

Emergency Preparedness Council (EPC) Exercise Briefing

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EPC Exercise Team

- EPC Exercise Team will be comprised of EPC, COG and ETOP representatives:
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 - David McMillion (COG Representative)
 - Jamie Quarrelles (ETOP - DC)
 - Christina Crue (ETOP - MD)
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EPC Senior Level Tabletop ETOP / COG Partnership

- ETOP / ETOP Contractor:
 - Exercise Facilitation
 - Exercise Planning Meetings
 - Scenario and Scenario Briefings
 - Players Guide Development
 - After Action Report Development
- COG is supporting:
 - Exercise logistics including location, registration, invitations and on-site audio/visual

About the Exercise

- Type - Tabletop (transparent) / Discussion
- Date - September Timeframe
- Attendees - 50 to 100 people
- Duration - 9am to 3pm (short Hotwash included)
- Composition - Mixture of Plenary and Breakouts

About the Exercise

- Consideration - Makeup of EPC is unique – Includes public and private policy makers.
- Goal – To engage all members in the exercise, to identify various regional issues and to gain understanding of the respective roles and responsibilities of the sectors represented in the EPC regarding response and recovery to a regional emergency event

Proposed Exercise Design

- Large scale incident impacting an area outside the NCR causing an influx of people, stress on services and need for coordinated operations and public information dissemination
- Game periods would include the response and recovery
- Participants will discuss critical regional issues in breakout sessions for presentation to the larger group

Next Steps

- Create Task Order
- Develop Project Timeline to include initial and final planning meetings
- Finalize Exercise Date
- Finalize Scenario
- Finalize Exercise Location

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