

Welcome to Emergency Management



Introductions

- **Your Name**
- **Your Position at Skyline**
- **Your Role in Emergency Management**
- **Previous Emergency Management Training**
- **Previous Emergency Experience**

Please:

- Avoid Electronic Devices as Much as You Can
- Contribute When You Can
- Ask Questions
- Appear to be Attentive
- Have Fun
- Be Nice to the Instructor

What is Emergency Management ?

Communication and Coordination

- At all levels

Management of Resources

- Inter-Agency
- Mutual Aid
- Private Sector



Monetary Considerations

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**ICS 100 / ICS 200 / IS 700.A / IS 800.C
and
Standardized Emergency Management
System Introduction**

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ICS 100

Governor's Executive Order S-2-05

- Directed SEMS Advisory Board to integrate SEMS and NIMS
- Identify statutes or regulatory changes as necessary



Emergency Operations Five Levels of Response



State

Region

Operational Area

Local Government

Field

Five Levels of Response

Field:



- Tactical on-scene response
- The use of Incident Command Posts as required
- Provides for “Unified Command”
- Requests support from the Local Government EOC or DOC

Five Levels of Response

Local Government:

- Supports Field Level Activity
- City, County, Special District
- Emergency Management
- Establish and maintain EOCs and DOCs
- Implement Local Emergency Plans
- Requests Support from Operational Area (County EOC)



Five Levels of Response

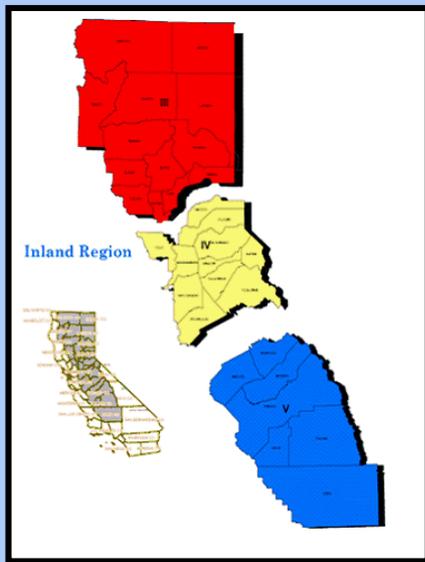
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- County and all Political Subdivisions
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- State Level
- Located in Sacramento and Los Alamitos
- Establish and maintain REOCs
- Implement State Emergency Plan
- Brokers Resources between Operational Areas
- Coordinates Assigned Federal Resources

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State:



- OES & State Agency Executive
- Located in Sacramento
- Brokers Resources between Regions
- Interface with the National Response Plan
- Informs Governor and Legislature
- Implements State Level Media Policy

Basic ICS Features (FIELD)

- Use of Common terminology
- Modular organization
- Management by Objectives
- Reliance on an Incident Action Plan
- Chain of Command and Unity of Command
- Unified Command
- Manageable span of control
- Resource Management
- Pre-designated Incident Facilities

Common Terminology

Using common terminology helps to define:

- Organizational functions
- Incident facilities
- Resource descriptions
- Position titles



Clear Text

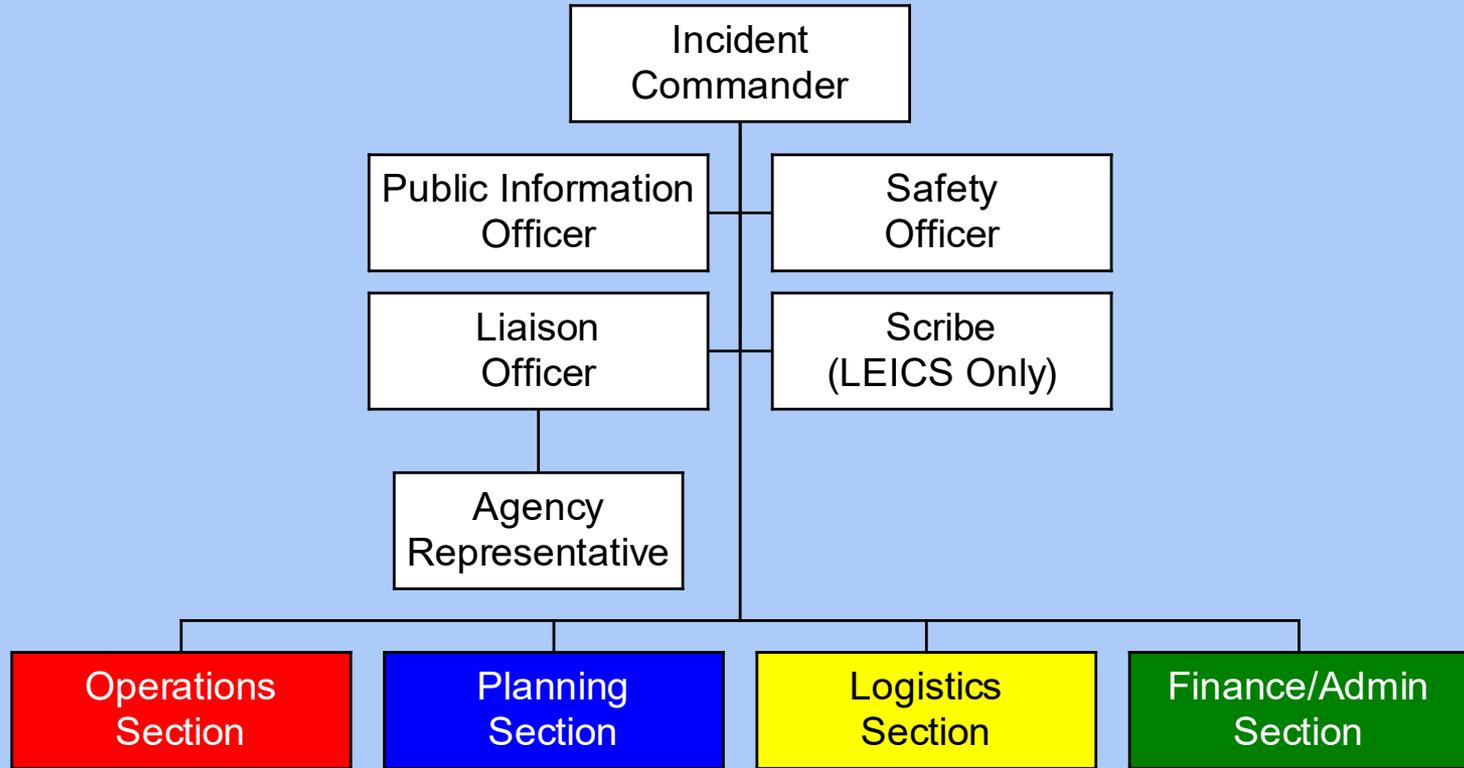
- Communications should be in Plain English or Clear Text
- The use of “Radio Codes,” Jargon, or discipline specific lingo is to be avoided

WHY???

Modular Organization

- Develops in a top-down modular method
- Size is based upon the complexity of the incident
 - Incident objectives will determine size
 - Only necessary functions will be activated
- Each activated element will have someone in charge

ICS Modular Structure



Management By Objectives

- ICS is managed by objectives
- Objectives are communicated throughout the organization via the incident planning process



Incident Action Plan

To facilitate “Management by Objectives” each Incident must have an Action Plan, that includes:

- Incident Objectives
- Activities to be completed
- Time period for completion of Activities (Operational Period)
- Can be written or oral

The form is a structured template for an Incident Action Plan. It includes sections for Incident Briefing, Objectives, Incident Objectives, Activities, and Resources. The form is designed to be filled out with specific details for an incident.

Unity of Command

Unity of Command, personnel:

- Report to only one supervisor
- Receive work assignments only from their supervisor



Note: Unity of Command is not Unified Command

Unified Command

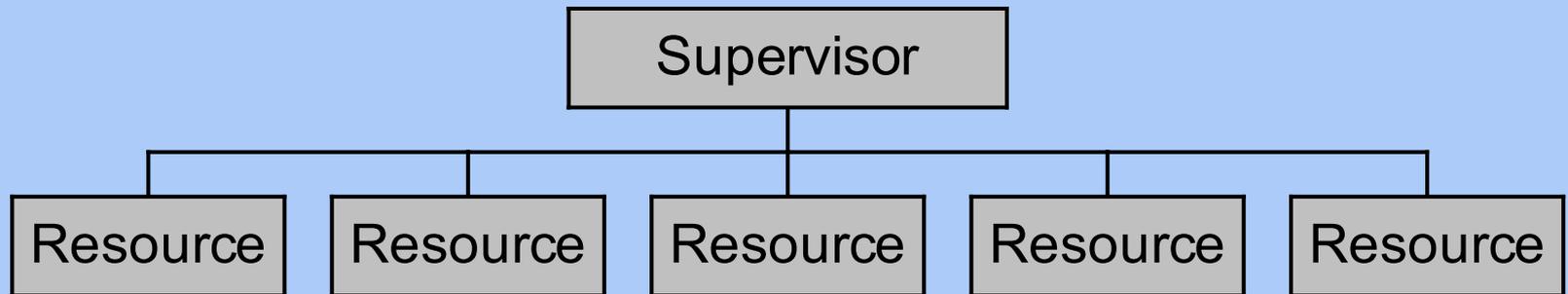
- All responsible agencies operating within a single Incident Action Plan, with common objectives
- Allows Incident Commanders to make joint decisions, establishing a single command structure
- Maintains Unity of Command



Manageable Span of Control

Span of Control:

- Number of personnel or resources that one supervisor can manage effectively during an incident



Span of Control Considerations

An effective Span of Control can be affected by:

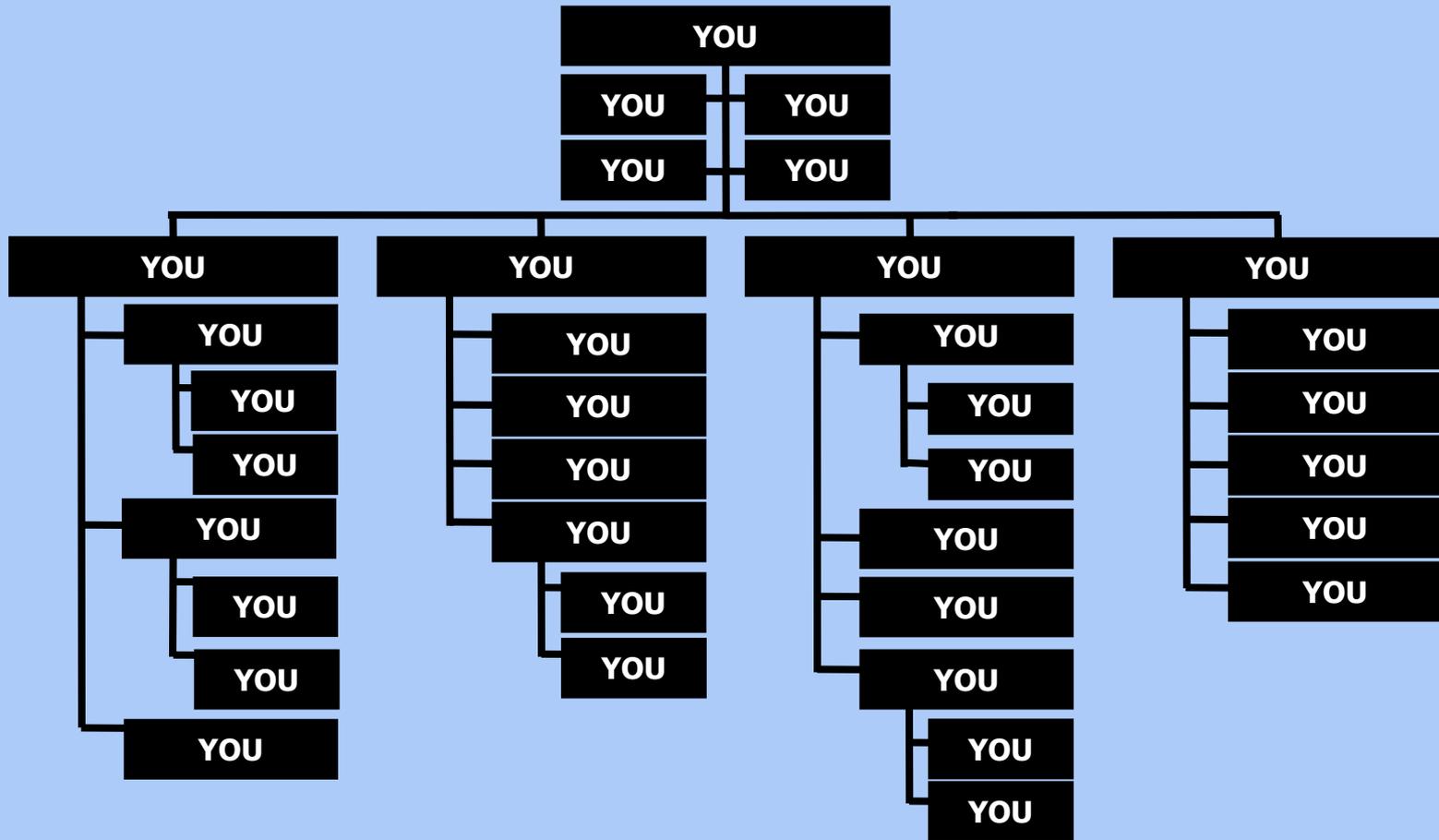
- Type of incident
- Nature of the task
- Hazards or safety factors
- Distance between personnel or resources

Span of Control

ICS Span of Control for any one supervisor:

- Is between 3 and 7 subordinates
- Optimum is 5

Span “Out of Control”



Resource Management

Resource Management includes processes for:

- Categorizing Resources
- Ordering Resources
- Dispatching Resources
- Tracking Resources
- Recovering Resources

Resource Management also includes processes for reimbursement for resources, as appropriate.



Integrated Communications

Incident Communications are facilitated through:

- The development of a common incident communications plan
- The interoperability of communications equipment, procedures and protocols

Transfer of Command

- Moves the responsibility of Command from one Incident Commander to another
- Must include a transfer of command briefing (may be written, oral or both)



Transfer of Command

Transfer of Command occurs:

- A more qualified person assumes command
- The incident situation changes over time, resulting in a legal requirement to change command
- Personnel turnover on extended incidents
- The incident response is concluded and responsibility is transfer to the home agency

Accountability

- **Span of Control:** Supervisors must be able to adequately supervise and control their subordinates, as well as communicate and manage all resources under their supervision
- **Resource Tracking:** Supervisors must record and report resource status changes as they occur

Mobilization

At any incident:

- The situation must be assessed and the response planned
- Managing resources safely and effectively is the most important consideration
- Personnel and equipment should respond only when requested or when dispatched by an appropriate authority

Pre-designated ICS Facilities

- The Incident Commander establishes specific facilities to meet the needs of the incident. Each facility supports response functions
- Examples:
 - Incident Command Post
 - Staging Area
 - Base (wildfires)
 - Camp (wildfires)

Questions ???



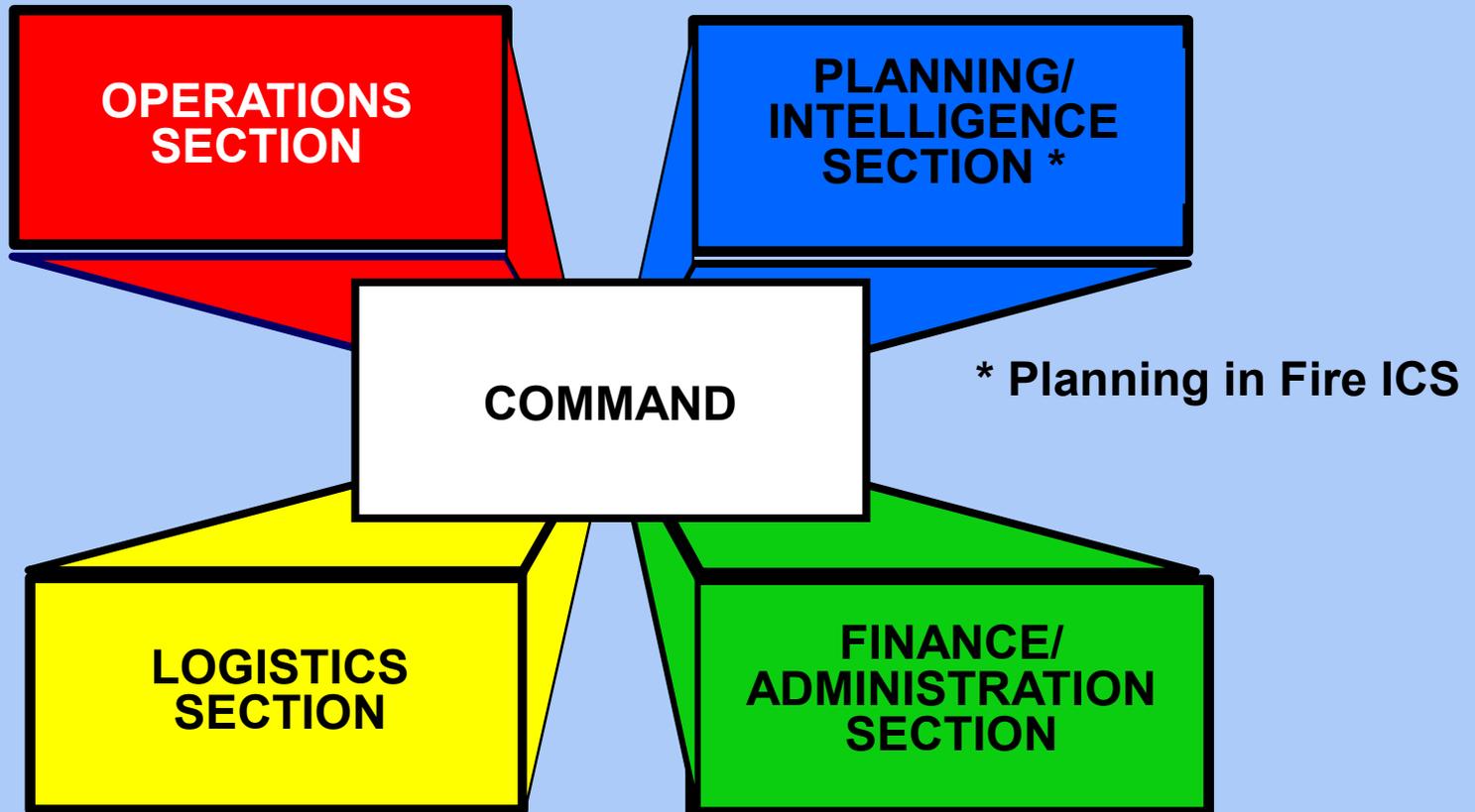
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ICS 200

Incident Command System

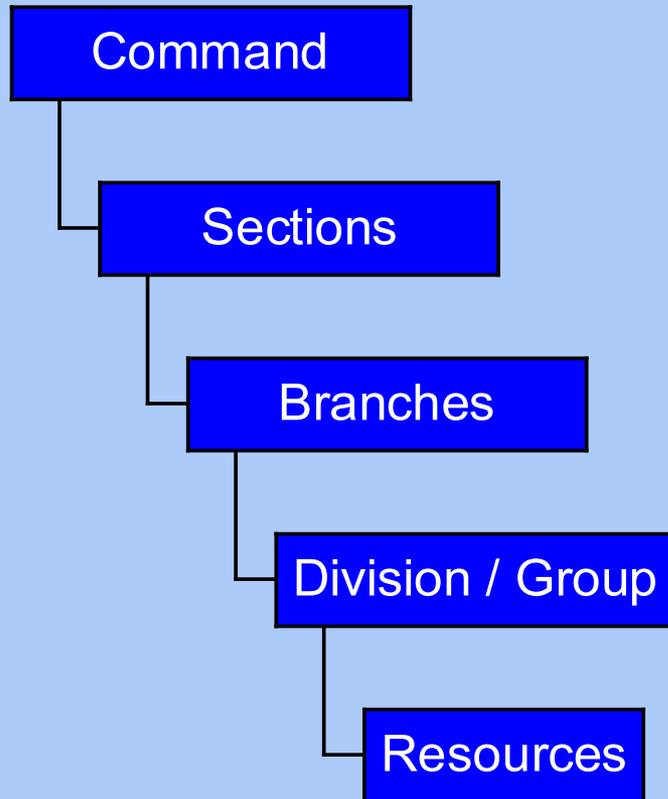
- ICS Organization
- Common Responsibilities
- Facilities

