

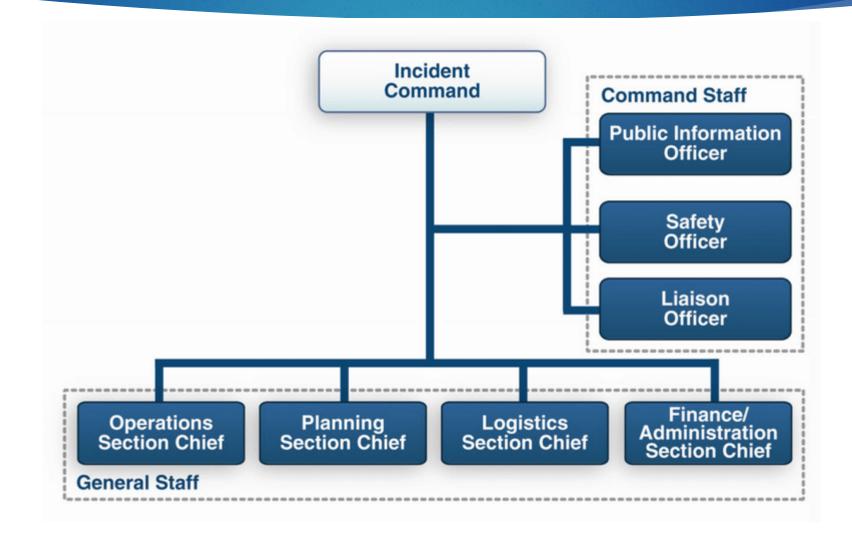
2024 Work Plan Presentation

Tuesday February 20th, 2023

JEFFERSON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MGMT.

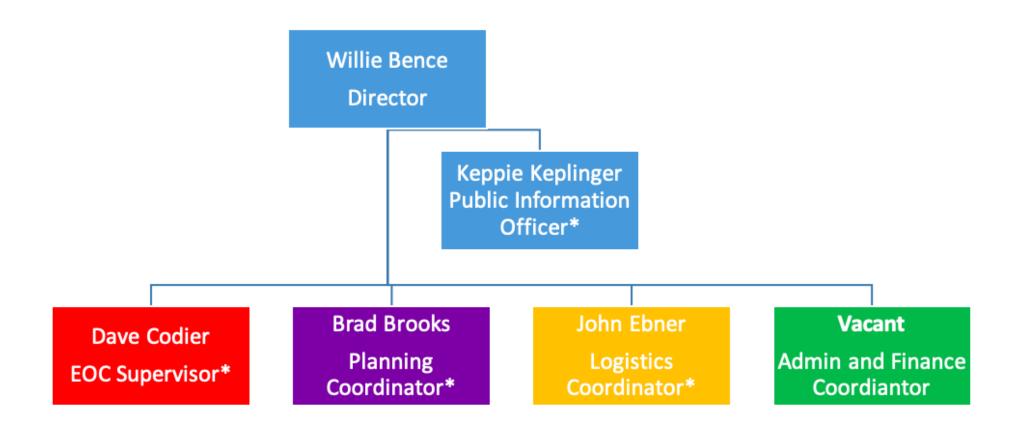
Incident Command System













"Back to Basics"

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2023 Year in Review

- Update badging and credentialing standards
- Implemented volunteer management database
- FEMA-approved Medical Reserve Corps Program, first grant
- Revamped NPREP programming, held ongoing conversations on preparedness messaging and structure
- Tsunami Tabletop Exercise
- First pre-summer "Heat Summit," annual pre-winter "Cold Summit," on-going work with PH on extreme weather response
- Finished first CERT academy pre-COVID
- COVID volunteer appreciation
- Integrated Critical Incident Stress Management Program under DEM
- ▶ 100+ trainees during Great Shakeout week
- ► EOC activation and first WEA usage for Beaver Valley fire



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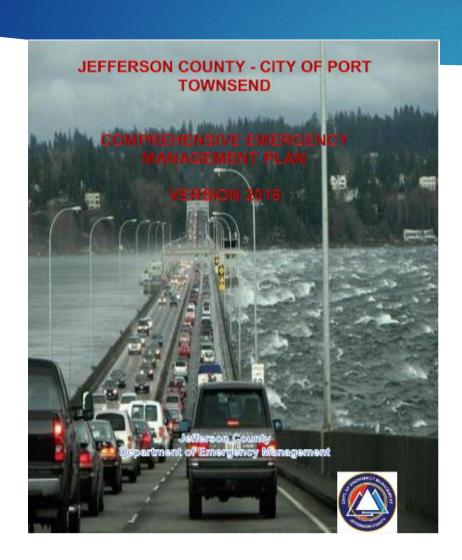
Planning



