

Emergency Management 2008 Annual Report

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Department Mission

Strive to utilize effective planning, training, and coordination to continually assist with the development of mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery capabilities of Lincoln County and its political subdivisions for emergencies resulting from all hazards. The goal is to lesson the loss of life and reduce injuries and property damage during any natural or technological incident or event.

Services Provided

Emergency Management Planning and Preparedness – Highway Safety – Workers Compensation Reporting – Safety/Loss Control/Risk Management – E 9-1-1 Emergency Phone Answering System Network Administration – Hazardous Materials Response Planning and Preparedness – Homeland Security Planning and Preparedness.

- Updated the County Emergency Operations Plan including the Basic Plan and various Supporting Annexes
- Participated in Regional Emergency Preparedness Planning efforts
- Updated the County Hazard Analysis
- Updated the County Hazardous Materials/Strategic Plan
- Updated 7 Emergency Planning Community Right-To-Know Off-Site Hazardous Materials Plans
- Worked with 10 Dam Owner/Operators to Maintain Emergency Action Plan Currency and to comply with new F.E.R.C. Planning Mandates
- Coordinated and Secured Grant Funding for various National Incident Management System (NIMS) training courses for Local Responders (ICS-300, ICS-400 & IS-800)
- Maintained County StormReady Certification from the National Weather Service
- Participated in the Development of the County Pandemic Flu Plan (ongoing)
- Conducted a County-wide Functional Tornado Exercise
- Coordinated the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Hazardous Materials Planning and Reporting Responsibilities for 37 Reporting Facilities and 7 Planning Facilities
- Completed a Full-time Emergency Management Plan-of-Work
- Assisted ANR Pipeline with Updating Emergency Action Plan
- Received an Emergency Management Performance Grant of over **\$49,000.00** to offset the tax levy for the department
- Completed the Emergency Planning Community Right-to-Know Plan-of-Work
- Received a Emergency Planning Community Right-to-Know Grant of over **\$7,200.00** for hazardous materials specific planning
- Continued to Maintain a nearly 100% Accuracy in the County 911 Master Street Addressing Guide
- Assisted Lincoln Hills School with Updating Emergency Action Plan
- Participated in County Health Department Mass Clinic Exercise
- Participated in FEMA Flood Plain Map Update Process
- Assisted with Tomahawk Fall Ride Planning
- Participated in NEWCOM Regional Communications Tabletop Exercise
- Continued to serve as Chairman of the County Traffic Safety Committee and Coordination of the day-to-day County Traffic Safety Activities

- Coordinated the county-wide distribution of Free Traffic Safety Vests with Local Law Enforcement Agencies
- Coordinated Local National Weather Service Severe Weather Spotter Training for over 47 Local Interested Participants
- Continued to serve on the local FEMA Emergency Board
- Continued to serve as Chairman of the County Emergency Services Group
- Continued to serve as a member of the County Mutual Insurance Corporation Workers Compensation / Loss Control Committee
- Continued to serve as a member of the Northcentral Technical College Fire Science Advisory Board
- Received a **\$12,500.00** Hazardous Materials Equipment Grant
- Continued to serve as a member of the County Addressing Workgroup
- Continued to serve as Chairman of the County Local Emergency Planning Committee

This is a very brief summation of the activities of the Emergency Management Office in 2008. If you have any questions or need additional information please feel free to stop in my office or give me a call.

Respectfully Submitted,

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