5 Basic Organizational Functions

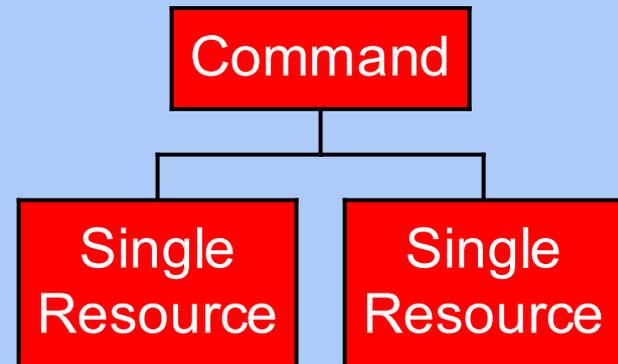


Incident Operations Organization

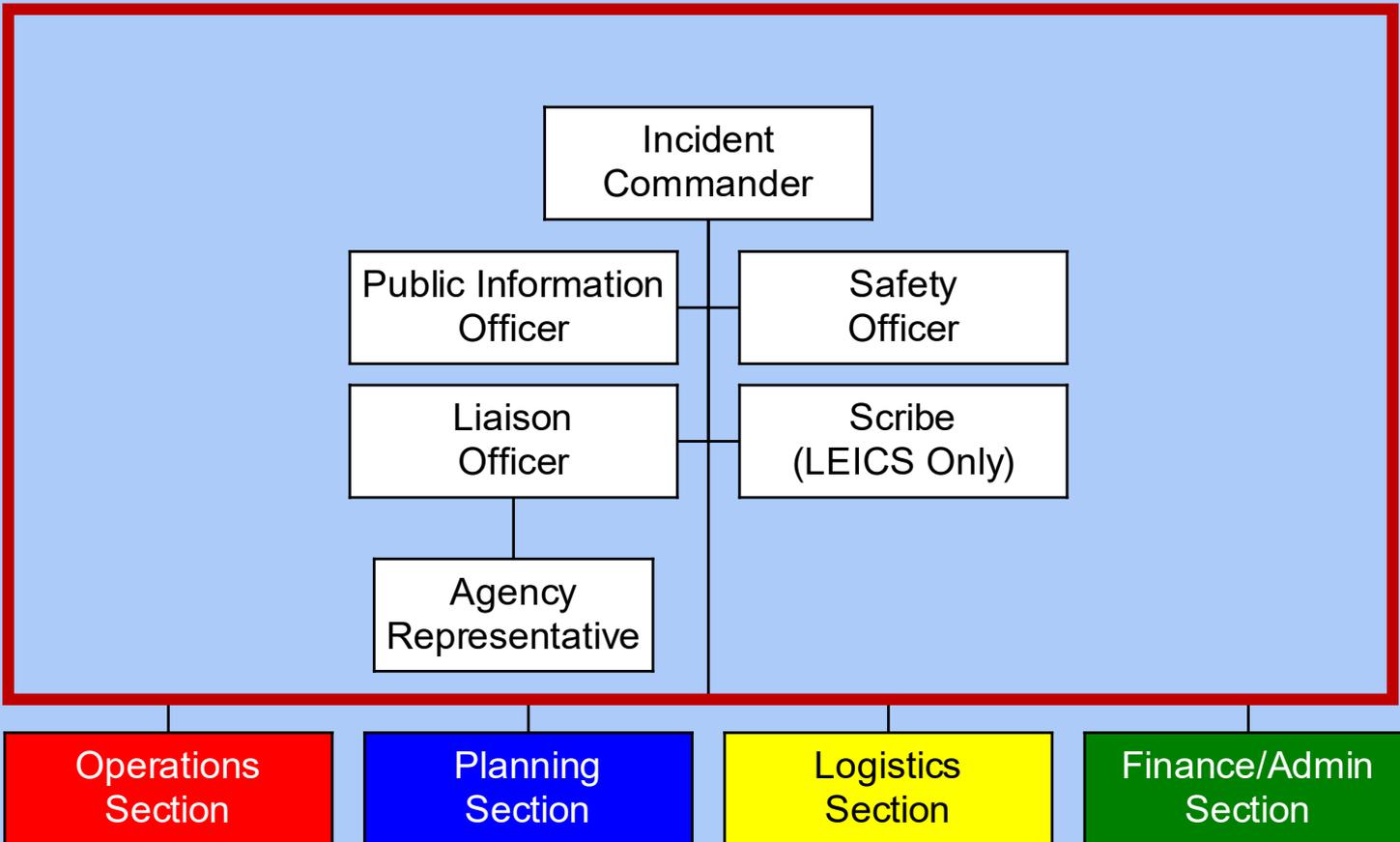
Large Incident Organization



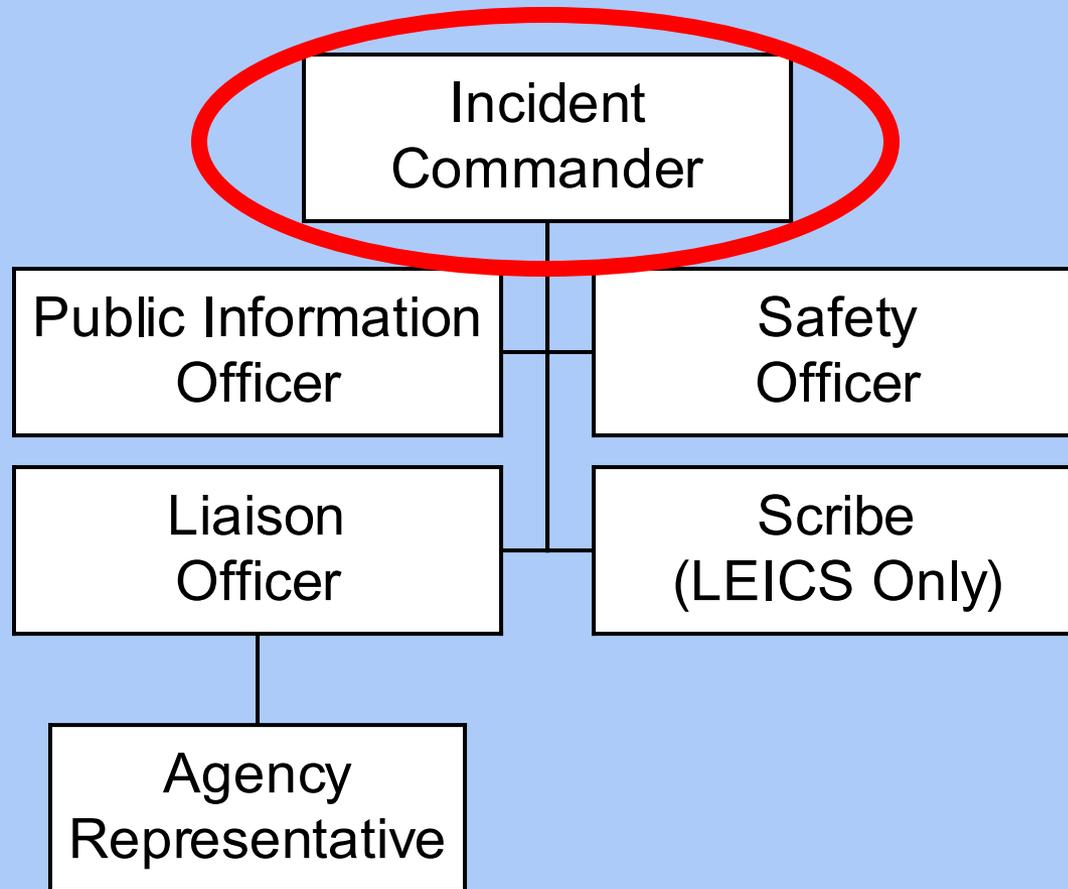
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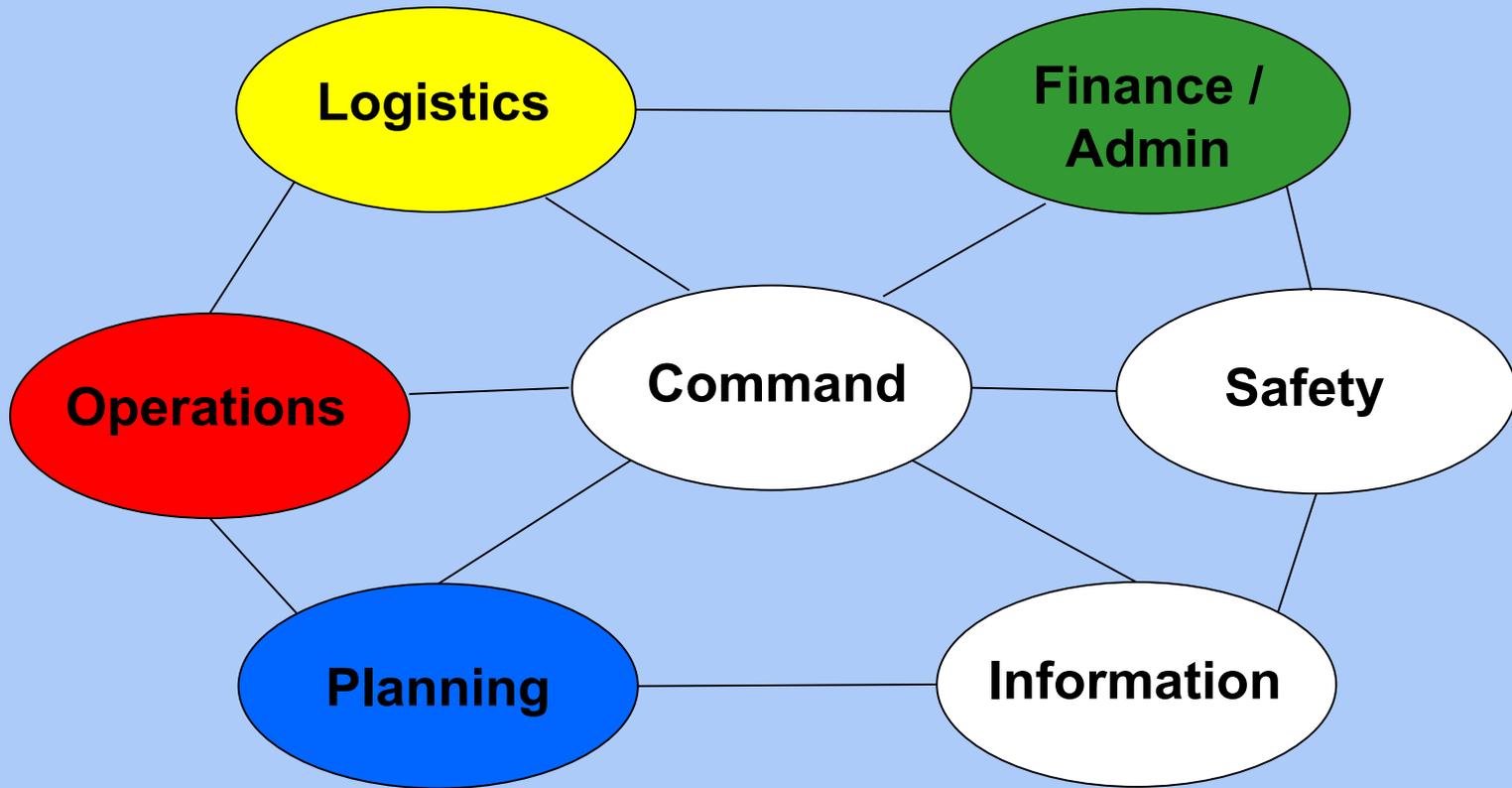
Command Staff



Incident Commander



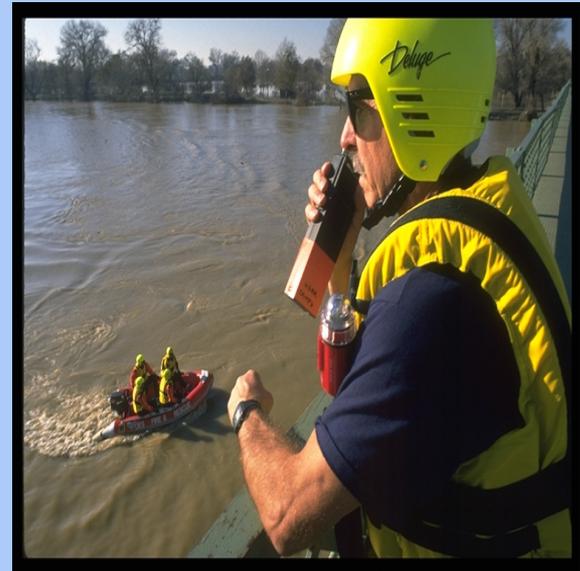
Incident Commander



Functional Responsibilities

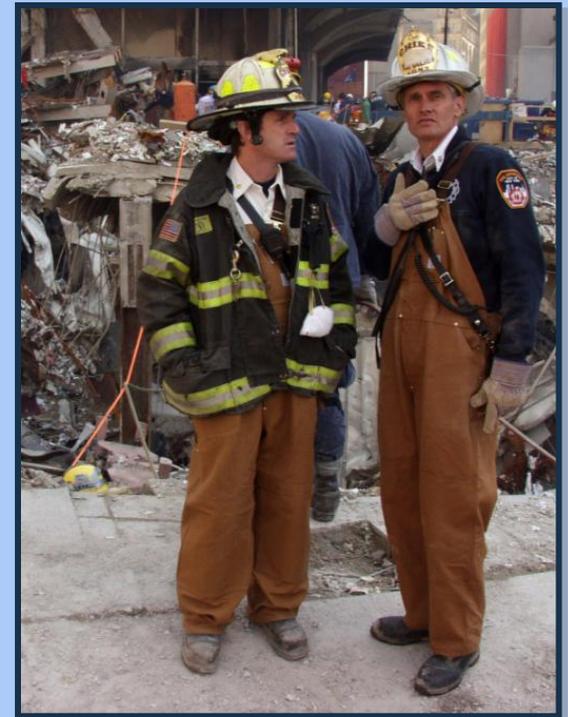
Incident Commander

- Establishes the Incident Command Post (ICP)
- Assigns Command and General Staff
- Conducts Initial Briefing
- Activates ICS Elements
- Approves all Plans
- Approves Media Releases



Incident Commander

- Manages Incident Through the Operations Section Chief
- Ensures Coordination of Staff
- Approves all Resource Requests
- Ensures Proper Deactivation of Functions via an Approved Demobilization Plan

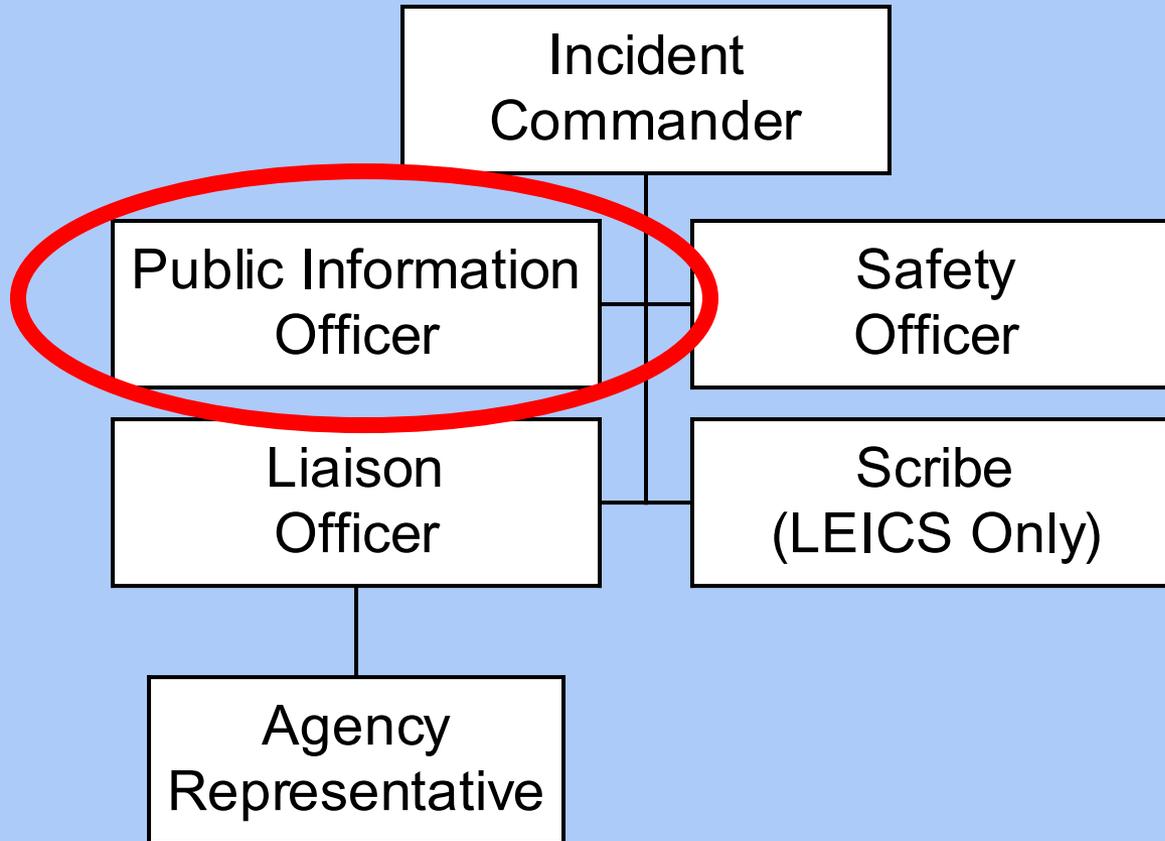


Unified Command

When 2 or more Agencies or Jurisdictions respond with their “JURISDICTIONAL AUTHORITY,” a Unified Command must be established.



Public Information Officer

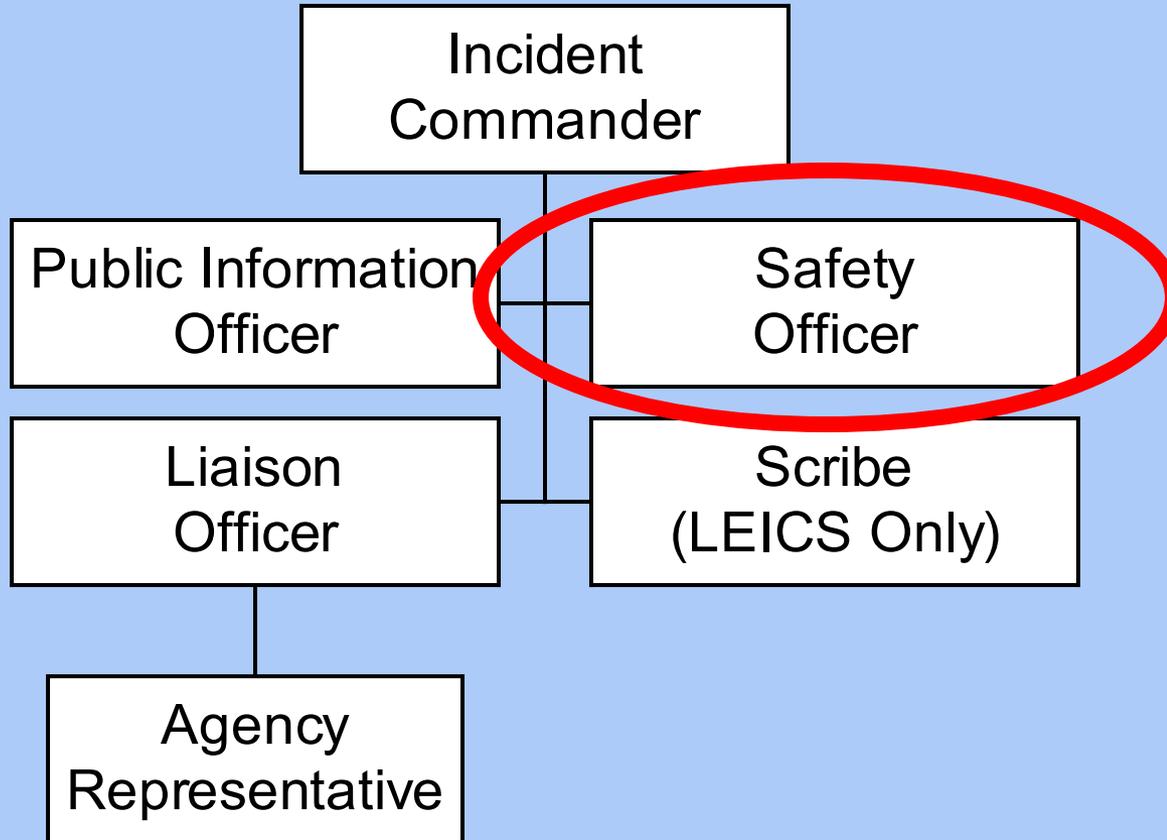


Public Information Officer

- One per Incident
- Central point for information dissemination
- Incident Commander approval needed for all releases
- Provides periodic media briefings
- Rumor control
- If necessary, establishes a Joint Information Center



Safety Officer

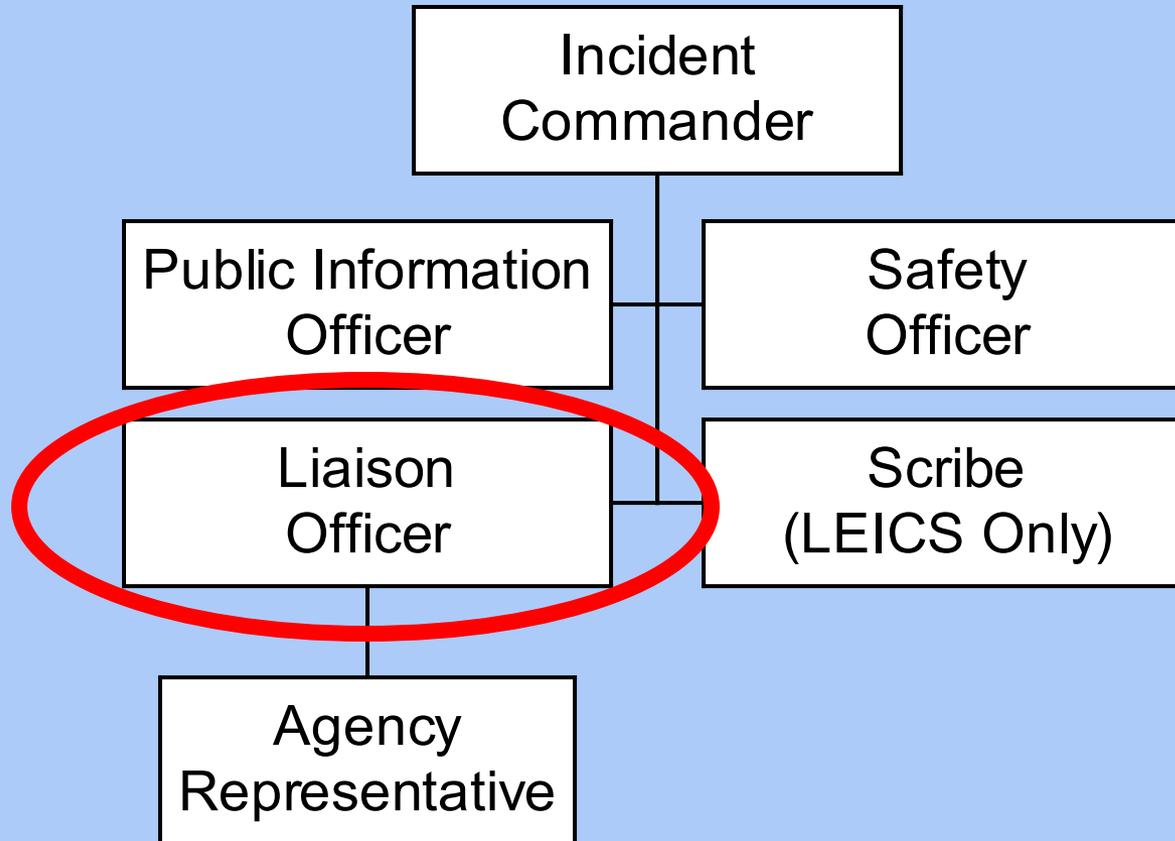


Safety Officer

- One per incident
- Anticipates, detects and corrects unsafe situations
- Reviews Action Plan for safety implications
- Has authority to stop unsafe activities (Outside of the Action Plan)

