coordinator, Belize Rural (North) - Ms. Sherilock Humes, first class clerk, Belize Tax Service
- Zone Coordinator, Belize Rural (West) - Ms. June Sanker, cultural officer, Ministry of Education
- Zone Coordinator, Belize Rural (Belrive) - Ms. Felicia Leslie, senior secretary, Supreme Court
- Zone Coordinator, Belize City (North) - Mr. James Gabriel, Postmaster General
- Zone Coordinator, Belize City (East) - Ms. Diedra Lopez, secretary III, Belize Postal Service
- Zone Coordinator, Belize City (West) - Ms. Rosalie Burgess, secretary I, QUADS
- Zone Coordinator, Belize City (South) - Mr. Elvis Franklin, education officer, Ministry of Education
- HR Coordinator, San Pedro - Mr. Leodan Torres, finance officer, Sub-Treasury
- HR Coordinator, Belmopan - Ms. Dorla Hewlett, senior secretary
- HR Coordinator, Cayo - Ms. Jacqueline Trapp, finance officer, Cayo Sub-Treasury
- Asst. HR Coordinator, Cayo - Ms. Glenda Valdez, administrative officer, Ministry of the Public Service
- HR Coordinator, Stann Creek - Ms. Cynthia Villagran, finance officer, Dangriga Sub-Treasury
- HR Coordinator, Toledo - Mr. Pastor Perez, finance officer, Punta Gorda Sub-Treasury

The citizens of Belize can be confident that this committee will ensure that their safety is of primary concern and their basic needs will be addressed.

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