



Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management Department



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HSEMD Mission

To support, coordinate, and maintain state and local homeland security and emergency management activities in order to establish sustainable communities and assure economic opportunities for Iowa and its citizens.

Code of Iowa 29C

- Authority that governs emergency response
- Iowa law requires a Multi-Hazard State Emergency Operations Plan
- The law also requires each county to develop a Multi-Hazard County Emergency Operations Plan
- Each county must establish an Emergency Management Commission, an EM Agency and EM Coordinator

Local Emergency Management

- **ALL incidents are LOCAL**
- Local Emergency Management position established in Code of Iowa - 29C.9
- **Local County Coordinator is the person authorized to request resources for their county – unless they have delegated that authority**
- Local resources should be utilized first, to include mutual aid
- State government is in support of local response to disaster events

Do you know your county coordinator?

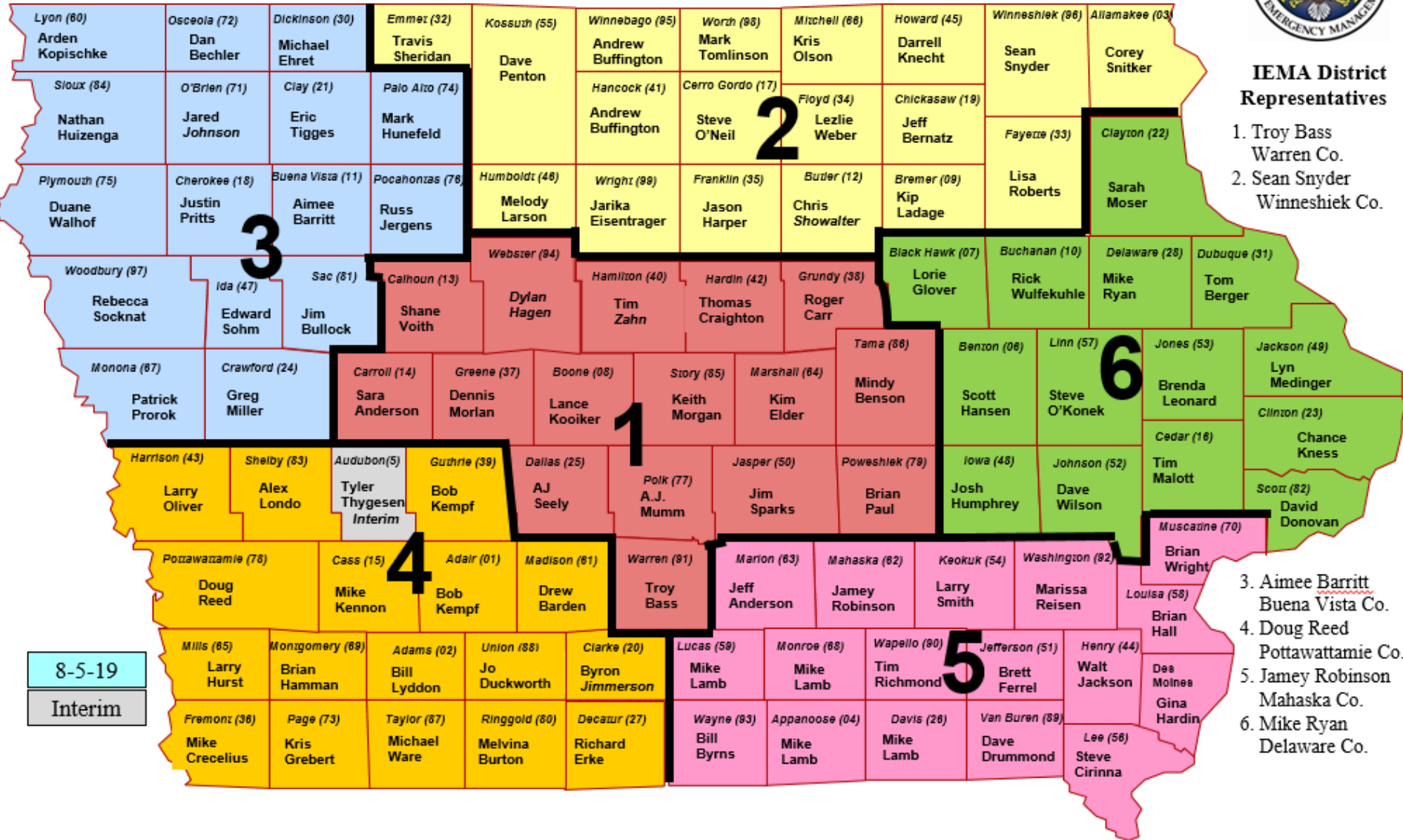
HSEMD Districts



IEMA District Representatives

1. Troy Bass
Warren Co.
2. Sean Snyder
Winneshiok Co.

3. Aimee Barritt
Buena Vista Co.
4. Doug Reed
Pottawattamie Co.
5. Jamey Robinson
Mahaska Co.
6. Mike Ryan
Delaware Co.



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Interim

District 1
Mark Shearer, Liaison

District 2
Tracey Epps, Liaison

District 3
Mark Shearer, Liaison

District 4
Mark Shearer, Liaison

District 5
Tracey Epps, Liaison

District 6
Tracey Epps, Liaison

Local Government Disaster Response Role

- **Save Lives**
- **Protect public health and safety**
- **Protect property**
 - Identify and address immediate needs
 - Disaster Assessment
 - Damage Assessment
 - Recovery

Local Government Response

When disaster impacts exceed local jurisdictions capability to respond:

- Issue a local Emergency Proclamation
 - Frees up local emergency funding and resources
- Request Mutual Aid Agreements
 - 28E Agreements
 - Iowa Mutual Aid Compact
- Request State Assistance

State Government Response

*Respond to disaster impacts
with any and all State resources requested and available*

- Personnel
- Equipment
- Material/Supplies
- Technical Assistance

State Resource Management

- Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management assesses the resource needs and recommends a Governor's State of Emergency Proclamation for impacted counties:
 - State Individual Assistance
 - Public Assistance
- The Proclamation activates the State Emergency Operations Plan which defines state agency responsibilities during emergencies

Governor's Proclamations

- County specific
- Required for activation of state assets
- No money exchanges hands
- Good for 30 days
- Extended for additional 30 days as needed
- Waivers--Burn ban/over length/over weight

SEOC Readiness Levels

Level 1 – Level 5

- 1 - No incident - Duty Officer (DO) on call
- 5 – Incident occurred – SEOC fully activated State agency representatives (45) are on site at the Joint Forces Headquarters
- State EOC staffed based on direction given by HSEMD Director or Response Division Administrator



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Transportation

Human Services

National Guard

Disaster Exceeds State Capabilities

Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC)

- Nations state to state mutual aid system
- Impacted state requests assistance
- Impacted state pays wages, travel, lodging, etc.
- Addresses work comp; liability; death benefits



Presidential Disaster Declaration

- Request made by Governor of impacted state to FEMA Regional office (Kansas City)
- Regional office reviews and sends to FEMA National
- FEMA National reviews and sends to President
- Reviewed by President – declaration granted or denied
- If granted, financial assistance becomes available (Individual Assistance/Public Assistance)



Dallas County March 2019



Green, Iowa March 2019



Johnston Trestle Bridge March 2019



Hornick March 2019



Pacific Junction March 2019



Pacific Junction March 2019



Hamburg March 2019



Hamburg Water Works 2019



Davenport 2019



Davenport 2019



Davenport 2019

IDHRC's Role in the Iowa Comprehensive Emergency Plan



Iowa Comprehensive Emergency Plan

Comprised of four separate plans:

- ✓ Iowa Emergency Response Plan
- ✓ Iowa Hazard Mitigation Plan
- ✓ Iowa Disaster Recovery Plan
- ✓ Critical Asset Protection Plan

Updated on a 5 year cycle

Iowa Emergency Response Plan

- Multi-hazard approach to managing the consequences of emergency/disaster response
- Assigns agency responsibilities by Emergency Support Function (ESF)
- Details who will do what, not how they do it

Structure

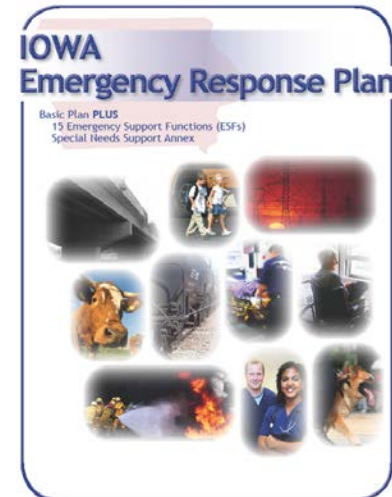
Basic Plan

ESFs

Support Annexes

Incident Annexes

Addendum



Assignment of Responsibility - Primary

ESF-1: Transportation

- Iowa Department of Transportation

ESF-2: Communications (Warning)