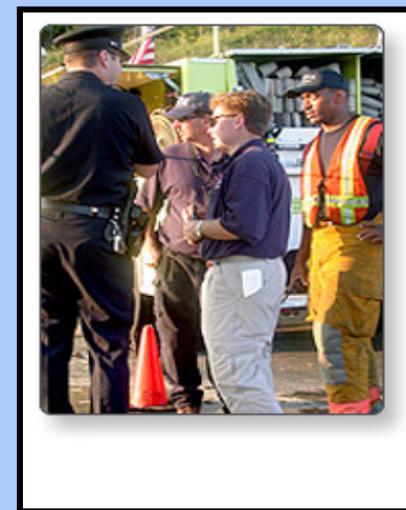


Liaison Officer

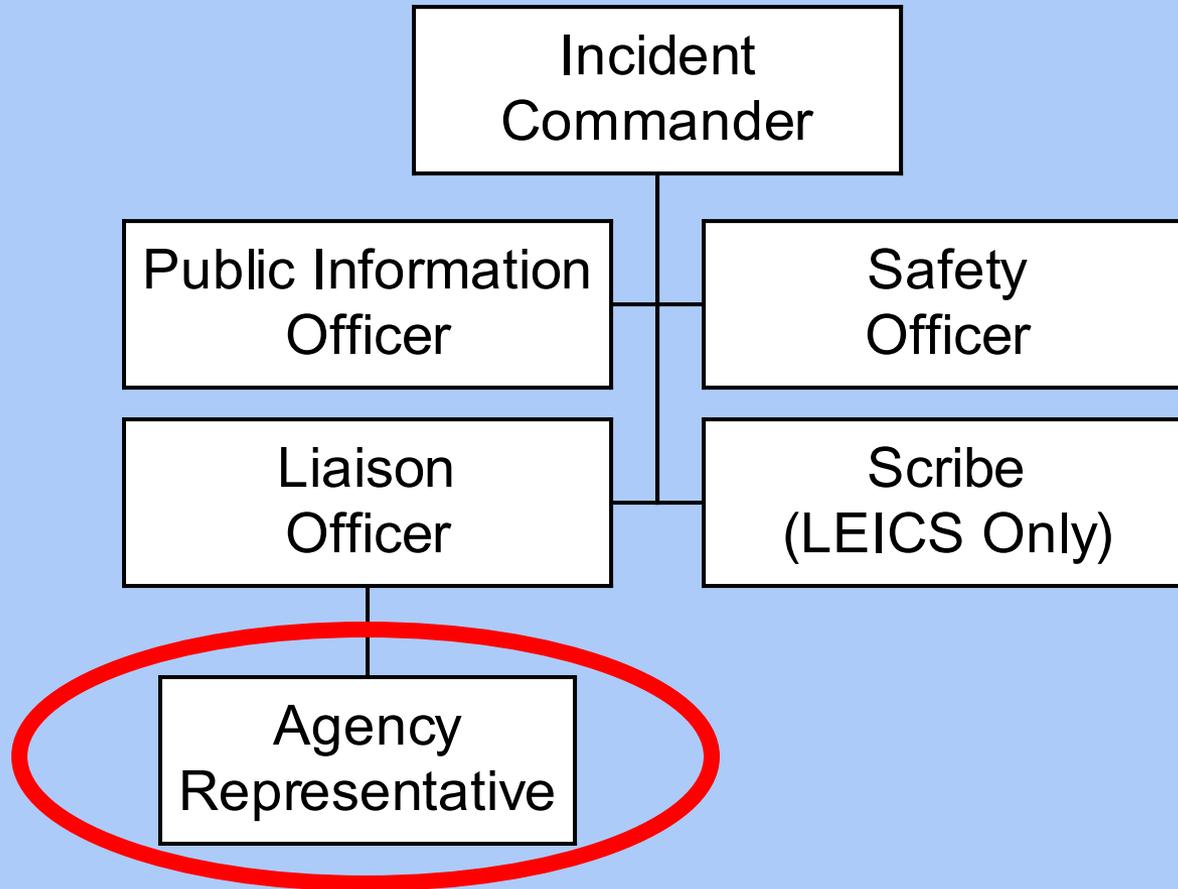


Liaison Officer

- Point of contact for other responding organizations
- Assists in-coming organizations in obtaining incident information
- Provides for accountability of contributing organizations resources
- Provides info to Agencies not responding



Agency Representative



Agency Representative

- Individual assigned to an incident by an assisting or cooperating agency.
- Must have the authority to make decisions for their agency
- Report to the Liaison Officer (if delegated) or Incident Commander

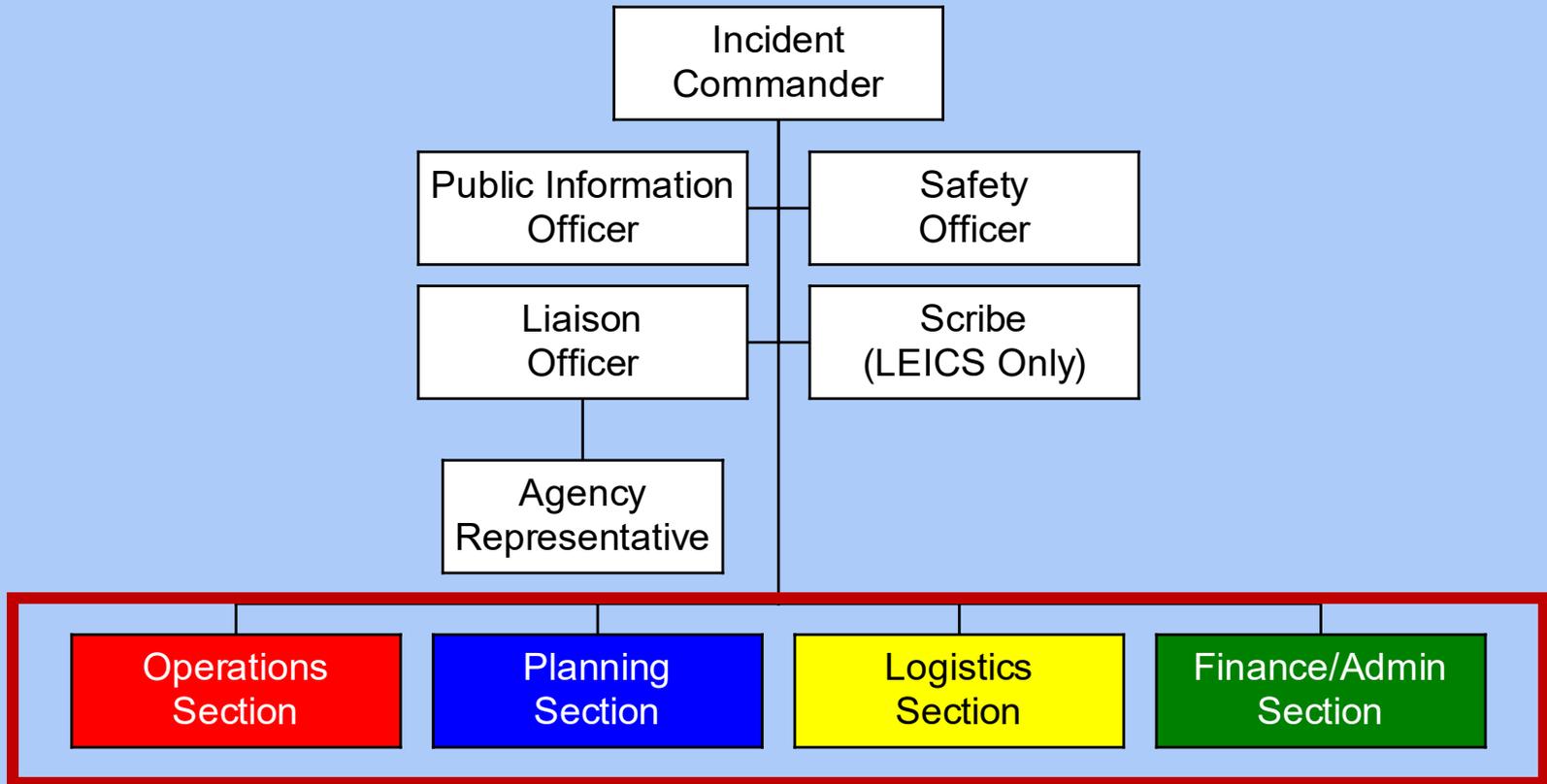


Assistant

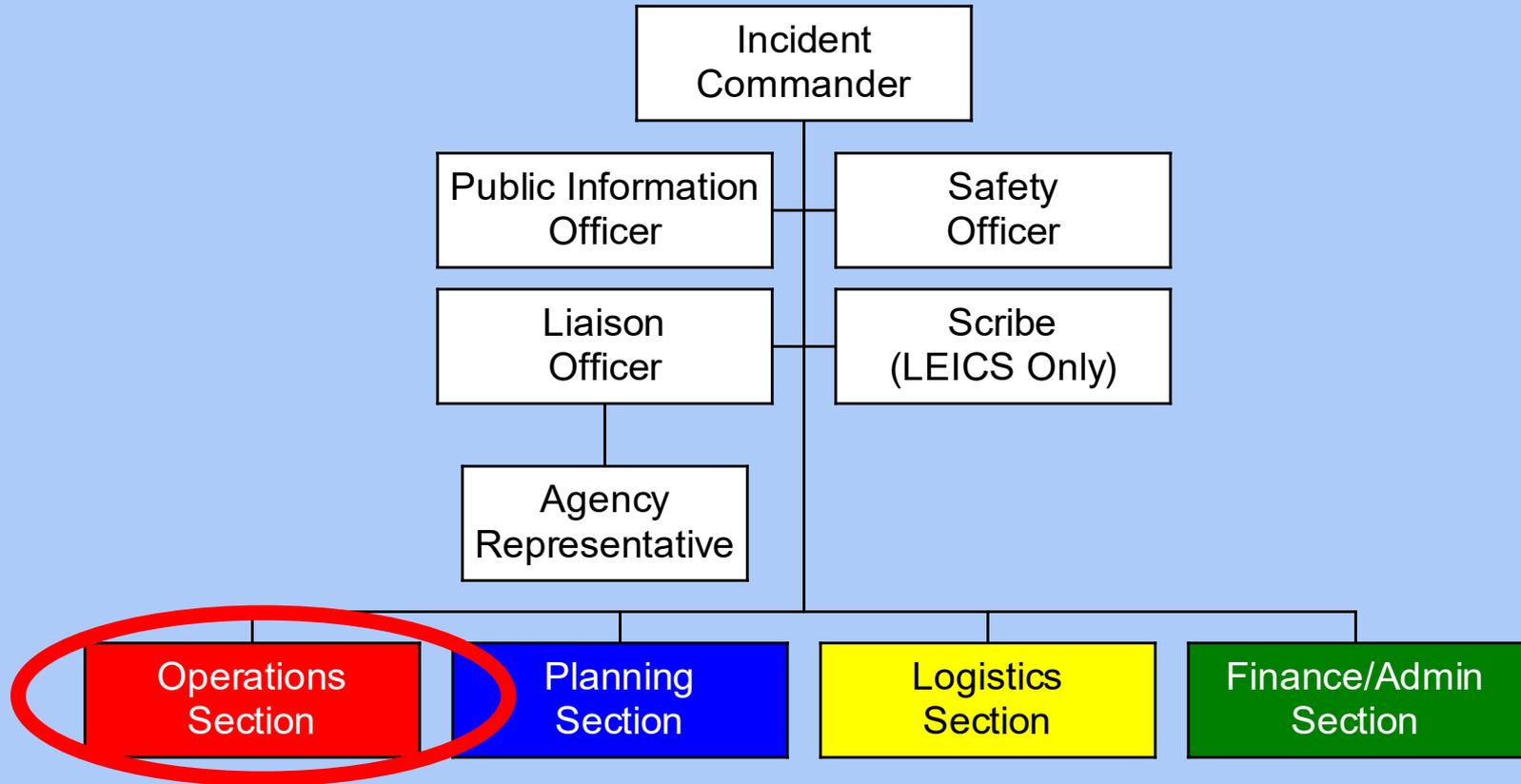
- Assistants are subordinates of Command Staff, particularly for the Public Information Officer and Safety Officer



General Staff



Operations Section



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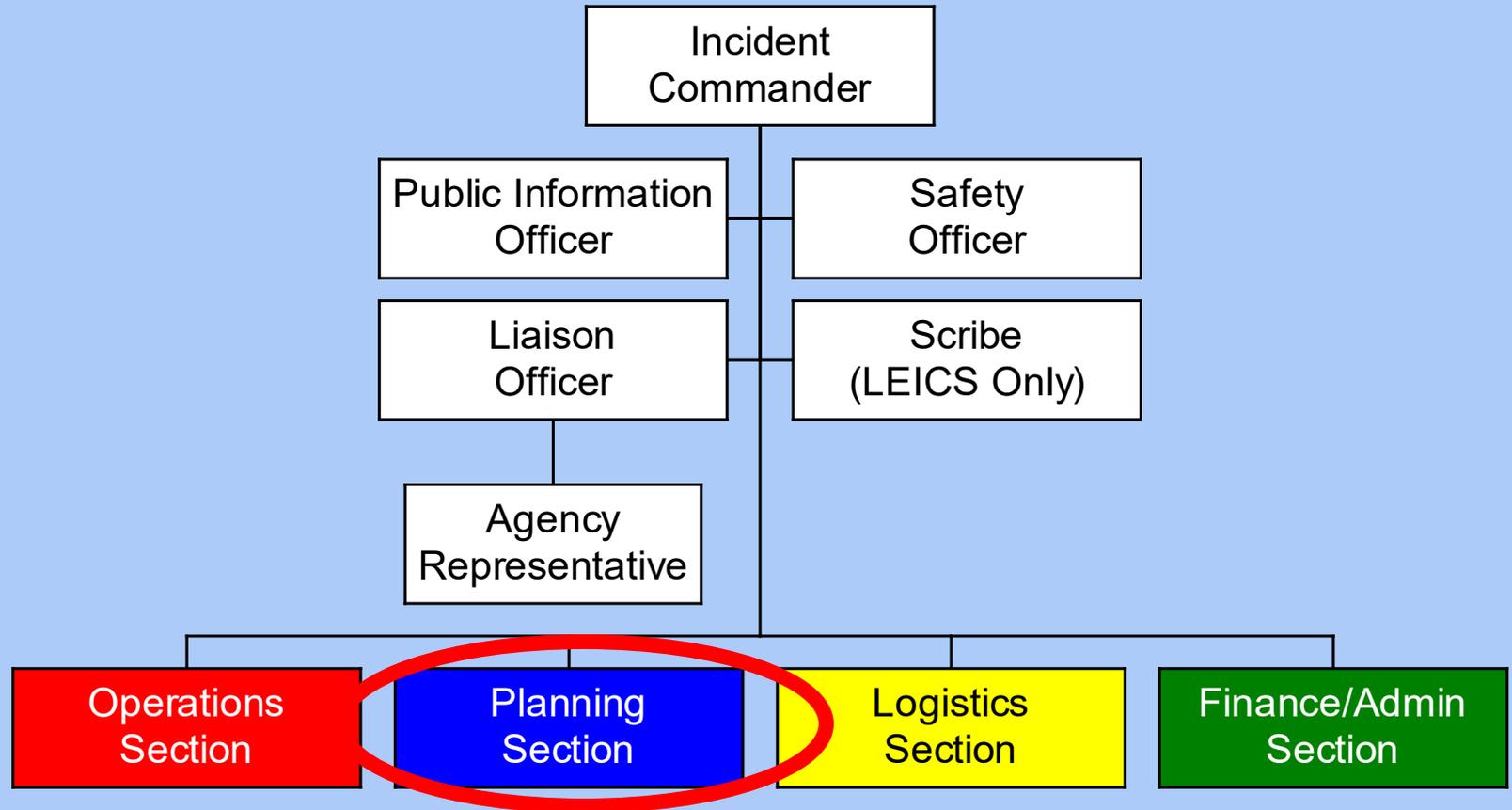
- Directs and coordinates all incident tactical operations (Police, Fire, Public Works)
- Organization develops as required
- Organization can consist of:
 - Single Resources, Task Forces or Strike Teams
 - Staging Areas
 - Air Resources
 - Divisions, Groups or Branches

Staging Area

- Location at which incident assigned resources are held pending tactical assignment
- Most large incidents will have a Staging Area, and some incidents may have several.
- Must be on a 3 minute available status.



Planning Section



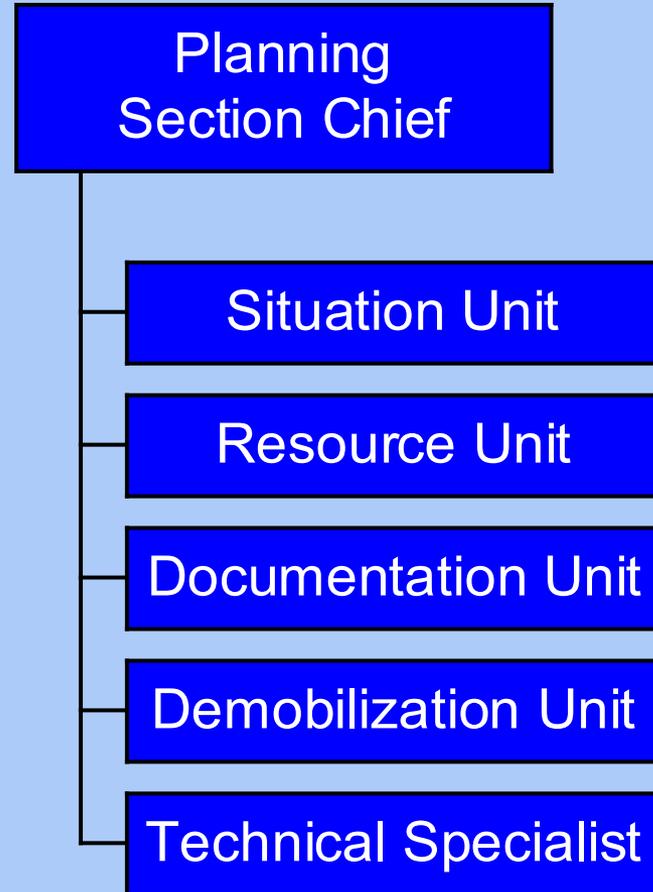
Planning Section

- Maintains Resource Status
- Maintains Situation Status
- Prepares Incident Action Plan
- Prepares Demobilization Plan
- Provides Documentation Services
- Provides Technical Specialists

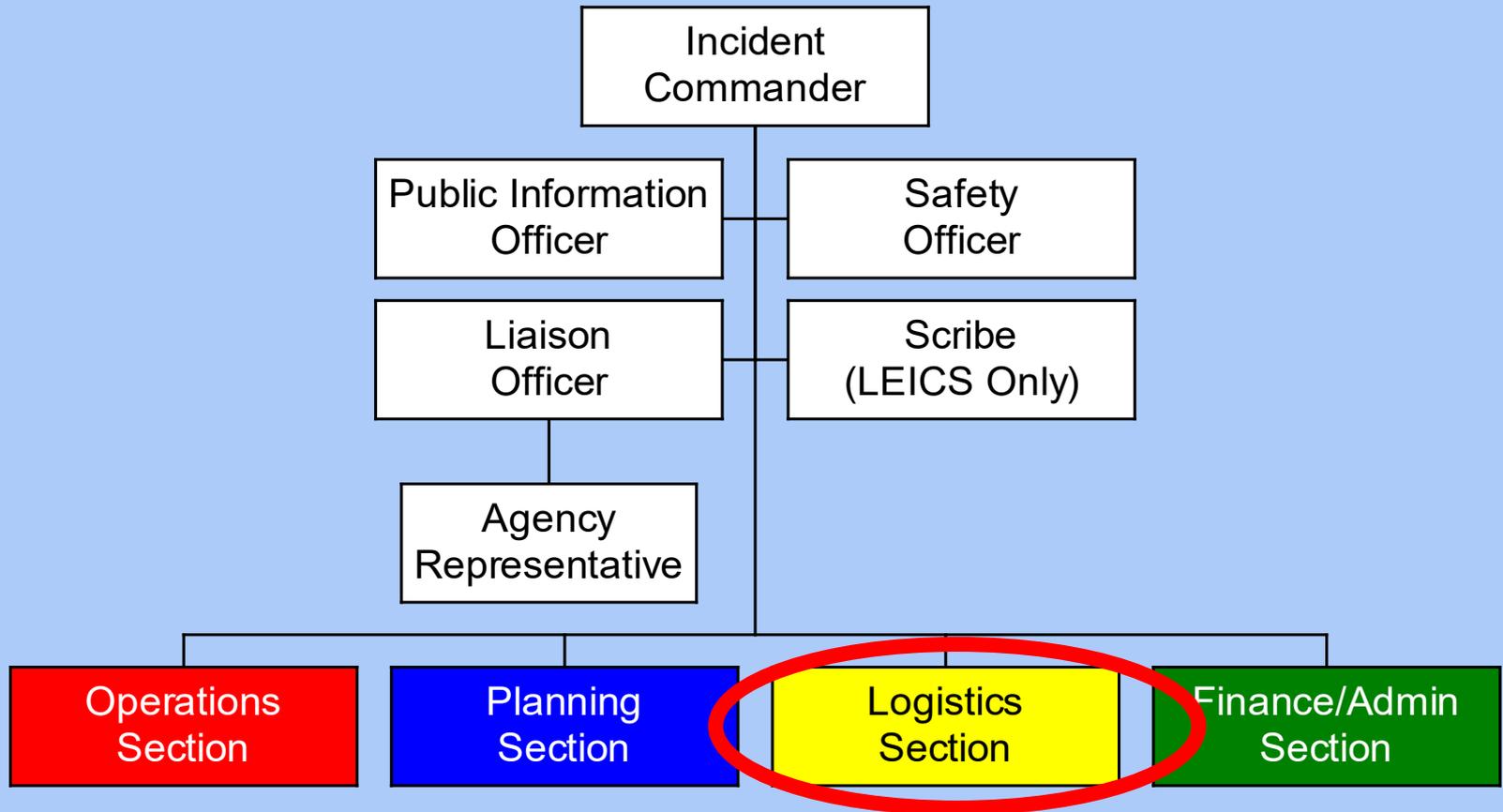


Planning Section

Can be organized as follows:



Logistics Section



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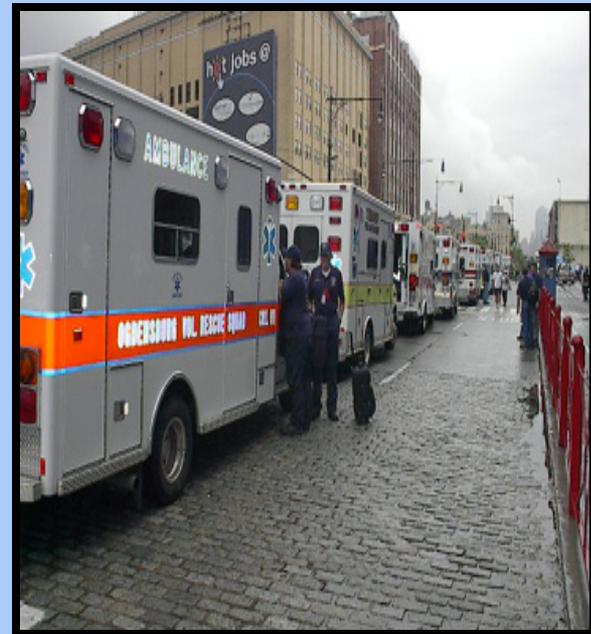
- Provides services and support to the incident or event
- Six principle activities
- Two Branch structure if needed
 - Support
 - Services



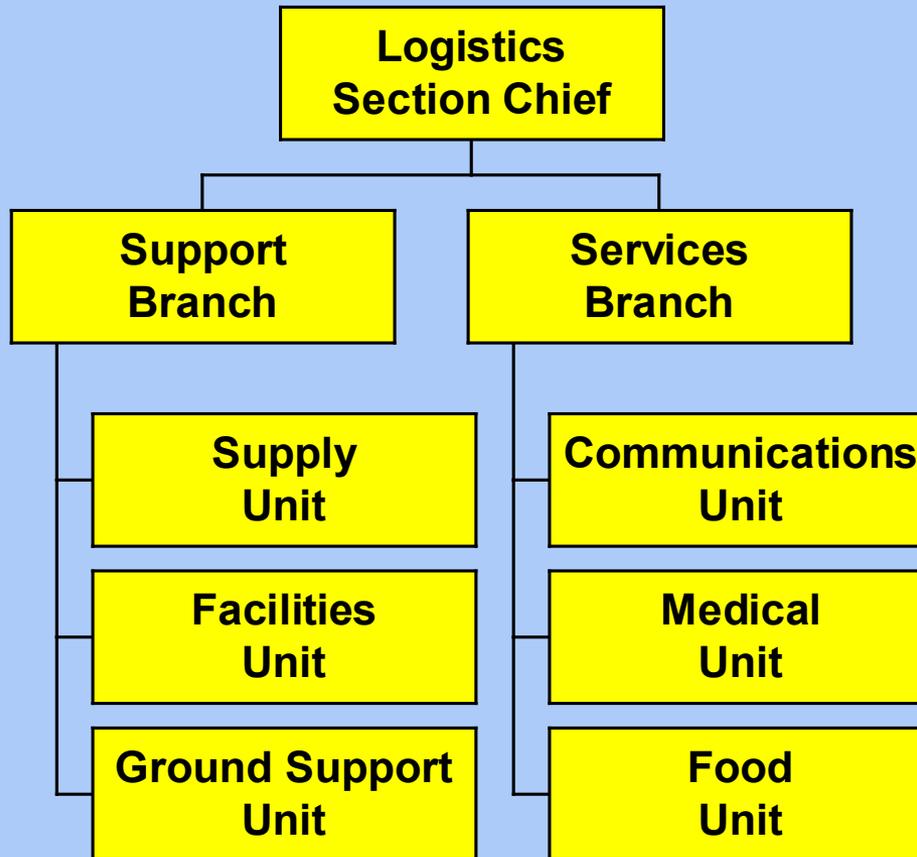
Logistics Section

Primary Logistics Section Units:

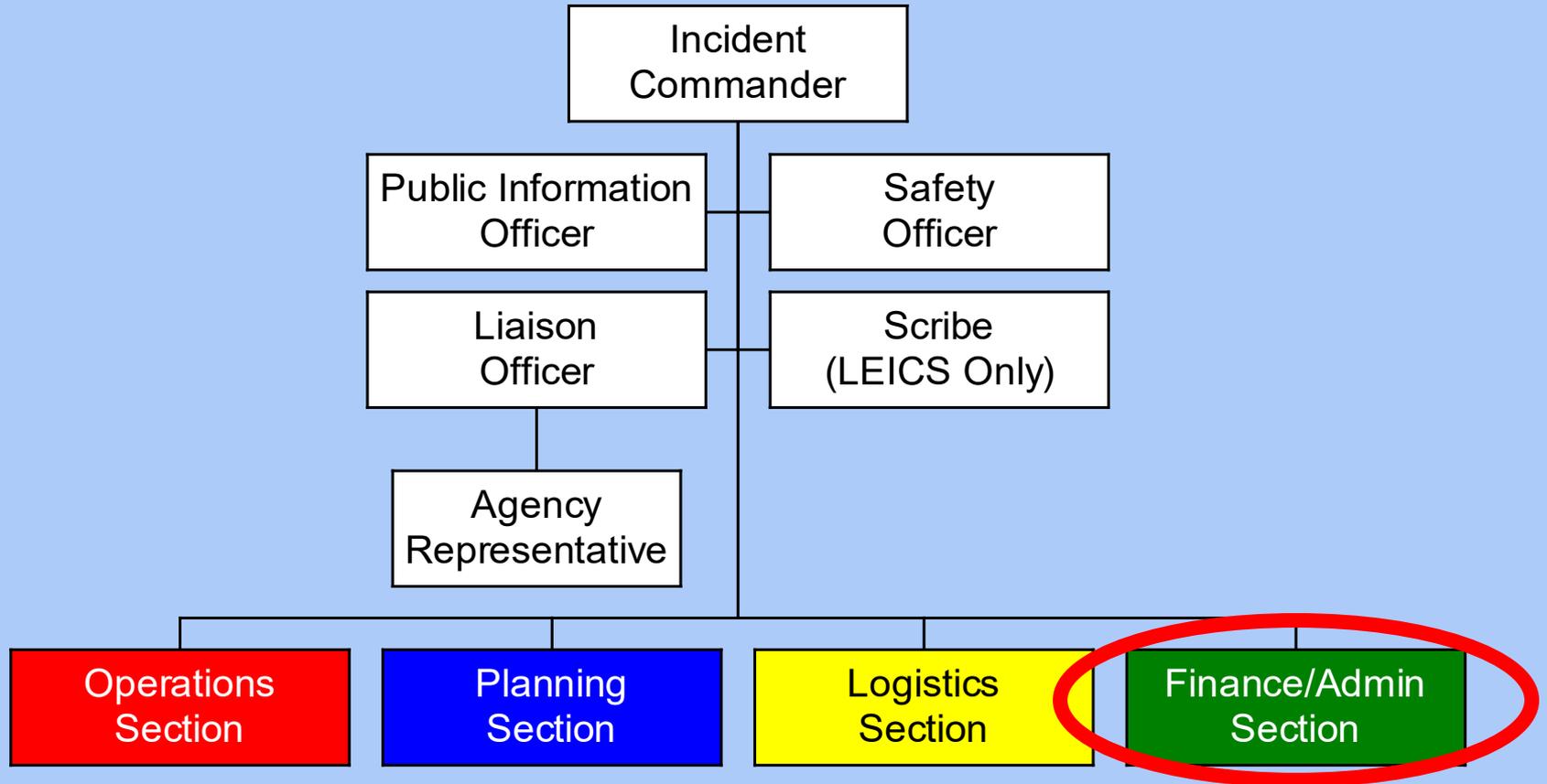
- Communications
- Medical
- Food
- Supply
- Facilities
- Ground Support



Logistics Branch Structure



Finance & Administration Section

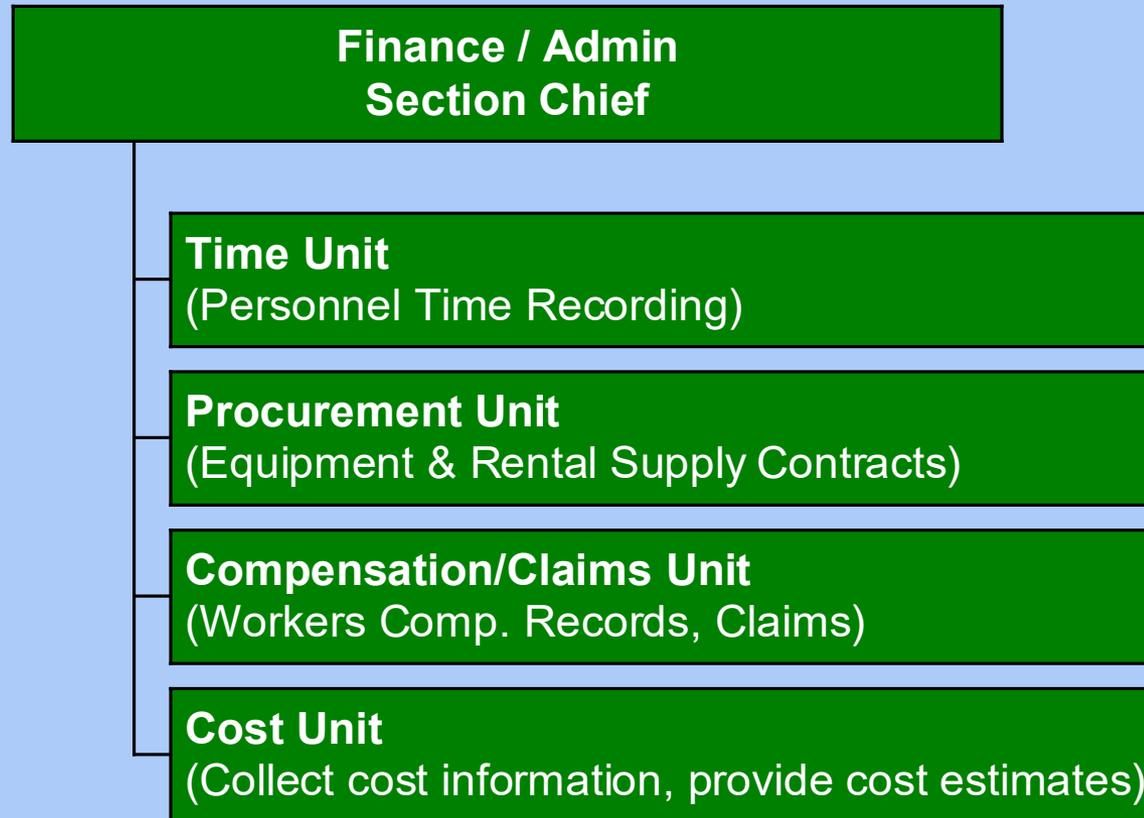


Finance & Administration Section

- Monitors incident costs
- Maintains financial records
- Administers procurement contracts
- Performs time recording



Finance & Administration Section



Developing an ICS Organization in the Field

- Establish an Incident Command Post
- Determine organization needs
- Consider Command Staff needs
- Monitor & maintain span of control
- Demobilize organizational elements when possible
- Avoid combining organizational elements

Common Responsibilities

- Receive assignment from your agency
- Bring any specialized supplies or equipment
- Follow check-in procedures
- Obtain a briefing upon arrival



Common Responsibilities

- Use clear text communications
- Acquire necessary work materials
- Organize and brief subordinates
- Brief relief personnel
- Complete required forms
- Follow Demobilization Plan



Incident Facilities

ICS predetermines certain facilities:

- Incident Command Post
- Staging Area
- Base (wildfires)
- Camp (wildfires)
- Helibase (wildfires)
- Helispot (wildfires)

Facility Considerations:

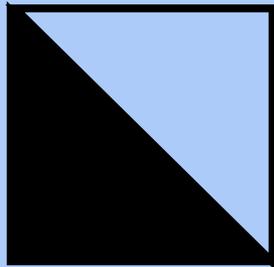
- The needs of the incident take first priority
- Length of time the facility will be in use
- Cost to establish the facility
- Environmental concerns

Incident Command Post



Incident Command Post

- Location where primary command functions are performed
- Only one per incident, even when multi-jurisdictional
- May be located with other facilities
- Normally not relocated



Incident Command Post

- Command Function carried out at ICP
- Communication Center often adjacent
- Planning Function normally done at ICP
- Situation and Resource displays
- Agency Representatives normally located at ICP



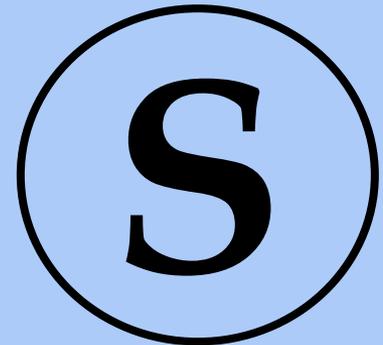
ICP Site Considerations

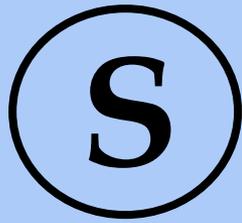
- Away from noise and confusion
- Out of the present & potential hazard
- When possible, in sight of incident
- Have to ability to grow with the incident
- Announce activation and location



Staging Area

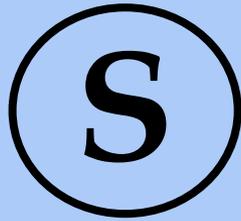
- Temporary locations for resources awaiting assignment
- May be several Staging Areas
- Resources available within 3 minutes
- Staging Area Manager required
- May include fueling and sanitation





Staging Area

- Located out of line of hazardous affects to minimize risk
- Different access routes for in-coming and out-going traffic
- Large enough to accommodate available resources and potential growth
- Location to minimize environmental damage

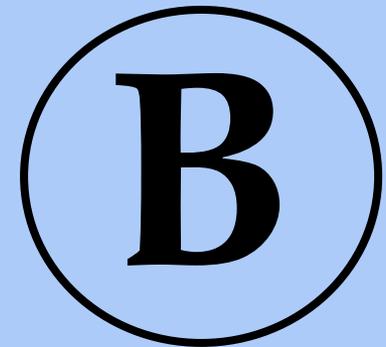


Staging Area

- Provides location for resources to be formed into operational units (task forces, strike teams)
- Allows the Ops Chief or IC to properly plan for resource use and provide for contingency plans
- Control and assist “Check-In” for personnel
- Minimize excessive communications of resources calling for assignments

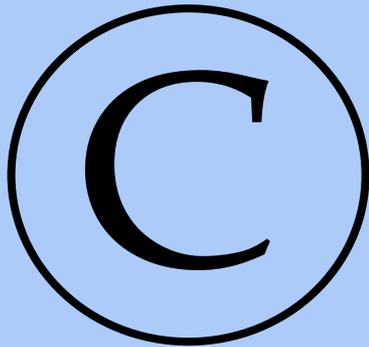
Incident Base

- Primary support facility
- Logistics Section located
- “Out-of-Service” personnel and equipment located here
- One Base per Incident
- Base Manager will be designated



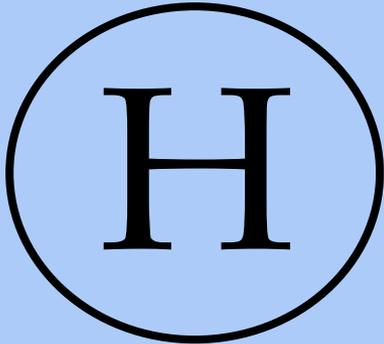
Incident Camps

- Temporary location to provide services to incident personnel
- All Base activities can be accomplished at a Camp
- Camp Manager is always assigned



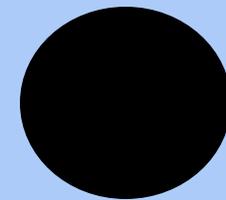
Helibase

- Location where helicopters are parked, maintained, refueled, loaded
- Can be located at an airport or other off-incident location
- Helibase Manager will be assigned



Helispot

- Temporary location that Helicopters can safely land and take-off
- Can be used to load and unload personnel, supplies and equipment
- Helispot Manager may be assigned (Reports to Heliport Manager)



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Questions ???



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Standardized Emergency Management System Introduction

SEMS Components

The Four Components of SEMS are:

- Incident Command System (ICS)
- Multi-Agency / Inter-Agency Coordination (MACS)
- State's Mutual Aid Program
- Operational Area Concept

Inter-Agency Coordination System

- Agencies and/or Jurisdictions with a Response Requirement (Jurisdictional Authority)
- Facilitates the Management of Resources and Response Information



Master Mutual Aid System

- 1950 agreement among all CA political subdivisions.
- Voluntary and reciprocal agreements which provide services, resources, and facilities, when jurisdictional resources are inadequate.
- Several Mutual Aid Systems form essential links in SEMS.

Operational Area Concept

- County and All Political Subdivisions
- Coordinate Mutual Aid within the County Boundaries

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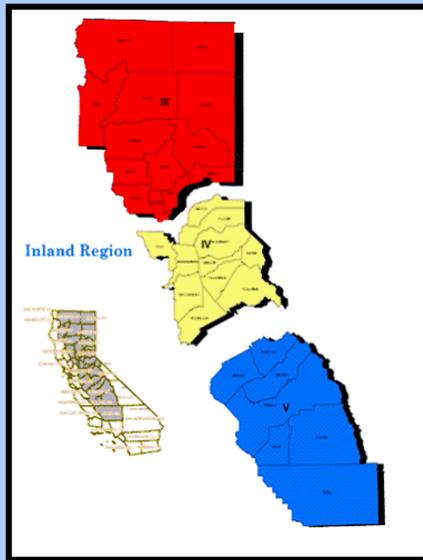
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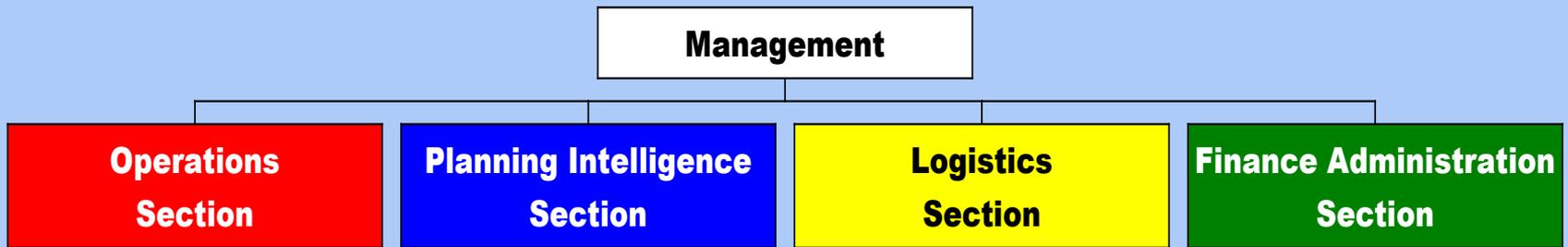
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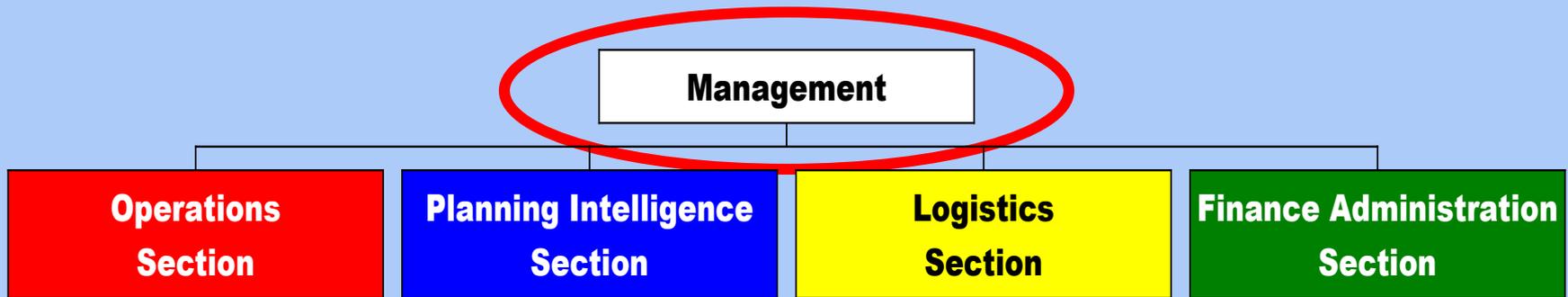
SEMS Organization

SEMS Functional Organization Chart



Five Functions

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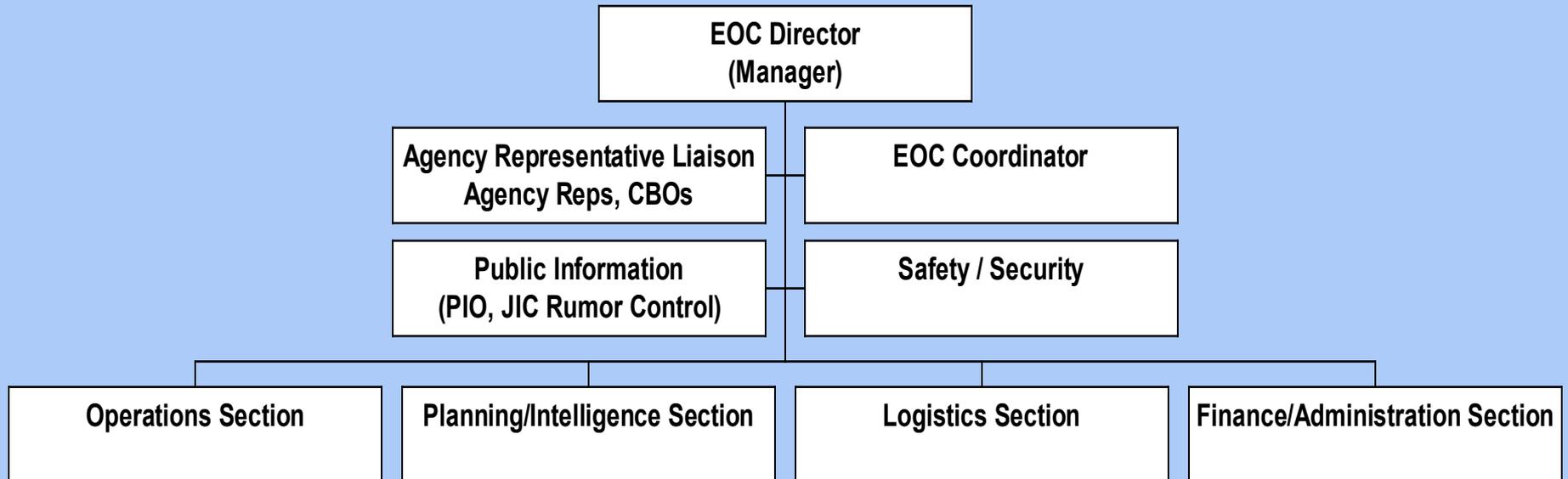
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Management:

- Sets policy for the jurisdiction
- Provides for continuity
- Directs the overall emergency response
- Ultimate accountability

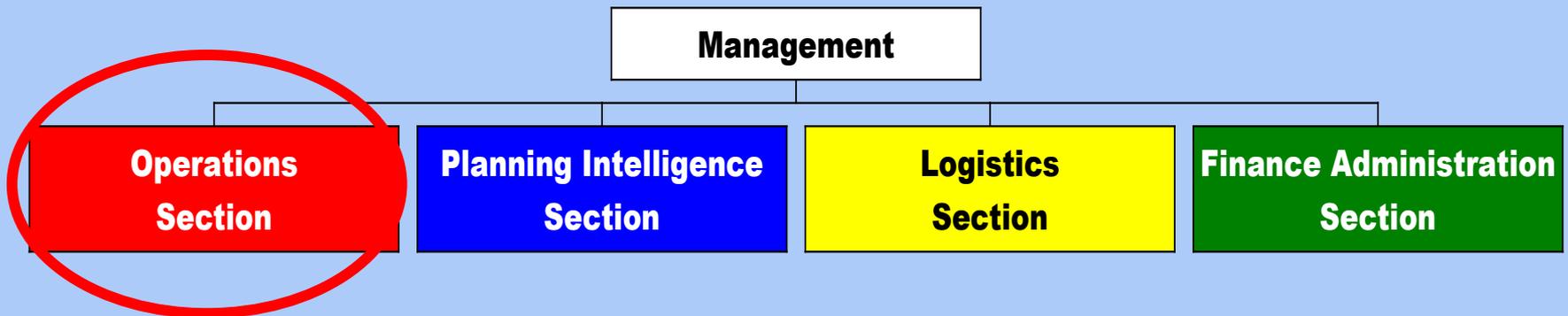


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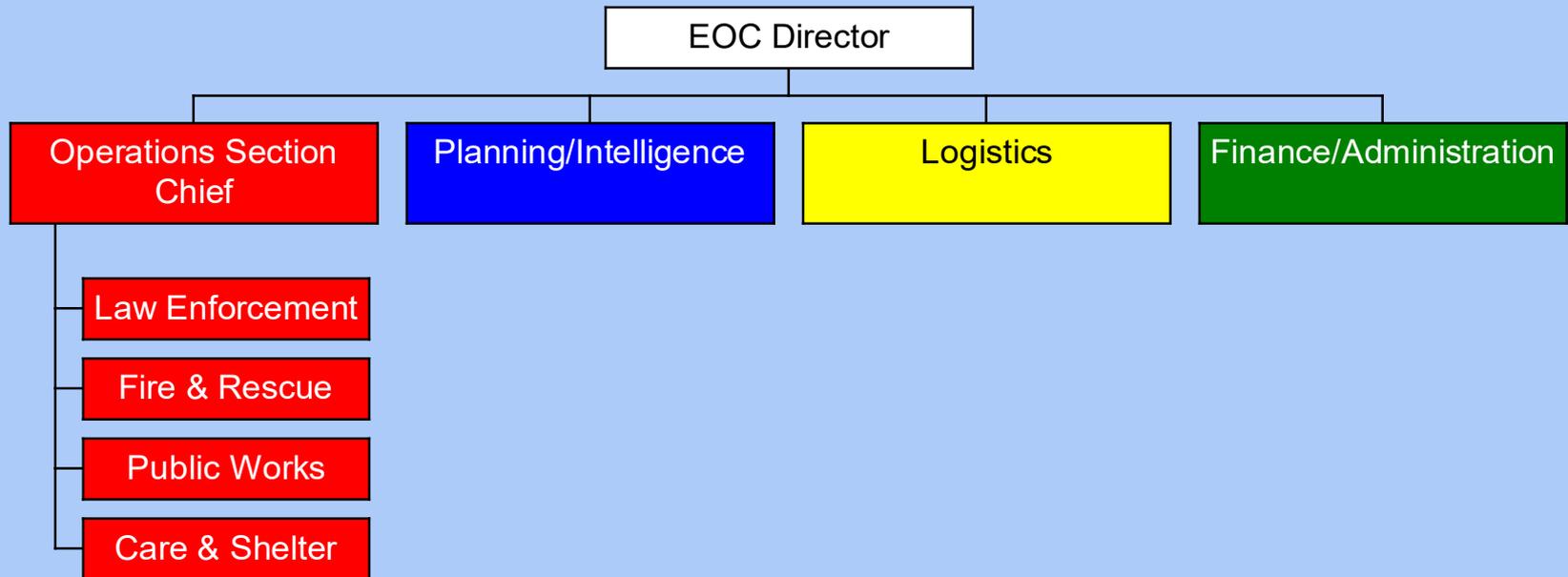


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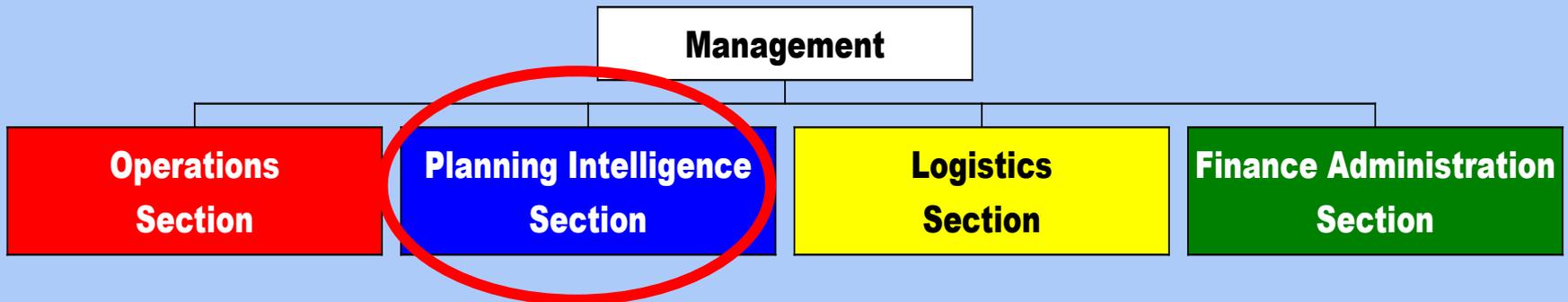
- Coordinates inter-agency response
- Receive, Evaluate and Respond to Requests for Assistance/Resources in accordance with the EOC Action Plan.
- Participate in setting jurisdiction-wide priorities
- Provide Field Status Reports to Management and Planning Intelligence

Operations



Five Functions

SEMS Functional Organization Chart



Five Functions

Planning & Intelligence:

- Collects / analyzes information
- Develops Situation Reports
- Documentation Services
- Action Planning
- Advanced Planning

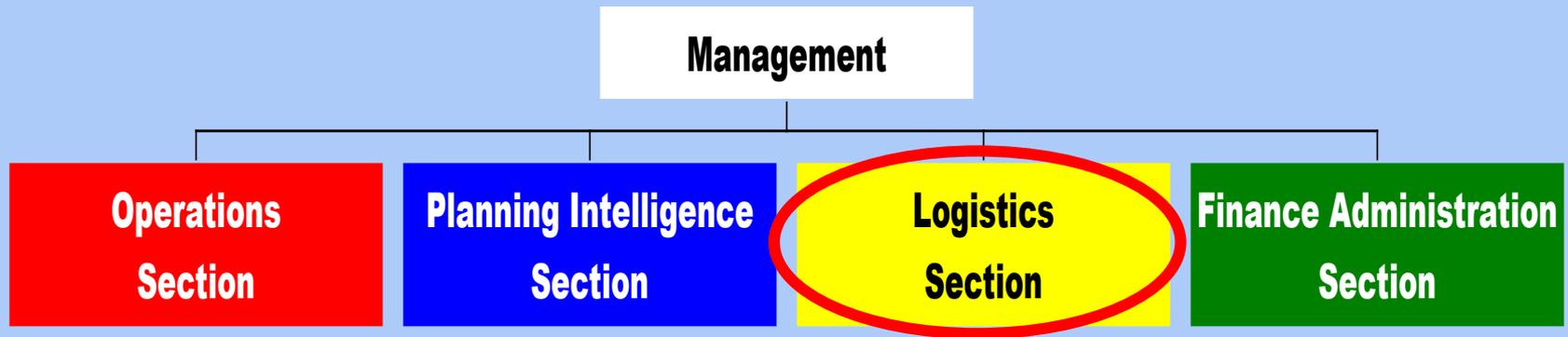


Planning / Intelligence



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Logistics



Personnel



**Transportation
and Facilities**



Equipment

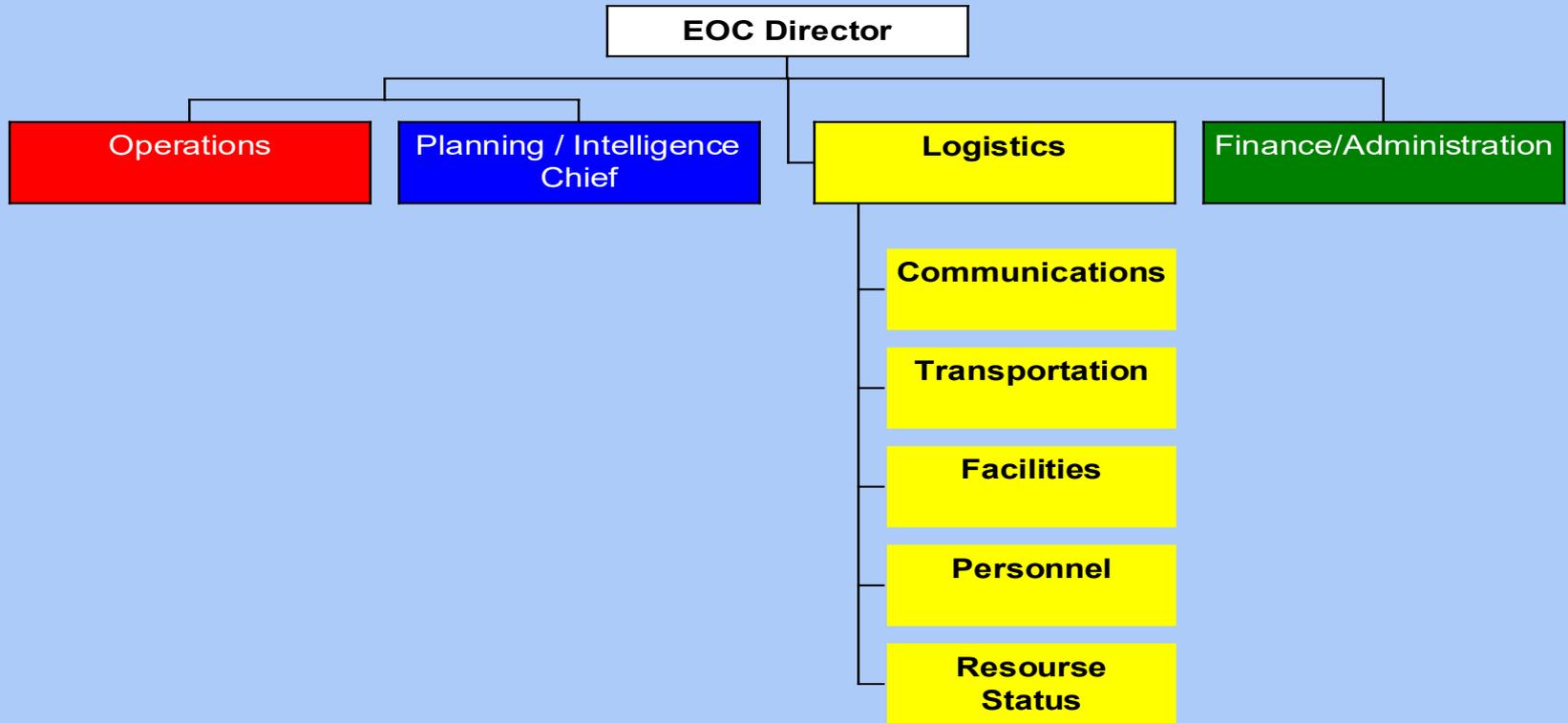


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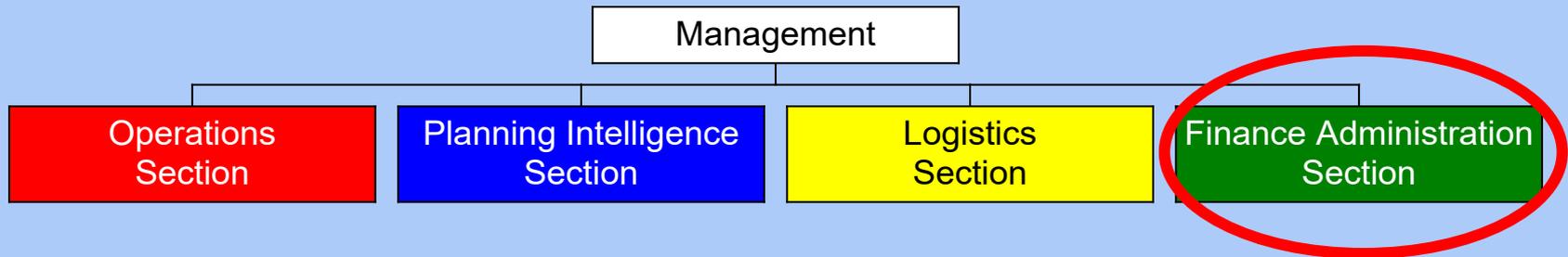
Procurement

Logistics



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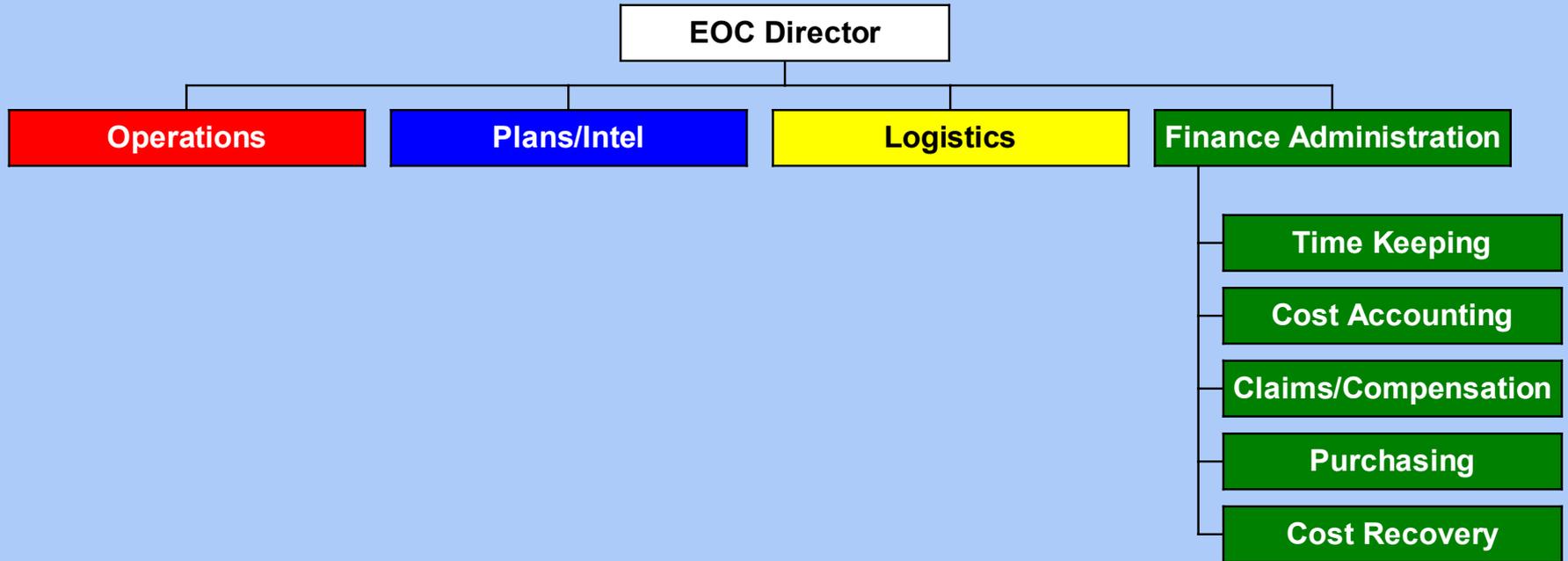
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Finance / Administration:



- Provide input in all plans for financial and cost analysis
- Prepare all financial obligation documents
- Prepare incident cost summaries as needed
- Processing Claims & Compensation requests

Finance / Administration



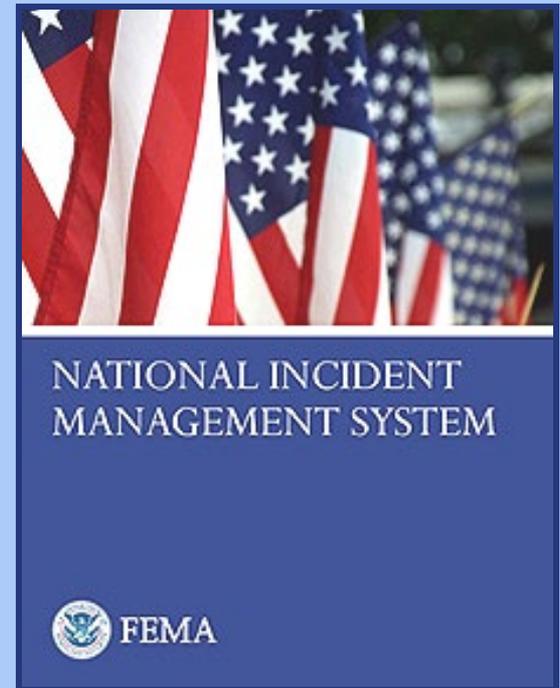
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National Incident Management System



Why We Need NIMS

- Lessons Learned Point To Need For National System
- Emergencies Happen Daily
- Responders Need To Be Able To Work / Communicate Together
- No Comprehensive Standards For Response
- Provides Standards For Domestic Incident Response



NIMS

- National approach to Incident Management
- Across Functional Disciplines & Jurisdictional Levels
- Applies to all events regardless of size or complexity



Intent of NIMS

Just as with SEMS

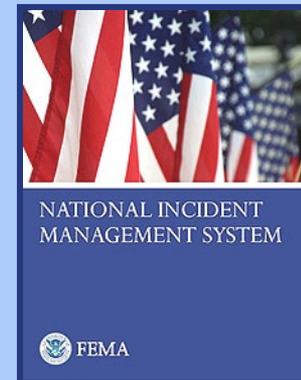
Improve coordination between responding agencies

But also incorporate support from:

- Private Sector
- Non-Government Organizations
- Tribal Governments

NIMS Compliance

- Federal Agencies must use NIMS.
- State, Local and Tribal Governments must comply with NIMS in order to receive federal funding just as we must use SEMS to receive State funding.



Governor's Executive Order S-2-05

- Directs SEMS
Advisory Board to
integrate SEMS and
NIMS
- Identify statutes or
regulatory changes
necessary



Concepts & Principles

NIMS is:

- Flexible to support all organizations in working together
- Standardized to improve overall response and interoperability



Components of NIMS

- Command & Management
- Preparedness
- Resource Management
- Communications / Information Management
- Supporting Technologies
- Ongoing Management & Maintenance

Command & Management

- Incident Command System
- Multi-Agency Coordination System
- Public Information System

Multi-Agency Coordination Systems

- A combination of resources
- Integrated into a common framework
- Used to coordinate and support incident management activities



Multi-Agency Coordination Systems

- Support incident management policies and priorities
- Facilitate logistics support and resource tracking
- Make resource allocation decisions based on incident management priorities
- Coordinate incident-related information
- Coordinate inter-agency and inter-jurisdictional issues regarding incident management policies, priorities, and strategies

Ongoing Management & Maintenance

After Action Report (Corrective Actions)

- Exercise
- Events

Improvement Plan requires after-action suggestions and specific dates that they are to be completed

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NIMS - Preparedness

Responsibilities of Preparedness Organizations

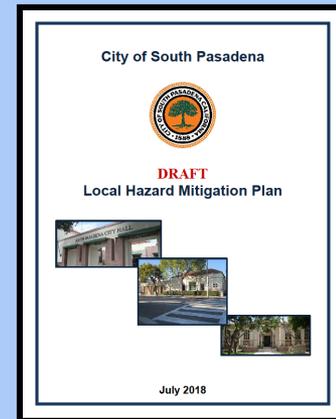
- Establishing/coordinating plans and protocols
 - All Plans will be in accordance with the State Emergency Plan
 - Protocols will comply with SEMS
- Promote interoperability
- Adopting guidelines for resource management
- Establishing response priorities
- Establishing/maintaining multi-agency coordination mechanisms

Preparedness Plans

- Plans describe how resources will be used
- Plans describe mechanisms for:
 - Setting priorities
 - Integrating entities/functions
 - Establishing relationships
- Ensuring that systems support all incident management activities

Types of Plans

- Department Emergency Plans (Specific)
- Emergency Operation Plans (EOC)
- Procedures (Annexes)
- Mitigation Plans (Local Hazard Mitigation Plan)
- Recovery Plans (Part of Emergency Plan)



NIMS Integration Center

NIC:

Oversees all aspects of NIMS including:

- development of compliance criteria
- implementation activities at federal, state and local levels.

Provides guidance and support to jurisdictions as they adopt the system.

