

**MINE RECOVERY PLAN  
FOR 2013 STATE OF OHIO MERD  
(PLACE THIS IN THE COMMAND CENTER)**

- 1. RESCUE TEAMS WILL EXPLORE AND TIE ACROSS AND BEHIND ONE BREAK AT A TIME UNLESS BLOCK.**
  
- 2. TEAMS WILL REPORT TO THE COMAND CENTER THROUGH THE FRESH AIR BASE PERSON WHAT THEY ENCOUNTER.**
  
- 3. FRESH AIR BASE LOCATION WILL BE ADVANCE AFTER RESCUE HAVE EXPLORED AND MADE SAFE 300 FEET INBY THE EXISTING FRESH AIR BASE.**

# COMMAND CENTER INSTRUCTIONS

1. DIRECT TEAMS AS TO EXPLORATION UNDER MINE RESCUE RULES GUIDE LINE FOR SYSTEMATIC EXPLORATION.
2. DIRECT TEAMS THAT WHEN THE FIRE THAT IS LOCATED IN # 2 ENTRY HAS BEEN ATTEMPTED TO BE EXTINGUISHED USING A FIRE EXTINGUISHER TO HAVE THE FRESH AIR BASE TURN ON THE FRESH WATER LINE IN THE FRESH AIR BASE. THEN HAVE THE TEAM USE THE FIRE HOSE TO EXTINGUISH THE FIRE.
3. AT THE R/A LOCATED BETWEEN # 2 AND # 3 ENTRIES DIRECT THE TEAMS TO USE THE AIR LOCK AND PURGE VALVE TO GAIN ENTRANCE INTO THE R/A **AFTER** THEY HAVE EXPLORED TO THE BACK SIDE OF THE R/A AND FOUND THAT IT IS CAVED AIRTIGHT BEHIND THE R/A.
4. AT 40 MINUTES INTO THE MERD EXERCISE INFORM THE TEAM THAT THE PERSON MONITORING THE FAN HAS DETECTED A RISE IN THE METANE LEVELS AND THAT THE TEAM HAS FIVE MINUTES TO COMPLETE THEIR ASSIGNMENTS. AT THE 45 MINUTE MARK STOP THE TEAM, TAKE THEIR MAPS AND THEIR EXERCISE WILL BE OVER.

# TEAM'S COMMAND CENTER COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE

TEAM'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE \_\_\_\_\_