- Iowa Department of Homeland Security & Emergency Management

ESF-3: Public Works and Engineering

- Iowa Department of Transportation & Iowa Department of Natural Resources

ESF-4: Firefighting

- Iowa Department of Natural Resources

Assignment of Responsibility - Primary

ESF-5: Emergency Management

- Iowa Department of Homeland Security & Emergency Management

ESF-6: Mass Care

- Iowa Department of Human Services

ESF-7: Logistics Management/Resource Support

- Iowa Department of Homeland Security & Emergency Management

ESF-8: Public Health and Medical Services

- Iowa Department of Public Health

Assignment of Responsibility - Primary

ESF-9: Search and Rescue

- Iowa Department of Public Safety

ESF-10: Oil and HazMat Response

- Iowa Department of Natural Resources

ESF-11: Agriculture & Natural Resources

- Iowa Department of Agriculture & Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals

ESF-12: Energy

- Iowa Department of Commerce & Iowa Department of Natural Resources

Assignment of Responsibility - Primary

ESF-13: Public Safety and Security

- Iowa Department of Public Safety

ESF-14: (Long Term Community Recovery was replaced by the Iowa Disaster Recovery Plan) – (FEMA is changing to Cross-Sector Business and Infrastructure)

ESF-15: External Affairs

- Iowa Governor's Office

IDHRC's Responsibility

IDHRC is assigned supporting responsibility to the following ESFs:

- ESF 6 – Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Housing and Human Services
- ESF 7 - Logistics Management
- Donations & Volunteer Management Annex



ESF 6 – Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Housing and Human Services

Assumptions:

2.2.19. Local voluntary organizations will remain in communication with and, whenever possible, coordinate activities with the Iowa Disaster Human Resource Council (IDHRC) representative at the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC).

Responsibilities:

4.18. Non-Governmental Support Agency: Iowa Disaster Human Resource Council

4.18.1. Determine lead organization for response/recovery.

4.18.2. Convene conference calls to discuss disaster impacts and possible assistance available.

4.18.3. Identify unmet community needs and possible ways to address those needs.

4.18.4. Coordinate the sequence of delivery of goods and services.

ESF 7 – Logistics Management

3.3 Interface Coordination

3.3.3. The IDHRC can help bring forth volunteer resources and donations in both the response and recovery phase of the disaster. Along with helping provide volunteers and donations, the IDHRC can provide just-in-time training for local jurisdictions in need of expertise on volunteer management, case management, and donations management. The IDHRC can also provide assets for debris removal for elderly or low-income survivors or those who have functional needs. In some cases, the IDHRC, working with National VOAD, may be able to help with rebuilding projects during Recovery.



Donations & Volunteer Management Annex

Operational Overview:

...The Iowa Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEMD) will coordinate closely with the Iowa Commission on Volunteer Service (ICVS) and the Iowa Disaster Human Resource Council (IDHRC) for both volunteer and donated resources. All efforts will be coordinated through the State Emergency Operations Center.

Iowa Disaster Human Resource Council (IDHRC)

- Assess the need for individual assistance and case management programs
- Assist with unmet needs for low income, elderly and special needs individuals
- Work to develop Long Term Recovery Committees (LTRC) or Community Organizations Active in Disaster (COAD) groups in an affected area

Iowa Disaster Recovery Plan

- Intended to guide the State's recovery operations and support the response and recovery plans and procedures of the responding agencies, local governments, and other public, nonprofit/volunteer, and private-sector entities.
- Currently under review

Structure

Basic Plan

RSFs (Recovery Support Functions)

Support Annexes

Assignment of Responsibility - Primary

RSF-1: Community Planning and Capacity Building

- Iowa Economic Development Authority

RSF-2: Economic

- Iowa Economic Development Authority

RSF-3: Health & Social Services

- Iowa Department of Public Health & Iowa Department of Human Services

Assignment of Responsibility - Primary

RSF-4: Housing

- Iowa Finance Authority

RSF-5: Infrastructure Systems

- Applicable Sector

RSF-6: Natural and Cultural Resources

- Iowa Department of Natural Resources

IDHRC's Responsibility

IDHRC is assigned supporting responsibility to the following Recovery Support Functions (RSF):

- RSF 1: Community Planning and Capacity Building
- RSF 3: Health and Social Services
- RSF 4: Housing

Primary Agency: Leadership and oversight for that particular impact and/or program involved.

Coordinating Agency: Informs and facilitates actions by the primary and supporting agencies.

Supporting Agency: Assists primary agency(s) with recovery actions specific to their identified skill set.

How Can IDHRC Support the RSFs?

STRENGTHS:

Whole Community focus

Convening faith-based, voluntary, non-profit, private and governmental organizations

Coordinated & Structured

How can IDHRC support the Recovery Support Functions?

- ✓ Local LTRC support and development
- ✓ Convene and Coordinate members
- ✓ Utilizing networks effectively
- ✓ Identify unmet needs
- ✓ Collaborate to use membership to locate and develop resources
- ✓ Collect and share information – where are members working, what are they seeing, unified message
- ✓ Educate –best practices, where & how to assist, needs, gaps, connections



Questions

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