NIMS Integration Center

Established by the Department of Homeland Security, provides oversight on:

- Training & Exercises
- Personnel qualifications and certifications
- Publication Management
- Equipment Certification

Training & Exercises

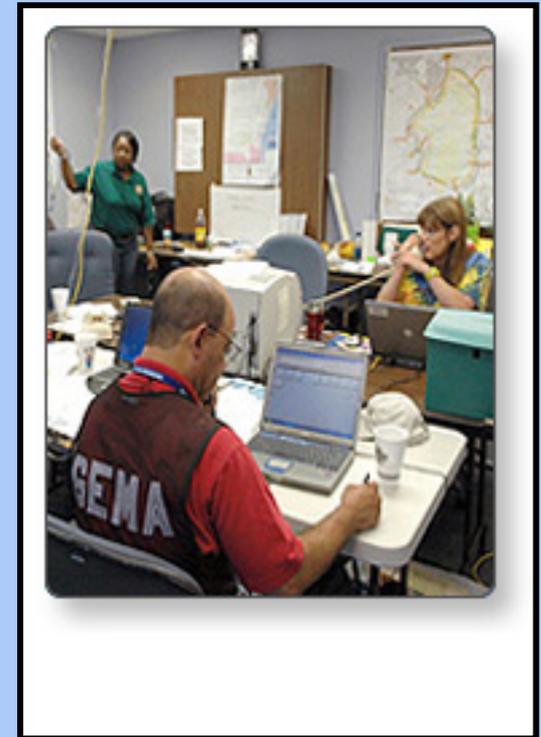
The NIC will:

- Facilitate development and dissemination of national standards, guidelines, and protocols.
- Facilitate use of modeling/simulation.
- Define general training requirements and approved courses.
- Review/approve discipline-specific training requirements.

Personnel Qualifications and Certification

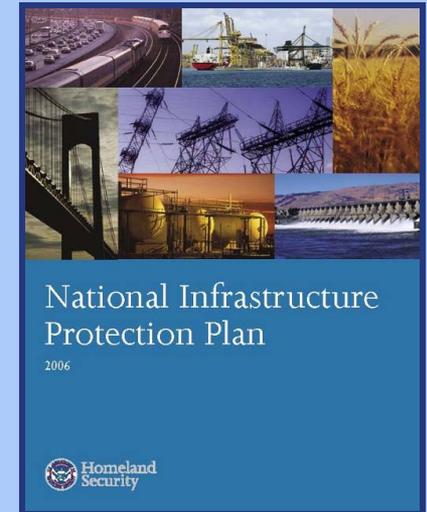
Development of standards, including:

- Training
- Experience
- Credentialing
- Currency requirements
- Physical and medical fitness



Publication Management

- The development of naming and numbering conventions
- Review and certification of publications
- Methods for publications control, including distribution
- Identification of sources and suppliers for publications and related services



Equipment Certification

- Facilitate development of national equipment standards, guidelines, and protocols
- Review and approve equipment meeting national standards



Homeland Security Presidential Directive - 8

HSPD – 8 Directs DHS to coordinate development of the “National Preparedness Goal”

The Goal establishes:

- Measurable Priorities
- Targets, and
- Standards



For assessing the Nation’s overall level of preparedness

HSPD – 8 Planning Scenarios

15 Planning Scenarios:

1. Nuclear Detonation
2. Biological Attack (Aerosol Anthrax)
3. Biological Disease (Pandemic Influenza)
4. Biological Attack (Plague)
5. Chemical Attack (Blister Agent)
6. Chemical Attack (Toxic Industrial Agent)
7. Chemical Attack (Nerve Agent)
8. Chemical Attack (Chlorine Tank Explosion)

HSPD – 8 Planning Scenarios

15 Planning Scenarios:

9. Natural Disaster (Major Earthquake)
10. Natural Disaster (Major Hurricane)
11. Radiological Attack (RDD)
12. Explosives Attack (Bombing using IED)
13. Biological Attack (Contaminated Food)
14. Biological Attack (Foreign Animal Disease)
15. Cyber Attack

Planning Scenario Effects

Each Scenario's Capability to Affect:

1. Causalities
2. Infrastructure Damage
3. Evacuations/Displaced Persons
4. Contamination
5. Economic Impact
6. Potential for Multiple Events
7. Recovery Timeline

Target Capabilities List

36 essential capabilities to developed and maintained to prevent, protect against, respond to and recover from terrorist attacks and major disasters.

- Common
- Prevent Mission
- Protect Mission
- Respond Mission
- Recovery Mission

Universal Tasks List

A detailed tasking list based upon the

- 15 Planning Scenarios
- Target Capabilities List

No one single jurisdiction is expected to perform, or complete all tasks



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NIMS - Resource Management

Resource Management

Areas to be covered

- Resource Typing
- Mutual Aid
- Resource Coordination
- Tracking Resources
- Resource Demobilization



Principles of Resources Management

NIMS identifies 5 principles of Resource Management

1. Advance Planning
(Prior to and during incident response)
2. Resource Identification and Ordering
3. Resource Categorization
4. Use of Agreements
(Mutual Aid and SEMS)
5. Effective Management



Resource Typing

- The NIMS Integration Center (“NIC”) has begun the process of “typing” resources based on measurable standards of capability and performance
- Utilizes typing standards of Fire, Hazardous Materials and Law Enforcement as a guideline
- To date 1200 Resource Types identified
- Process supports ICS’ “Common Terminology”

Resource Management Organization

ICS

- Planning Section Responsibilities
- Logistics Section Responsibilities
- Finance/Administration Section Responsibilities
- Operations Section Responsibilities
- Area Command

SEMS

- Levels of Response
- Coordination at the lowest (nearest) level first

Staging of Resources

- Pre-disaster resource needs identification, and near site locating
- Staging Area
- Mobilization Centers



Mutual Aid

Mutual Aid agreements provide the means for one jurisdiction to provide resource or other support to another jurisdiction during an incident.



CA Master Mutual Aid Agreement

- Originated in 1950 as the Civil Defense and Disaster Mutual Aid Agreement
- Voluntary and reciprocal agreement which provide services, resources, and facilities, when jurisdictional resources are committed and are inadequate



CA Master Mutual Aid Agreement

- Mutual Aid is one of the components of SEMS
- Mutual Aid providers need not jeopardize their capability to protect their community



Mutual Aid

- The jurisdiction/agency where an incident has occurred shall remain in charge
- Agencies receiving mutual aid are responsible for logistical support to all mutual aid personnel and equipment received



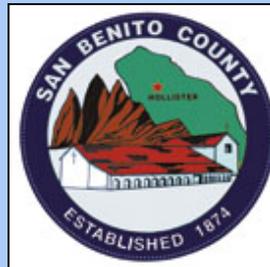
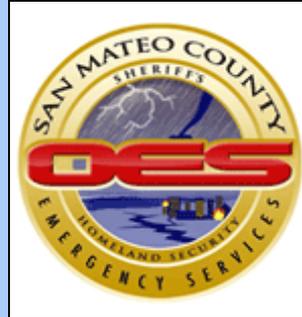
Discipline Specific Plans

Officially recognized California Mutual Aid Plans:

- Fire & Rescue
- Law Enforcement
Coroner (Annex)
- Emergency Management



Operational Area



Mutual Aid Regions

To facilitate Mutual Aid, the state is geographically divided into mutual aid regions



Each Mutual Aid Region has a Regional Coordinator and a State OES Coordinator

Regional Level Mutual Aid

- If Operational Area unable to handle with OA resources, contacts Regional Coordinator
- Regional Coordinator develops response from other OA's in region



Interstate Mutual Aid

- Interstate Agreements
(Oregon, Washington, Nevada)
- Emergency Management Assistance
Compact
(EMAC)



Resource Tracking

Resources are to be tracked from
“Mobilization to Demobilization”

Tracking tools:

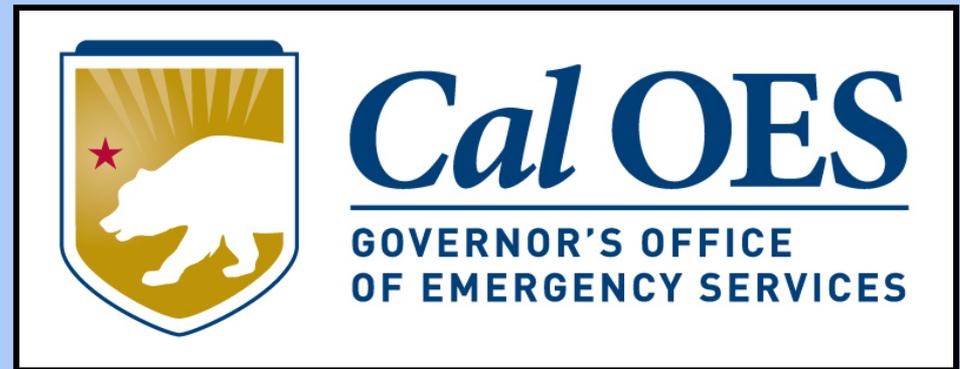
- ICS Forms
- EOC Resources Status Report
- Web EOC / CalEOC

Resource Tracking

Web EOC

CalEOC

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Resource Demobilization

Incident and EOC Action Planning process identifies functions no longer necessary

- Deactivate as soon as possible
- Demobilize the resource

Demobilization is the orderly release and return of resources



Resource Demobilization

Demobilization Priorities:

- Required to be returned to Emergency Services
- Mobilized from off-site (Mutual Aid)
- Local Resources



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NIMS - Public Information

Public Information

As the complexity of the event increases, so to increases the complexity and necessity of Public Information.



Public Information Officer

Why appoint an Information Officer?

- Is it a high visibility incident?
- Are the media taking up the IC's time?
- Will they get the information anyway?
- Are there multiple agencies involved?



Public Information Officer Responsibilities

ICS

Releases must have IC approval prior to release

SEMS

Releases must have EOC Director approval prior to release

Each appoints Assistants to support functions



Joint Information Center

When should a Joint Information Center (JIC) be established?

- Multiple Agencies/Jurisdictions involved
- Incidents of National Significance

Per NIMS:

- JIC must include representatives from all responding organizations
- Must have established protocols & procedures for communicating and coordinating with other JICs

Public Information System

- Incident Commander or EOC Director is responsible for timely and accurate public information.
- Public Information Officer
 - Reports to the Incident Commander/EOC Director
 - Appoints Assistants to support JIC functions
- Multiple JICs coordinate the release of approved Public Information

Questions ???



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Quiz

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ICS Exercise

ICS Exercise

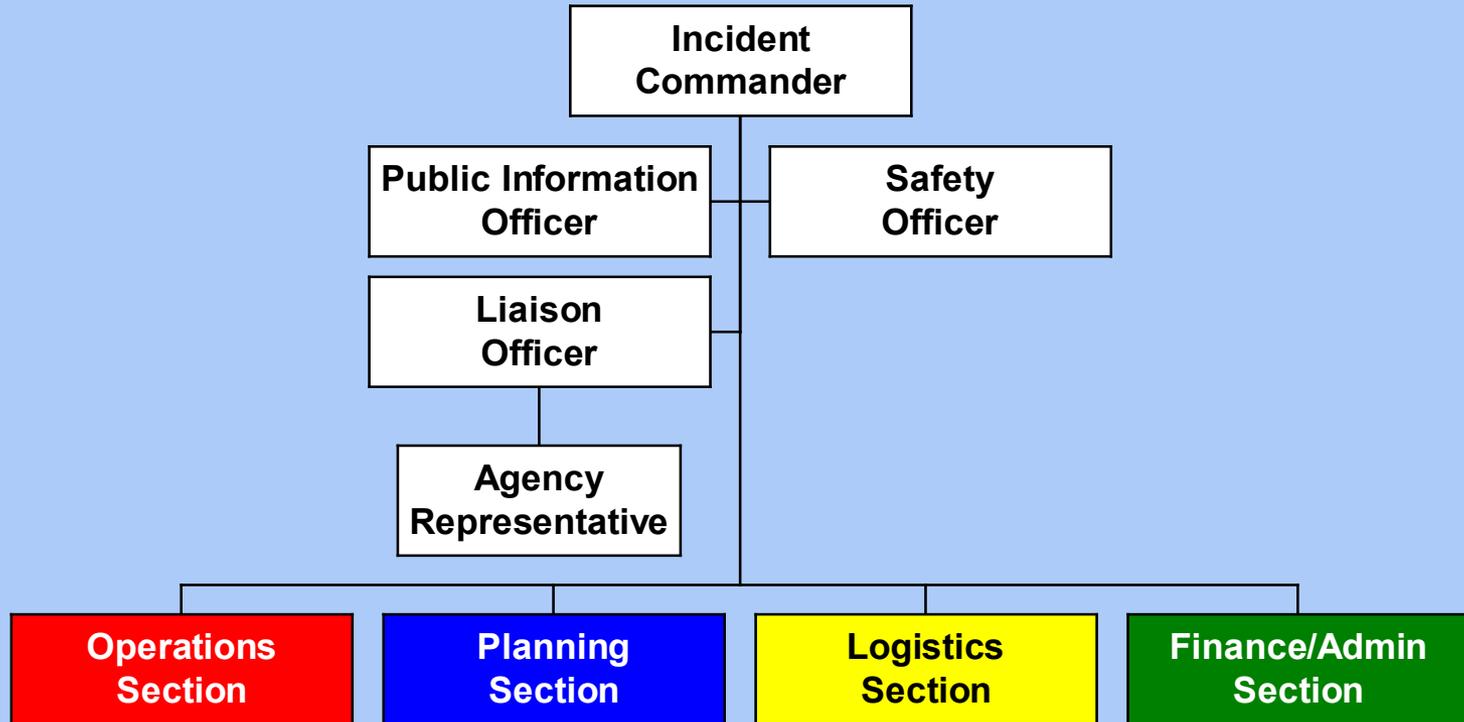
**Participants will break into FIVE groups
Each group will represent**

- **Command**
- **Planning and Intelligence**
- **Operations**
- **Logistics**
- **Finance**

ICS Exercise

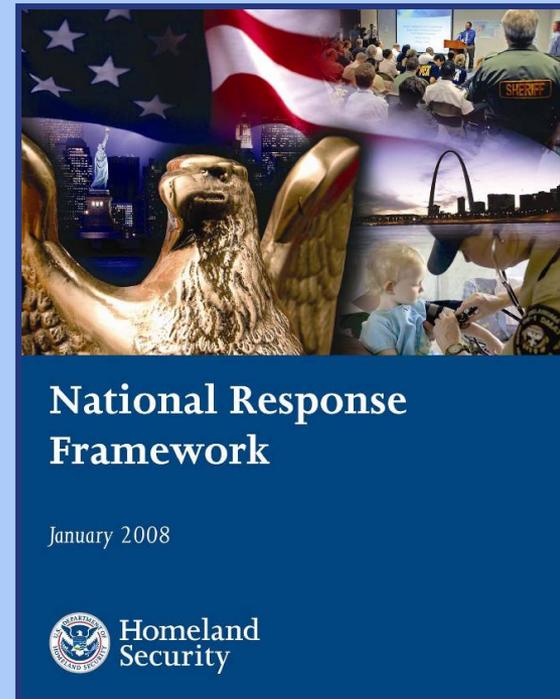
- **Each group will take on the role of an ICS Section in dealing with the scenario**
- **The groups will then report back to the entire class on FIVE ISSUES that they would deal with in this scenario**

ICS Exercise



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IS 800.C National Response Framework



National Mandates

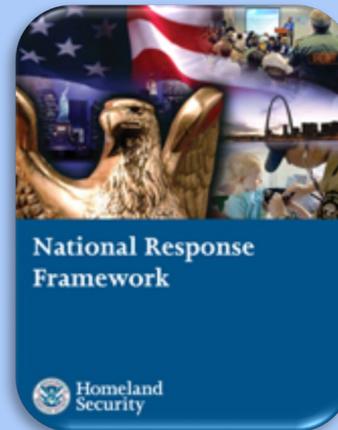
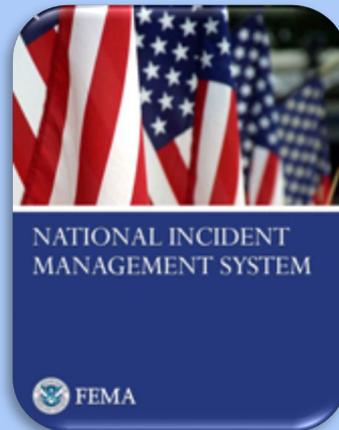
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Management of Domestic Incidents

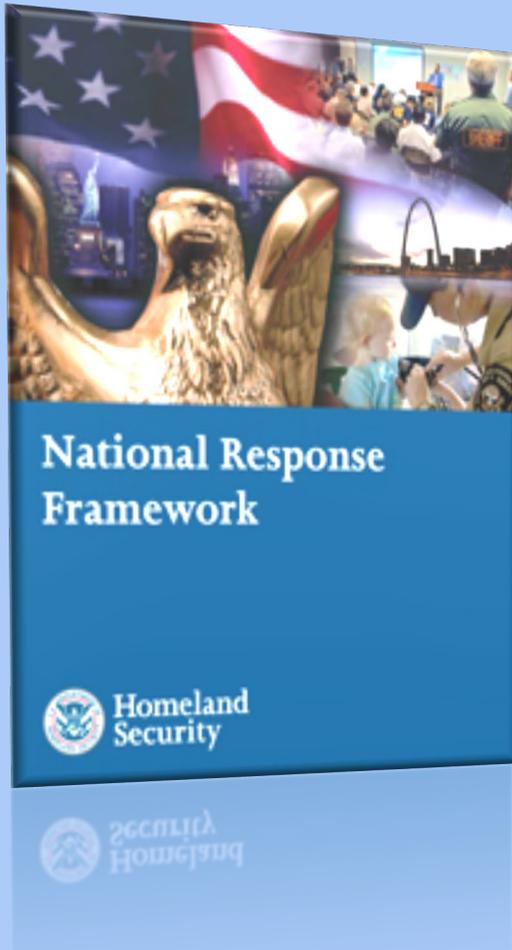
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National Preparedness

Mandates



Framework Purpose



- The purpose of the National Response Framework is to ensure that all response partners:
- Understand domestic incident response roles, responsibilities, and relationships.
 - Respond effectively to any type of incident.

Scope: Domestic Incident Response

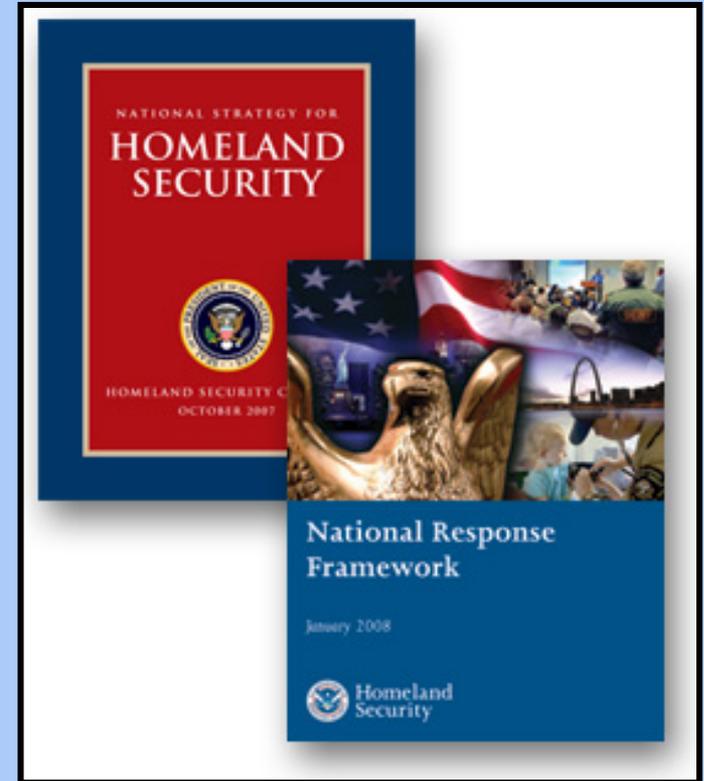
Response includes:

- Immediate actions to save lives, protect property and the environment, and meet basic human needs.
- The execution of emergency plans and actions to support short-term recovery.



Part of a Broader Strategy

The National Response Framework is required by, and integrates under, a larger National Strategy for Homeland Security.



NRF Focus

The Framework:



- Focuses on response and short-term recovery instead of all of the phases of incident management.
- Represents a key component of a broader National Homeland Security Strategy for integrating national efforts for prevention, protection, preparedness, response, and recovery.

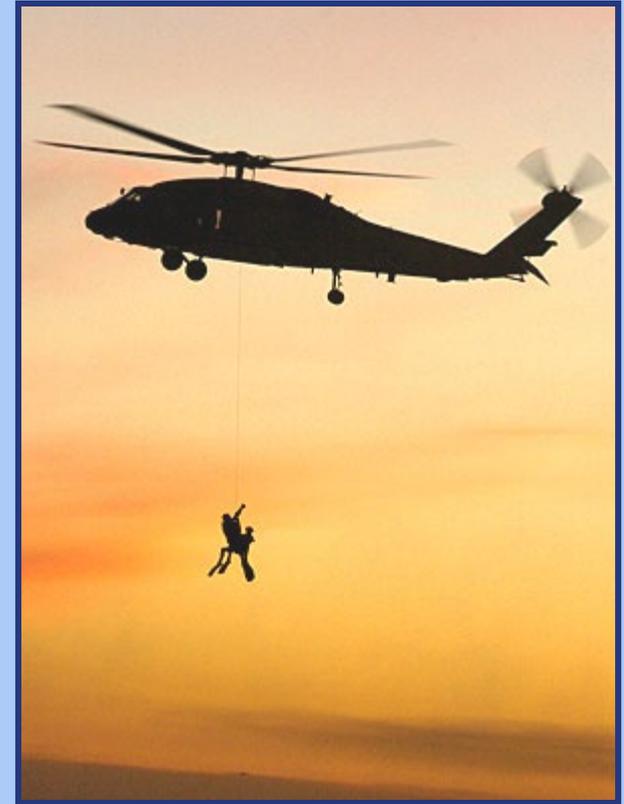
NRF Premise

- The Framework is always in effect and can be implemented at any level at any time.
- Incident management activities are initiated and conducted using the principles contained in the National Incident Management System (NIMS).

