



# CIEM Schedule of Activities



**Tuesday, October 9, 2007**

- 10:00am - 1:00pm      **Registration**  
**Location:** Front Desk/Lobby
- 1:00pm - 1:10pm      **Welcome**  
**Speakers:** Ruben D. Almaguer  
**Location:** EOC, Big Room
- 1:10pm – 1:40pm      **“Sweatin’ the Small Stuff”**  
**Speakers:** Craig Fugate  
**Location:** EOC, Big Room
- 1:40pm – 2:45pm      **County Showcase**  
**Speakers:** Duval County and the Seminole Tribe of Florida  
**Location:** EOC, Big Room
- 2:45pm – 3:00pm      **State NAWAS System**  
**Speakers:** John Fleming  
**Location:** EOC, Big Room  
Presenter will provide status of the implementation of the new National Alert & Warning System, how it will be rolled out and used and the future of the system including ESATCOM.
- 3:00pm - 3:15pm      **Break**
- 3:15pm – 3:45pm      **National Hurricane Center Products and Operations**  
**Speaker:** Dr. Rick Knabb, National Hurricane Center  
**Location:** EOC, Big Room  
New products from the National Hurricane Center such as Wind Speed Probabilities, Storm Surge Probabilities, and the Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook will assist your operations when tropical storms or hurricanes threaten our state. Dr. Rick Knabb discusses these new products followed by a question and answer session.
- 3:45pm – 4:15pm      **Local Considerations when using SLOSH**  
**Speaker:** Al Sandrik, National Weather Service JAX  
**Location:** EOC, Big Room  
Local factors such as coastal shape, bays, estuary systems and inlets impact storm surge values. This session will cover storm surge theory on a local level as well as recent events in which Florida's coastal features have significantly modified storm surge.



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## Tuesday, October 9, 2007 (continued)

4:15pm – 4:45pm

### **HazCollect & Hazardous Weather Awareness Week**

**Speaker:** Bob Goree, National Weather Service Tallahassee and Ben Nelson

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The National Weather Service has developed an all-hazards emergency message collection system known as HazCollect. In future, this system will collect and efficiently distribute non-weather emergency messages (NWEMs) through the National Weather Service's dissemination infrastructure, including NOAA Weather Radio and the Emergency Alert System (EAS). Hazardous Weather Awareness Week takes place February 3-9, 2008 and State Meteorologist Ben Nelson will preview the week's activities and plans for the hazardous weather guide.

5:00pm – 7:00pm

### **Current Issues/FEPA Reception**

**Location:** University Center Club, Doak Campbell Stadium on the Florida State University Campus

## Wednesday, October 10, 2007

7:15am - 8:00am

### **Registration**

**Location:** Front Desk/Lobby

8:00am - 8:15am

### **National Incident Management System (NIMS)**

**Speaker:** Rupert Dennis, FEMA Region IV

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

While most emergency situations are handled locally, when there's a major incident help may be needed from other jurisdictions, the state and the federal government. NIMS were developed so responders from different jurisdictions and disciplines can work together better to respond to natural disasters and emergencies, including acts of terrorism. NIMS benefits include a unified approach to incident management; standard command and management structures; and emphasis on preparedness, mutual aid and resource management.

8:15am - 8:30am

### **07 Wildfire Season**

**Speaker:** Ira Jolly, Division of Forestry

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

This presentation will recap the 2007 Wildfire Season. It will provide an overview of the fire weather conditions, severity of the fire season and support from other state and local agencies including lessons learned.



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8:30am - 9:00am

## **Fire Management Assistance Grant Program Update**

**Speakers:** Charles Bartell

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

Explain the difference between the Public Assistance Program (Disaster and Emergency Declarations) from the Fire Declarations including obtaining Declarations, Fire Cost Thresholds to qualify for FEMA assistance, eligibility issues, and reimbursement procedures. Also, discuss the status and circumstances of the 2007 wildfire season.

9:00am - 9:15am

## **Debris Management/PA Pilot Program**

**Speaker:** Marcia Chiricos and Gary Freekersen

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

This is a temporary program lasting until December 31, 2008. The applicant is able to determine which parts of the pilot program they want to use on a Project Worksheet basis. Of the four parts, the extra 5% federal share for having a pre-approved debris plan and regular time eligibility for full time staff performing debris removal work are most beneficial for Florida applicants.

9:15am - 9:30am

## **Florida National Guard**

**Speaker:** Maj. Tad Warfel

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The FLNG plays a vital role in the SERT team, virtually every operation is touched by the FLNG. Civilian skills teamed with military skills and training make the FLNG an valuable asset to the Florida. This presentation highlights the skill sets and possible missions the FLNG can accomplish.

9:30am - 9:45am

## **Break**

9:45am - 11:15am

## **Panel Discussion: House Bill- 7121 Status Update**

**Panel Members:** Carla Boyce, Danny Kilcollins, John Cherry, Tom Congdon, and Chuck Hagan

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

Staff will provide status updates on the comprehensive legislation passed in 2006 relating to emergency management and the funds available to local and state agencies in response to lessons learned during the 2004-2005 hurricane seasons. Updates on funding for the construction of new or renovations of county emergency operations centers and designated alternate facilities will be discussed. Also updates on public special needs hurricane evacuation shelters, retrofitting of public shelters, enhanced hurricane evacuation planning, and required alternate generated power capacity for motor fuel dispensing facilities.



