

# NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COUNCIL (EPC)

Wednesday, November 9, 2016 2:30 P.M - 4:30 P.M. Ronald F. Kirby Training Center (First Floor)

#### **AGENDA**

# 2:30 P.M. 1. CALL TO ORDER, INTRODUCTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

David Snyder, EPC Chairman

- Chairman Snyder will provide welcoming remarks, provide Vice Chairmen Kenyan McDuffie (DC) and Mark McGaw (PG) an opportunity to make brief comments, request self-introductions from other members, and provide an overview of the agenda
- Receive brief UASI update Charles Madden, Chief of Grants Management Division, DC HSEMA
- Receive brief on New Service from NWS Chris Strong, NWS Warning Coordination Meteorologist
- Emergency Preparedness Council 2016 Priorities Status Report Chairman Snyder
- Chairman Snyder request a motion to approve EPC minutes from September 14, 2016

**EPC Action:** Receive briefs and approve EPC minutes from September 14, 2016.

#### 2:45 P.M. 2. HOMELAND SECURITY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 2.0

Stuart Freudberg, Deputy Executive Director, MWCOG Jim Schwartz, Deputy County Manager, Arlington County Chris Geldart, Director, DC HSEMA

Mr. Schwartz, Director Geldart, and Mr. Freudberg will provide the EPC an overview of the restructured Homeland Security Executive Committee (HSEC). The HSEC, previously known as the SPG/CAO-HSEC, has recently completed an extensive strategic visioning process to help jurisdictions anticipate and prepare for situations that require regional coordination and response. The HSEC will establish a Subject Matter Expert Advisory Council to share information and intelligence on regional threats and opportunities and provide recommendations on homeland security, preparedness and response priorities.

EPC Action: Receive overview; offer comments or questions

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# 3:15 P.M. 3. UPDATE ON MARYLAND, VIRGINIA, AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEMS

Chris Geldart, Director DC HSEMA Luke Hodgson, Director ERS MD (Invited) Kristin Nickerson, Acting Director NVERS (Invited) Emily Ruesch, Lead DC ERS

Director Geldart will introduce Mr. Hodgson, Ms. Nickerson, and Ms. Ruesch who will briefly review the organization, roles, responsibilities, and successes of the Emergency Response Systems in Maryland, Virginia, and the District of Columbia and explain how the systems have contributed to improved preparedness in the NCR since they were formed in the past few years.

**EPC Action**: Receive updates; offer comments or questions.

### 3:45 P.M. 4. COMPLEX COORDINATED ATTACK (CCA) UPDATE

Jim Schwartz, Arlington County Deputy County Manager & Chair, Complex Coordinated Attack Working Group

In the past several months, there have been attacks throughout the world and Mr. Schwartz will provide an update on recent activities to address a Comprehensive Coordinated Attack in the NCR and what is being done to better prepare the region for this type event, and highlights from the most recent Complex Coordinated Attack Working Group meeting that was held on November 1, 2016.

EPC Action: Receive update; offer comments or questions.

#### 4:00 P.M. 5. INAUGURATION PLANNING OVERVIEW

David Snyder, EPC Chairman
ATSAIC Tom Barraclough, US Secret Service Washington Field Office
ATSATC Wesley Schwark, US Secret Service Dignitary Protective Division

Chair Snyder will welcome ATSAICs Barraclough and Schwark to provide an overview of the planning structure and timeline for the 2017 Presidential Inauguration.

EPC Action: Receive overview; offer comments or questions.

#### 4:25 P.M. 6. OTHER BUSINESS

David Snyder, EPC Chairman

Chair Snyder will give EPC members and opportunity to discuss major activities in their organizations.

**EPC Action:** Discuss EPC member activities.

#### 4:30 P.M. 7. ADJOURN

Next Meeting: Identify EPC Focus Areas for 2017 Wednesday, February 8, 2016, 2:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M. Location: Ronald F. Kirby Training Center (First floor), COG

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