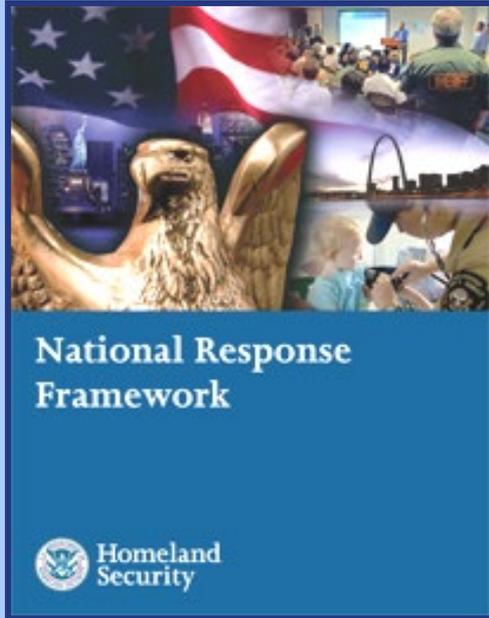


Response Doctrine: Overview

Response doctrine defines basic roles, responsibilities, and operational concepts for response across all levels of government and with the private sector and nongovernmental organizations.



Response Doctrine



Engaged Partnership

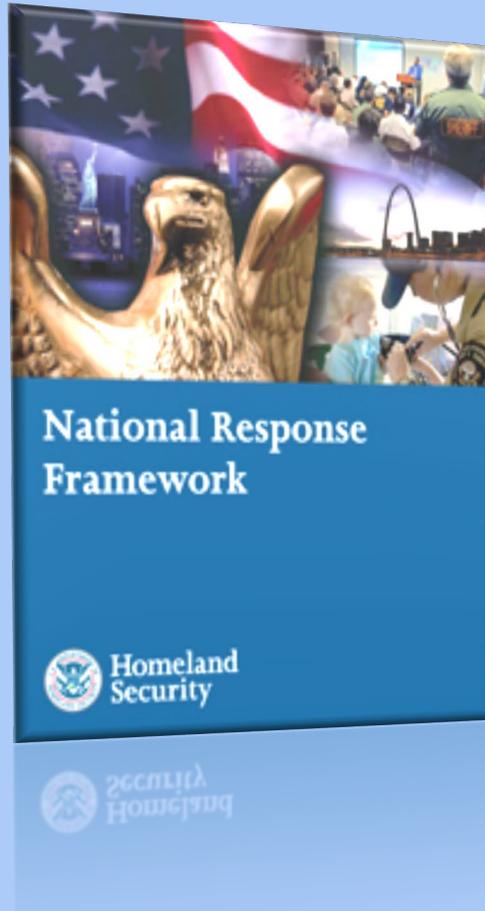
Tiered Response

**Scalable, Flexible, and Adaptable
Operational Capabilities**

**Unity of Effort Through Unified
Command**

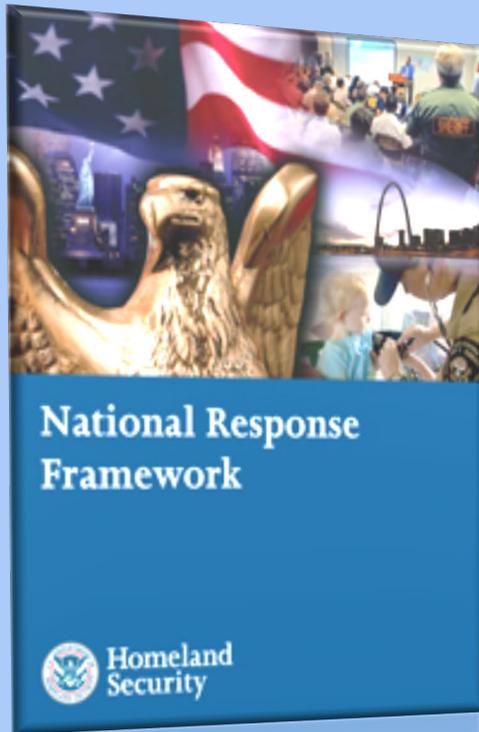
Readiness To Act

Key Principle: Engaged Partnership



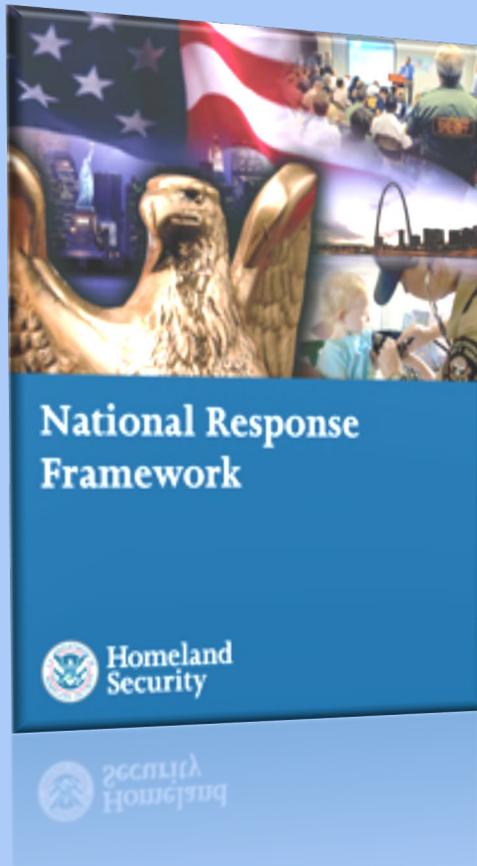
Engaged partnership means that leaders at all levels develop shared response goals and align capabilities so that no one is overwhelmed in times of crisis. Engaged partnerships are essential to preparedness.

Key Principle: Tiered Response



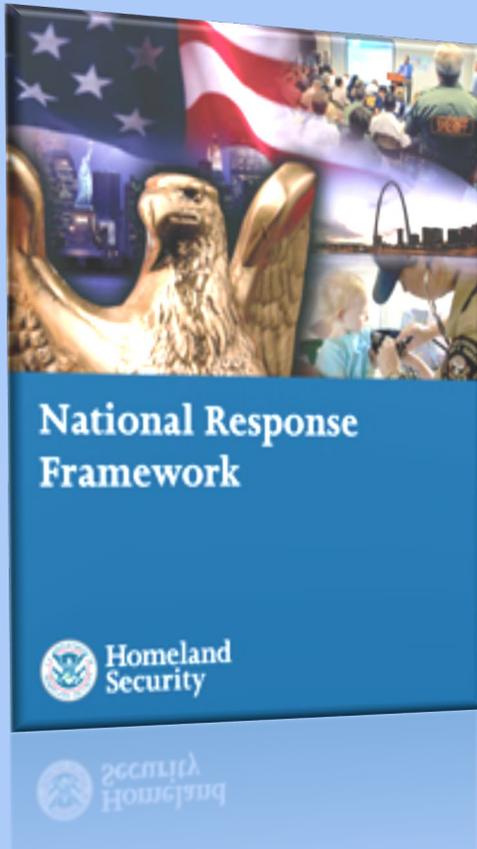
A basic premise of the Framework is that incidents are generally handled at the lowest jurisdictional level possible.

Key Principle: Scalable, Flexible, Adaptable



As incidents change in size, scope, and complexity, the response must adapt to meet requirements.

Key Principle: Unified Command



Unity of effort through Unified Command:

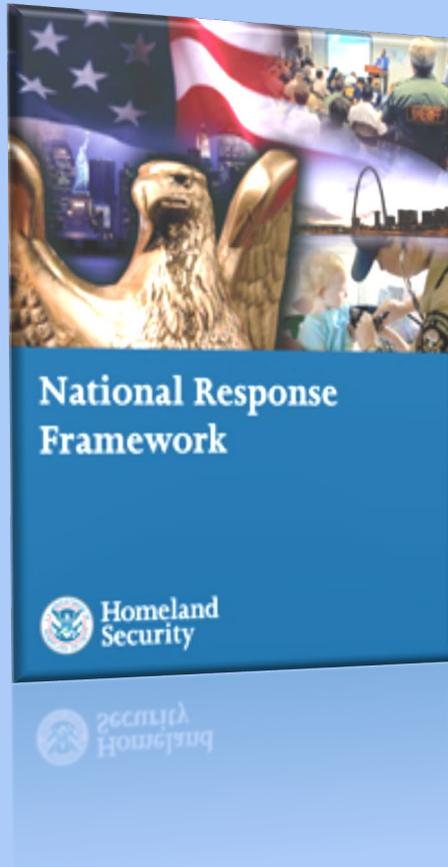
- Is a collective, strategic approach.
- Enables different agencies and jurisdictions to coordinate, plan, and interact effectively.
- Uses joint priorities and resource allocation.
- Relies on a single plan and set of objectives.

Advantages of Unified Command



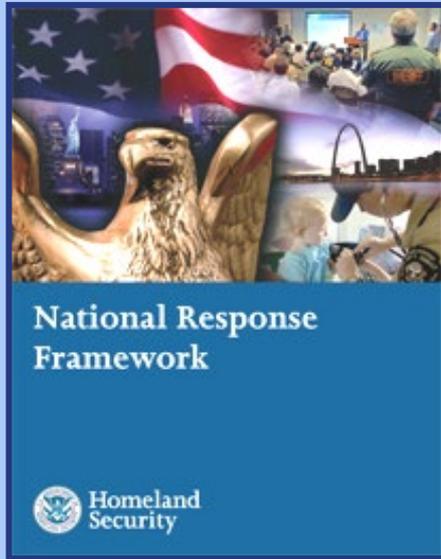
- Improves information flow.
- Fosters a mutual understanding of priorities and restrictions.
- Ensures that agency authority not compromised.
- Allows for awareness of others' tactics.
- Optimizes response through combined efforts.
- Avoids duplication of efforts/ resources reduced or eliminated.

Key Principle: Readiness to Act



Readiness is a collective responsibility. Effective national response depends on our readiness to act.

NRF Organization



Core Document

Doctrine, organization, roles and responsibilities, response actions, and planning requirements that guide national response

Emergency Support Function Annexes

Mechanisms to group and provide Federal resources and capabilities to support State and local responders

Support Annexes

Essential supporting aspects of the Federal response

Incident Annexes

Incident-specific applications of the Framework

Partner Guides

Additional detail about response actions

Implementing the Response Doctrine



The screenshot displays the NRF Resource Center website. At the top left is the Department of Homeland Security logo. The main header reads "NRF Resource Center". The page is organized into several sections:

- Information and Documents:** About the National Response Framework, National Response Framework Document Overview Document, National Incident Management System (NIMS), Response Partner Guides.
- Annexes:** Emergency Support Function Annexes, Support Annexes, Incident Annexes, Printable Version of All Annexes.
- References:** Authorities, Overview of Stafford Act Support to States, Overview of Federal-to-Federal Support, JFO Task Books, Glossary/Acronyms, Links.
- Training Resources:** Training Courses, Online Videos, Job Aids.

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NRF Emphasizes Partnerships

Federal Government Supports State



**State Government Supports Local
Response**



Local Government First Response!

**Individuals and
Households**

**Private
Sector**

**Nongovernmental
Organizations**

Local Roles

Examples of local roles include:

- Rescue and treatment
- Law enforcement
- Protection and restoration of critical infrastructure including utilities, transportation systems, etc.
- Sheltering evacuees
- Controlling hazards
- Managing resources (use mutual aid and assistance agreements)
- Developing incident action plans
- Determining needs and shortfalls



Nongovernmental Organizations

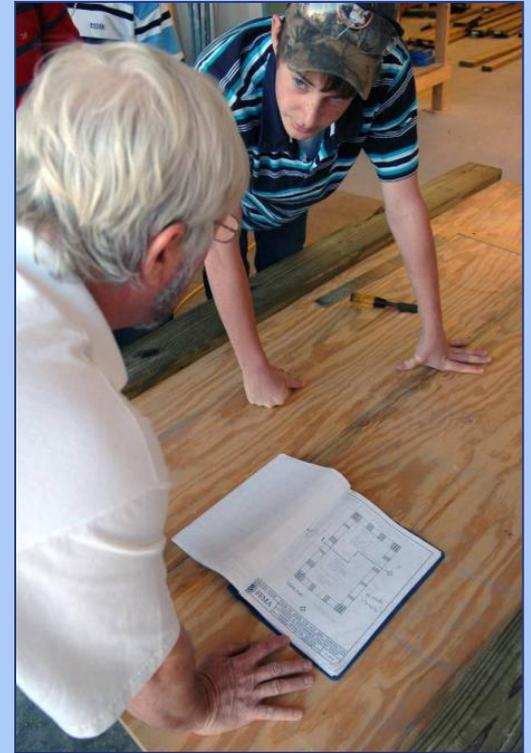
Nongovernmental and voluntary organizations help provide:

- Shelter, emergency food supplies, counseling services, and other vital services.
- Specialized services that help individuals with special needs.



Individuals and Households

- Individuals can contribute by:
 - Reducing hazards in and around their homes.
 - Preparing an emergency supply kit and household emergency plan.
 - Monitoring emergency communications carefully.
 - Volunteering with an established organization.
 - Enrolling in emergency response training courses.



Private Sector

The private sector:

- Is responsible for most of the critical infrastructure and may be required to assist the response efforts.
- Provides critical goods and services to support response and recovery.



State Roles



Supplement and facilitate local efforts before, during, and after incidents.

Deploy State resources such as:

- Food, ice, other emergency supplies
- Law enforcement assets
- Public works teams
- Specialized technical assistance
- National Guard assets

Serve as a conduit for Federal assistance.

Federal Roles

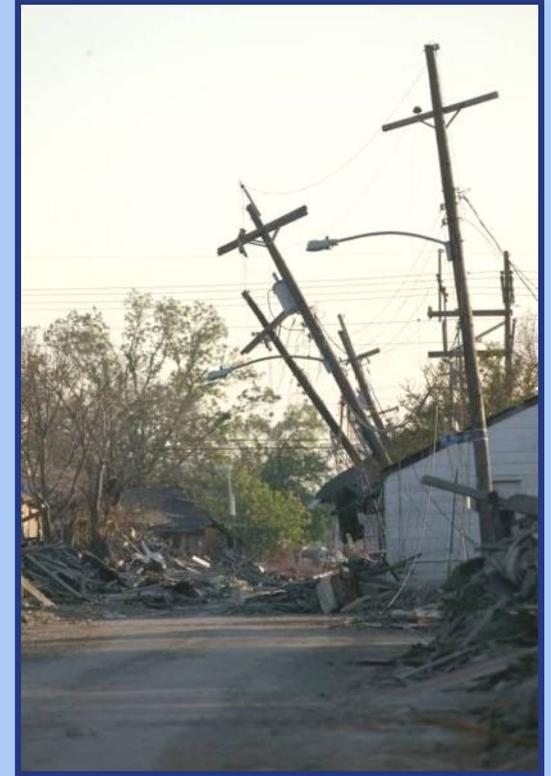
- Provide resources and capabilities to support the State response.
- Serve as first responders for incidents involving primary Federal jurisdiction or authorities.
- Work with private sector and nongovernmental organizations who support response efforts.



Federal Response Goals

The Federal Government supports the State:

- To save lives, and to protect property and the environment.
- To ensure basic human needs are met:
 - Public health and safety,
 - Temporary shelter, and
 - Critical resources (water, food, ice, etc.).
- To restore critical infrastructure:
 - Utilities,
 - Telecommunications, and
 - Transportation.
- To restore essential Government services.



Federal Response: Key Players



- The President leads the Federal Government response.
- The Secretary of Homeland Security is the principal Federal official for domestic incident management consistent with HSPD-5.
- The FEMA Administrator is responsible of the preparation for, protection against, response to, and recovery from all-hazards incidents.
- When DHS coordination is NOT required, Federal agencies may provide assistance consistent with their authorities.

Other Key Players

Title	Responsibility
Attorney General	Serves as the Chief Law Enforcement Officer
Secretary of Defense	Approves Requests for Military Support
Secretary of State	Coordinates International Response
Director of National Intelligence	Oversees National Intelligence
Other Department/Agency Heads	Provides Coordination and Support Under Their Authorities

Notes: When DHS coordination is NOT required, Federal agencies may provide assistance consistent with their authorities.

Requesting Assistance



Needs Exceeding
Resources & Capabilities

Federal Government Support

Interstate Mutual Aid

State Government Support

Local (Intrastate) Mutual Aid

Local Responders With Private Sector and NGOs

Federal Assistance

Federal support to States and local jurisdictions:

- Non-Stafford Act: Agencies responding under their own authorities.
- Stafford Act: Most widely known authority.



The Stafford Act



Robert T. Stafford

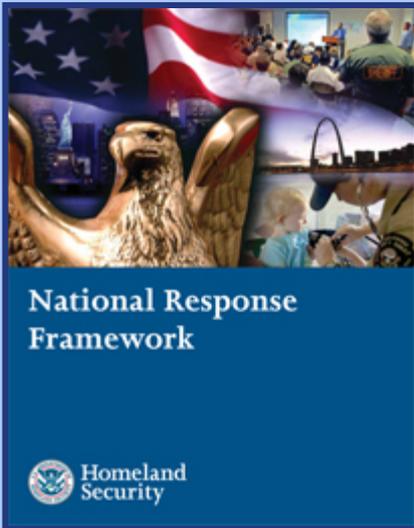
- Provides a system of emergency preparedness for the protection of life and property from hazards.
- Places responsibility for emergency preparedness jointly in the Federal Government, State governments, and their political subdivisions.
- Gives FEMA responsibility for coordinating government response.

Defense Support of Civil Authorities

- Title 10 U.S.C. authorizes the Secretary of Defense to provide DOD supplies, services, and equipment to persons affected by a public emergency.
- Defense Coordinating Officers serve as the Federal coordination point for DOD assistance.
- National Guard assets remain under the control of the Governor.

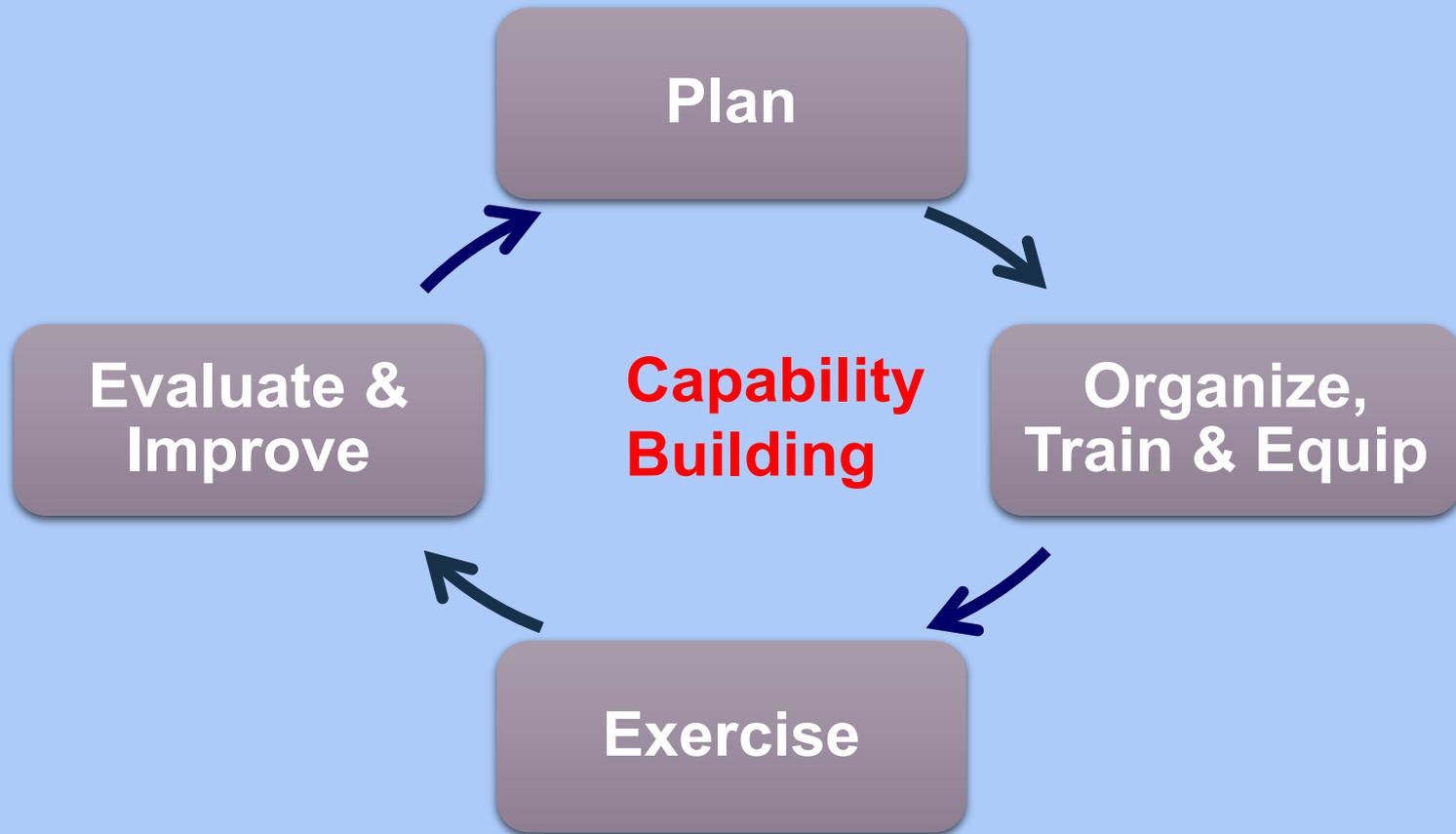


NRF Federal-to-Federal Assistance



- Coordinated by DHS using the NRF multiagency coordination structures.
- Generally funded by the Federal entity with primary responsibility and statutory authority in accordance with provisions of the Economy Act.
- Facilitated by the interagency memorandum of understanding for Mutual Aid (see the NRF Financial Management Support Annex).