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11:15am - 11:45am

### **Contra Flow Update**

**Speakers:** Patrick Odom and Mike Akridge, DOT

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

This presentation will provide a general overview of contra-flow routes and procedures. The decision to implement contra-flow is made by the Governor based on recommendations made by FDEM, Florida Department of Transportation, Florida Highway Patrol and the counties to the State Emergency Response Team Chief.

11:45am - 12:30pm

### **Break**

12:30pm - 1:30pm

### **Managing the Drought from an EM Perspective & Economic Impacts of Drought**

(\*\*Working Lunch\*\*)

**Speakers:** Olivia McLean, SFWMD and Mary Helen Blakeslee, EOG

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

1:30pm – 1:45pm

### **Legislative Update**

**Speaker:** John Cherry

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

This session will identify potential legislative initiatives for the 2008 Legislative Session. In addition mechanisms to track and receive analysis of legislation and its potential impact during session will be discussed.

1:45pm – 2:00pm

### **County Disaster Plans Review**

**Speaker:** Byron Underwood, Tom Congdon and Bart Frost

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

2:00pm - 2:30pm

### **State Resource Management Network**

**Speaker:** Chuck Hagan

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

2:30pm - 2:45pm

### **Break**

2:45pm - 4:30pm

### **Breakout Sessions / Office Hours:**

#### **County Logistics Planning/State Logistics Response Center**

**Moderators:** Chuck Hagan, Connie Nunn

**Location:** Rudd Building Conference Room

#### **Scope of Work FY07-08/County Capability Assessments**

**Moderator:** Roy Dunn

**Location:** EOC, Rudd Building Conference Room

#### **GIS for Decision Making/US National Grid/LIDAR**

**Moderators:** Richard Butgereit, Erika Pitman

**Location:** EOC, Big Room



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**Thursday, October 11, 2007**

7:15am - 8:00am

## **Registration**

**Location:** Front Desk/Lobby

8:00am - 8:45am

## **07- 08 Funding and Financial Status Updates**

**Speaker:** Suzanne Adams, Cherie Trainor, Diane Smith and Tina Quick

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The finance staff will provide updates on the current State budget situation, county/local contracts for: EM Base, Competitive Grant Cycle, Domestic Security, CERT, EOC's and Shelter Retrofits.

8:45am – 9:00am

## **DEM's New Disability Coordinator: An Introduction**

**Speaker:** Chip Wilson and Tom Congdon

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The new Statewide Disability Coordinator for Emergency Management will give his vision and goals for addressing the needs of the disability community on emergency preparedness issues.

9:00am - 9:30am

## **Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Presentation**

**Speakers:** Dave Halstead and John Wilson, Lee County Director

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

Presentation will provide an overview of Multi-Agency Coordination Systems (MACS) as defined by the National Incident Management System (NIMS) and demonstrate how Florida has established multi-agency coordination groups to support incident response and management.

9:30am - 10:00am

## **ESF 8 System Improvements**

**Speaker:** Raymond Runo, DOH

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

Presentation will provide information on system improvements within ESF 8. Also information on the concept of operations within the framework of the State's CEMP, health care facilities, and updates on Department of Health issues.

10:00am - 10:15am

## **Break**

10:15am -10:45am

## **Mass Care Procedures at the Local Level**

**Speaker:** Michael Whitehead

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The purpose of ESF 6 is to coordinate activities involved with the emergency provision of temporary shelters, emergency mass feeding, and the bulk distribution of coordinated relief supplies for victims of a disaster and disaster workers.

10:45am - 11:00am

## **What's New in ESF 15**

**Speaker:** Merrilee White

**Location:** EOC, Big Room



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11:00am - 11:30am

### **Mitigation Status Updates**

**Speaker:** Miles Anderson and Iris Stanley

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The Mitigation staff will provide updates on current activities and status of county mitigation projects presented by the new Mitigation Bureau Chief and other members of the mitigation staff.

11:30am - 11:45am

### **Establishing Perspective on Nuclear Power Plant Events and Emergencies**

**Speaker:** John Stephenson, Progress Energy Florida

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The speaker will make a presentation on the impacts of any event on counties outside of the emergency planning zones of the Florida nuclear power plants. Also, likely minor events that can cause great media interest and potential public over-reaction will be discussed.

11:45am - 12:00pm

### **Disaster Housing Issues**

**Speakers:** Roy Dunn

**Location:** EOC, Big Room

The speaker will address issues related to disaster housing and provide information on programs designed to provide assistance to affected individuals and households within Presidential-declared disaster zone. These programs enable citizens to address disaster-related housing and other necessary expenses and serious needs, which cannot be met through other forms of disaster assistance, insurance, or through other means.

12:00pm – 12:30pm

### **Question & Answer**

**Speakers:** W. Craig Fugate and Deputy Director and FDEM Bureau Chiefs

**Location:** EOC, Big Room