- ► Two major planning initiatives:
 - ► CEMP
 - ► LEPC

CEMP





Available for viewing at bit.ly/jeffcocemp

EMD Review



- ► The state Emergency Management Division reviews the CEMP, providing feedback in three tiers:
 - ► Tier 1 Lawful Requirements
 - ► Tier 2 State Recommendations
 - ► Tier 3 Optional
- ▶ 2018 received 66% under old requirements; 44% under new
- ► State strives for 75%

What's Been Done so Far



- EOC Conditions and Triggers have been developed and implemented
- 2. PIO has begun work and outreach on public comm's section
- 3. ESF 8 under development alongside Medical Reserve Corps
- 4. ESF 2 Comms Plan underway via VECOM, first draft complete
- 5. Responsibilities section reviewed and updated (federal, state, local, community, tribes)

What's Next



- Now through August
 - ► Individual Emergency Support Function outreach
 - ► Section by section plan review based on checklist
 - ▶ Review deficiencies from most recent checklist
 - ► Work with City to improve City/County coordination portion
- ► September State review and socialization
- October through December final changes and adoption

LEPC



- ▶ Local Emergency Planning Committees are established by WAC 118-40
- ► LEPCs are tasked with reviewing local inventories of hazardous materials (EPA Tier II reports) and developing a response plan
- Due to relatively low hazmat stock/risk, Jefferson County has never had an organized LEPC
- Targeting a late Q2 initial meeting to establish the committee and begin plan review
- Q3 review plan and suggest changes
- ▶ Q4 adoption



Organization

- ► IMT
- DART
- ▶ NPREP









Volunteer Reorg



- Volunteer working and coordination group
- Streamline resources around recruitment, training, administration
- Coordinate planning around new NPREP emergency "Hub" concept
- Consolidate resources around outreach and public education as it relates to individual preparedness
- ▶ Build leadership structure in overarching org and in individual groups
- Finish planning Q1
- Public rollout Q2

VECOM



- ▶ Update Communications plan, EOC protocol
- Work on EOC radio room to expand operator stations
- Pursue grants to expand comms capacity
- Establish new working groups and planning committees
- Work to support other volunteer orgs comm needs



Medical Reserve Corps

- Training on Stop the Bleed, NarCan, hands-only CPR, other disaster prep subjects
- Work with neighborhoods on Hub support
- ► Continued work on building supply caches, 2nd 10k grant just approved

CERT



- ► First CERT academy of the year started Saturday, 24 new recruits
- Begin training CERT for local, state, and national deployment through new FEMA typing
- Recruit leadership volunteers



NPREP



- ► All County Picnic August 18th
- Restart neighborhood trainings
- Pursue grants and opportunities to build supply caches
- Revamped meeting structure and engaging new leadership volunteers



DART



"Thunder Run" exercise - July14th



Other Projects



- ► Great Shakeout October 17th
 - Community outreach
 - Training
 - ► EOC Exercise



Other Projects



- Pre-summer coordination"summit" early May
- Pre-winter coordination "summit" and storm response tabletop early November
- Continued work with Ladris evacuation modeling; tsunami and wildfire evacuation tabletop discussions TBD



Jefferson County Incident Management Team 2024 Tentative Meeting Schedule

MEETING TYPICALLY OCCUR 1ST WED MONTHLY

January: 2024 workplan overview, Lifelines training

February: EOC operations training

March: Tsunami awareness month; presentation and evac ttx

April: IAP training

May: Pre-summer weather briefing

June: Fire evac ttx

July: Alert and warning presentation and planning

August: All County Picnic, Hub and CPOD functional ex

September: Preparedness month, personal prep presentation

October: Shakeout month, earthquake presentation

November: Pre-winter weather briefing and storm team prep

December: 2025 planning



Ongoing Activities



- ▶ Duty Officer available 24/7, 365
- Nixle and other emergency messaging
- EOC activation/emergency response
- Volunteer recruitment and engagement
- Community outreach and education
- Emergency plan assistance and mentorship



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- ► <u>Training</u> recruit training officer and build training program in 2024
- **E**xercise



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- <u>Exercise</u> recruit Exercise Coordinator in 2024