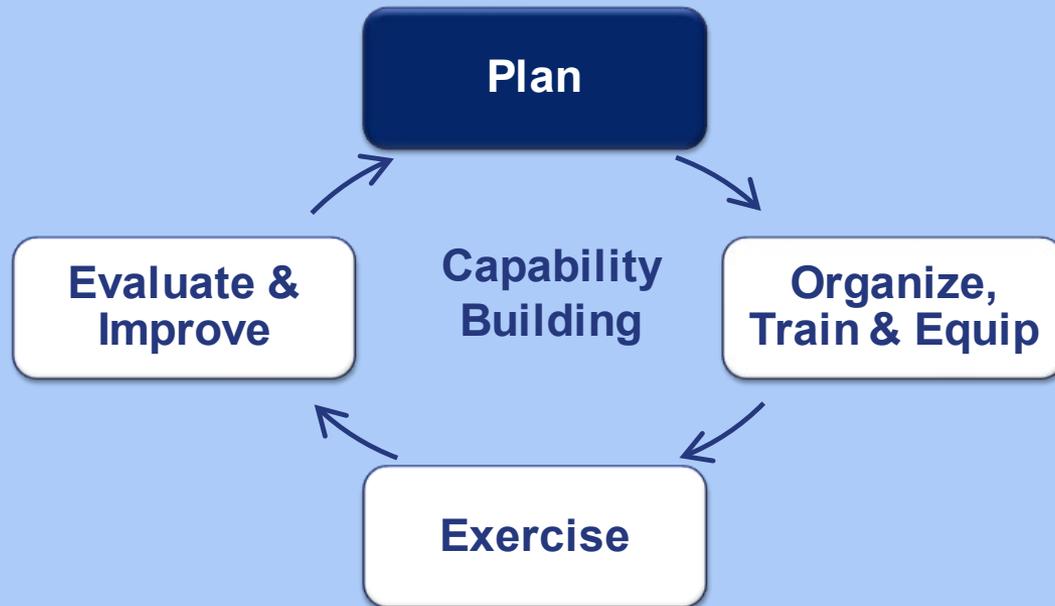
Preparedness Cycle



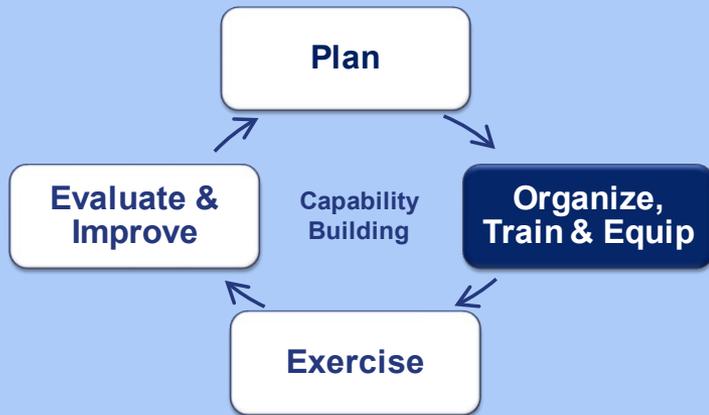
The Preparedness Cycle Builds Capabilities

Plan

Planning makes it possible to manage the entire life cycle of a potential crisis, determine capability requirements, and help response partners learn their roles.



Organize, Train & Equip

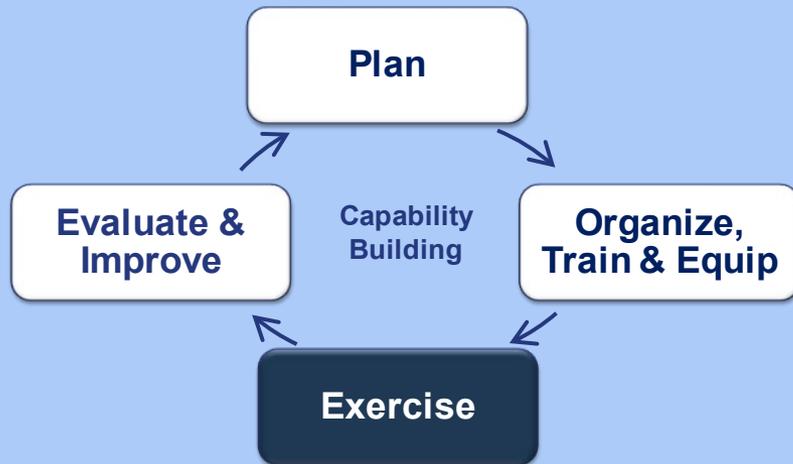


Organize: Develop an overall organizational structure, strengthen leadership, and assemble teams.

Train: Use a systematic program to train individual teams and organizations.

Equip: Acquire equipment that will perform to established standards.

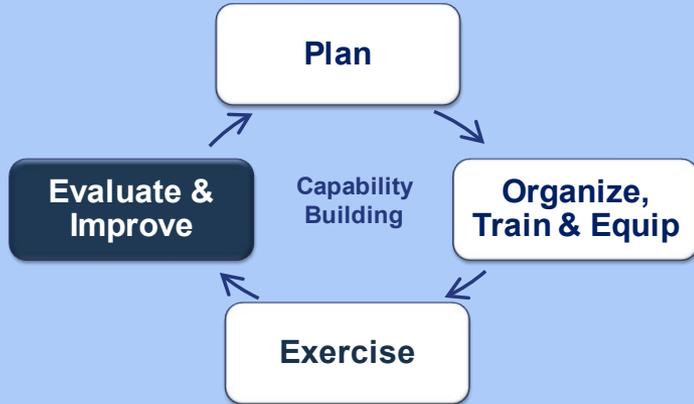
Exercise



Effective exercises:

- Assess and validate proficiency levels.
- Clarify and familiarize personnel with roles and responsibilities.
- Improve interagency coordination and communications.

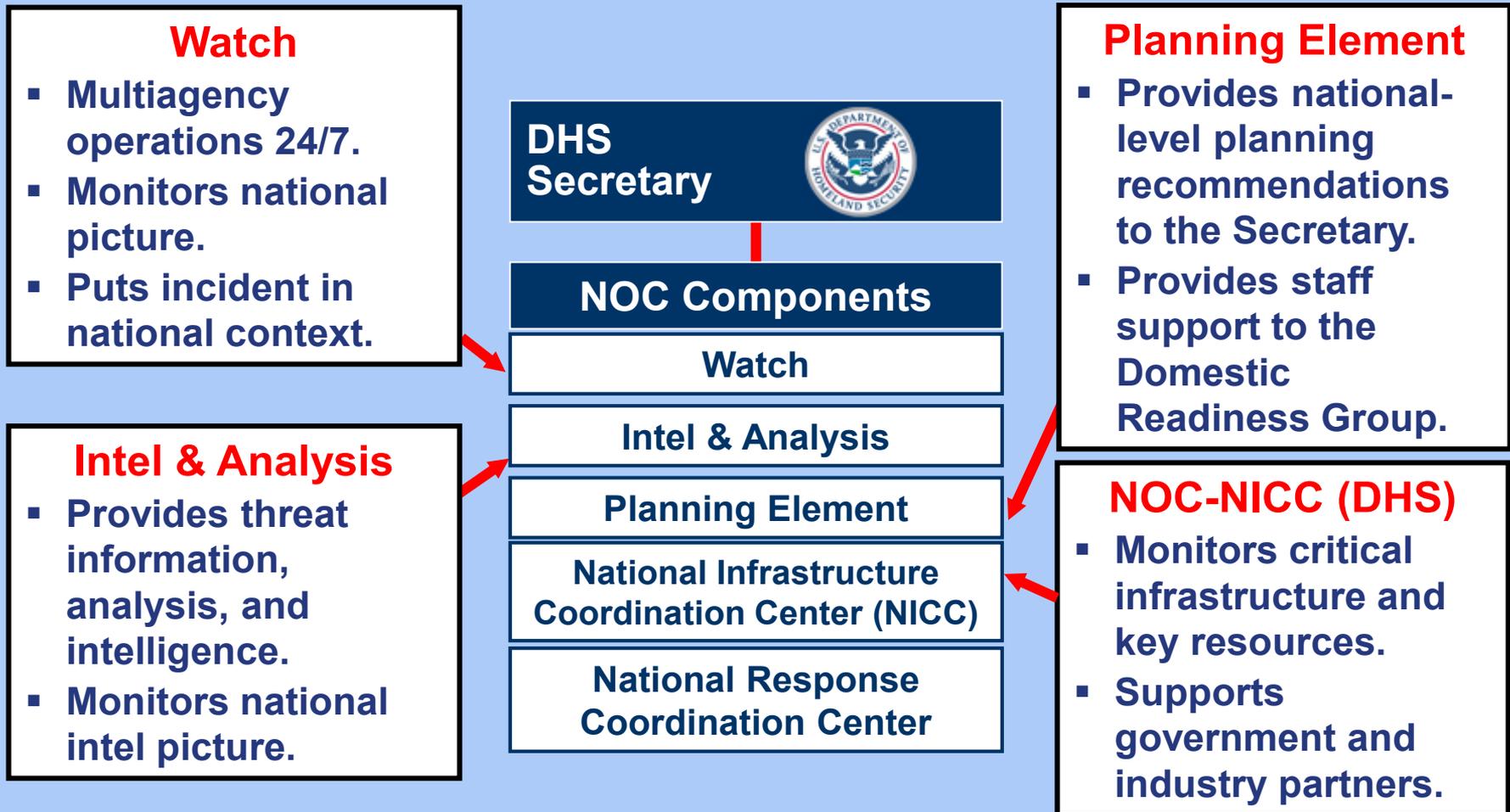
Evaluate and Improve



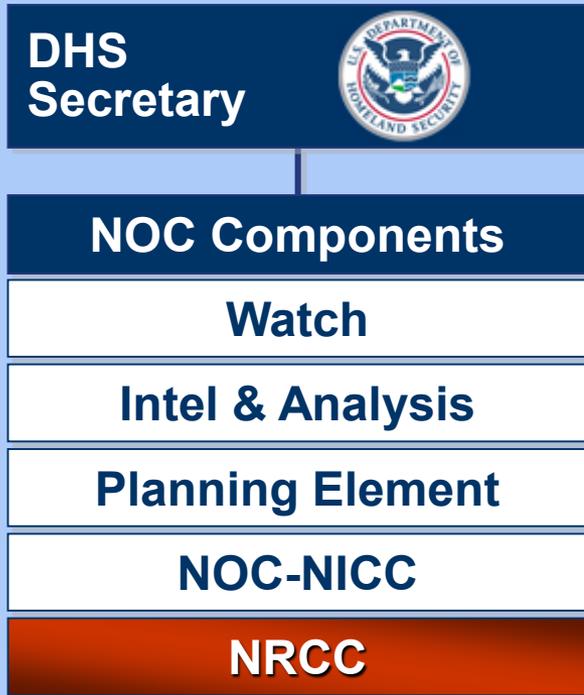
Corrective action programs are used to:

- Evaluate exercise participation and response.
- Capture lessons learned.
- Make improvements in response capabilities.

National Operations Center



National Response Coordination Center



- Monitors potential or developing incidents.
- Supports the efforts of regional and field components.
- Initiates mission assignments or reimbursable agreements to activate other Federal departments and agencies.
- Activates and deploys national-level specialized teams.



Regional Response Coordination Centers

RRCCs coordinate regional response efforts, including:

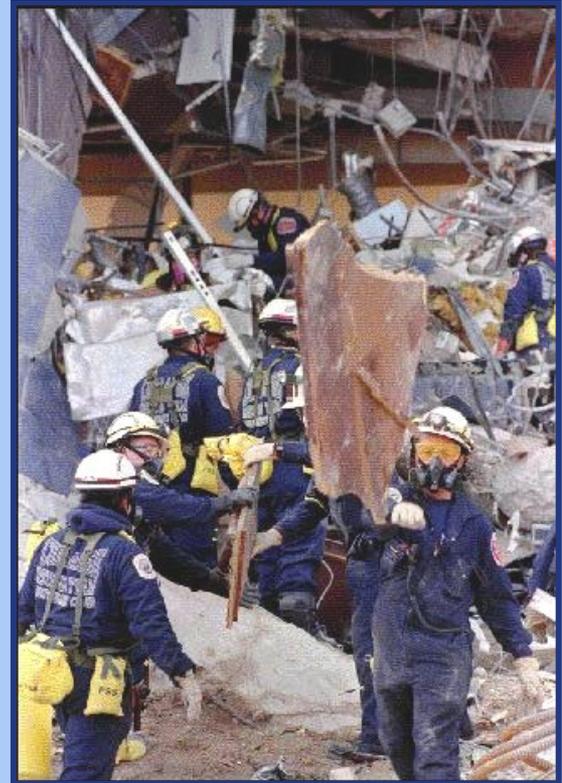
- Establishing initial Federal objectives.
- Providing Federal support to the affected States.
- Deploying teams to establish the Joint Field Office (JFO) that will assume these functions.



Catastrophic Incidents

For catastrophic incidents, State and Federal agencies:

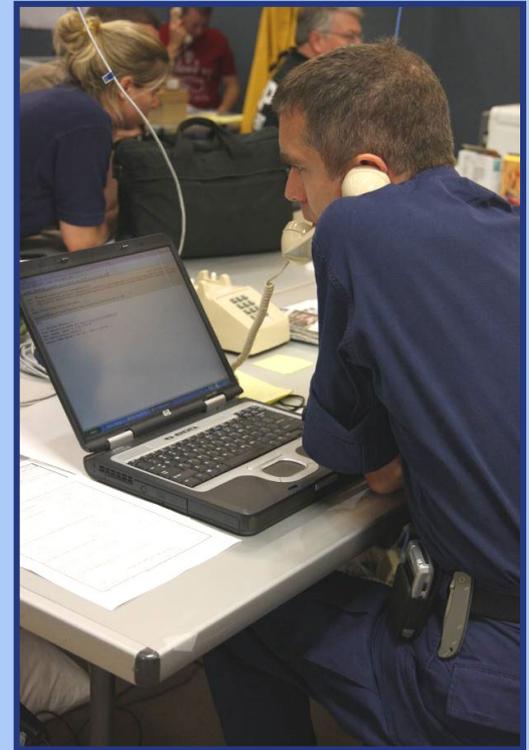
- May proactively deploy and mobilize assets.
- Do not need to wait for a formal request for assistance.



Joint Field Office

The Joint Field Office (JFO):

- Is the primary Federal incident management field structure.
- Provides a central location for the coordination of response and recovery efforts.



Principal Federal Official

Secretary of Homeland Security:

- Is the principal Federal official responsible for coordination of all domestic incidents.
- May designate a Principal Federal Official (PFO) to act as a field representative.

When appointed, the PFO:

- Serves as a member of the Unified Coordination Group.
- Provides a primary point of contact and situational awareness locally for the Secretary.
- Does not direct or replace the incident command structure established at the incident.



ESF Functional Areas

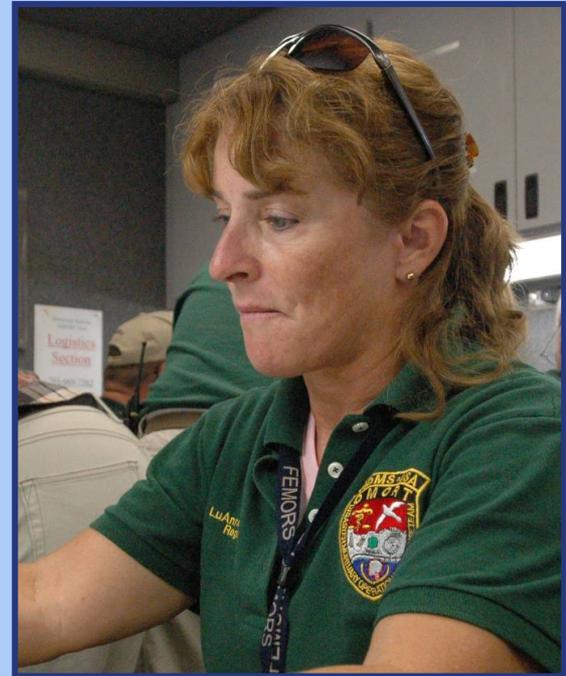
- ESF #1 - Transportation**
- ESF #2 - Communications**
- ESF #3 - Public Works and Engineering**
- ESF #4 - Firefighting**
- ESF #5 - Emergency Management**
- ESF #6 - Mass Care, Emergency Assistance,
Housing, and Human Services**
- ESF #7 - Logistics Management and Resource Support**
- ESF #8 - Public Health and Medical Services**
- ESF #9 - Search and Rescue**
- ESF #10 - Oil and Hazardous Materials Response**
- ESF #11 - Agriculture and Natural Resources**
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- ESF #13 - Public Safety and Security**
- ESF #14 - Long-Term Community Recovery**
- ESF #15 - External Affairs**



ESF Annexes

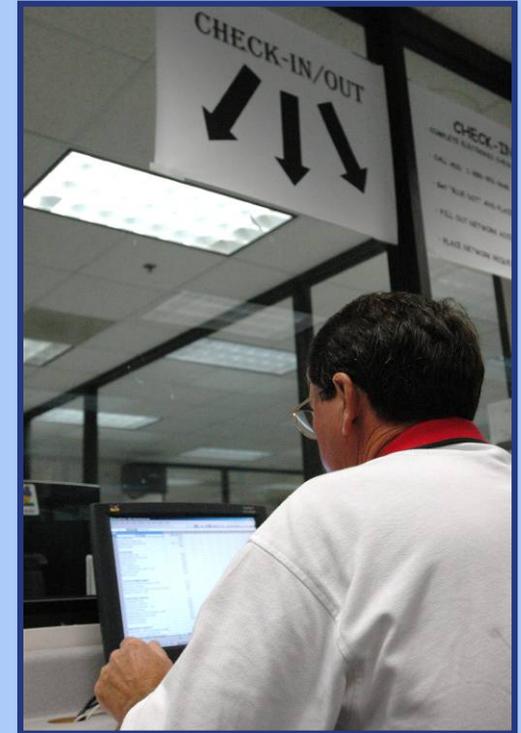
The ESF Annexes describe the scope, policies, and concept of operations of each ESF. In addition, these annexes identify:

- An ESF coordinator
- A primary agency
- Support agencies



ESF Activation

- Not every incident requires the activation of ESFs.
- ESFs may be selectively activated for:
 - Stafford Act Emergency and Major Disaster Declarations.
 - Non-Stafford Act incidents as specified in HSPD-5.

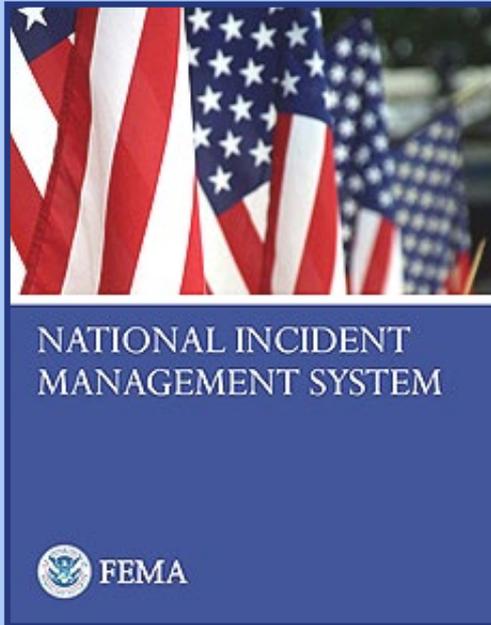


ESF deployment must be coordinated even if under agency's own authority

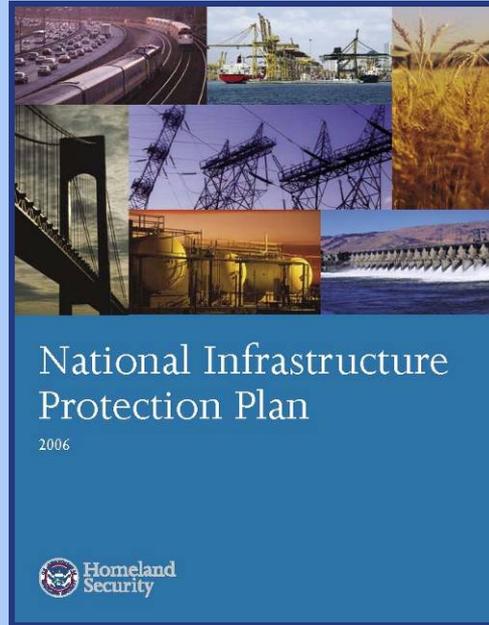
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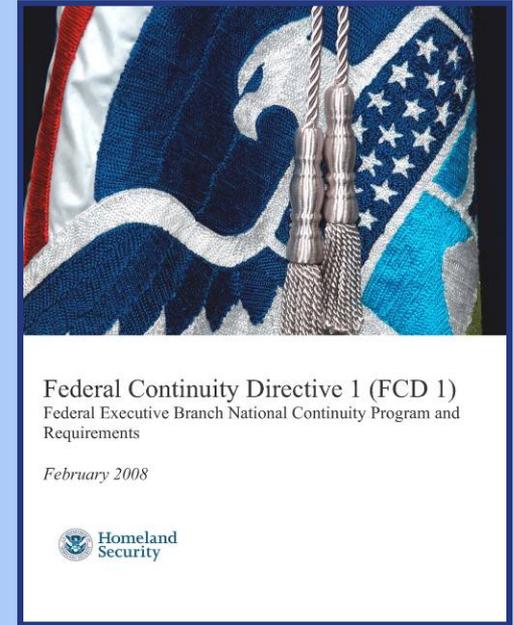
Integrating Other Key Documents



National Incident Management System



National Infrastructure Protection Plan



Other National Continuity Policies and Directives

NRF Resource Center



The screenshot shows the FEMA NRF Resource Center website. At the top left is the Department of Homeland Security logo. The main header reads "NRF Resource Center". Below the header are several navigation menus:

- Information and Documents**
 - About the National Response Framework
 - National Response Framework Document
 - Overview Document
 - National Incident Management System (NIMS)
 - Response Partner Guides
- Annexes**
 - Emergency Support Function Annexes
 - Support Annexes
 - Incident Annexes
 - Printable Version of All Annexes
- References**
 - Authorities
 - Overview of Stafford
 - Overview of Federal
 - JFO Task Books
 - Glossary/Acronyms
 - Links
- Training Resources**
 - Training Courses
 - Online Videos
 - Job Aids

At the bottom of the page are links for "Home", "Contact Us", "Privacy Policy", "Important Notices", and "FOIA".

References

- **Authorities**
 - **Overviews of Federal Assistance**
 - **Glossary/Acronyms**
 - **Additional Resources**
 - **Briefings and Training**
- www.fema.gov/nrf

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