



State Emergency Response and Recovery Plan (SERRP)

An Overview
11 - March - 2015

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Agency Mission

Department of Emergency and Military Affairs
The Department's mission is to provide military and emergency management capabilities to citizens of Arizona and the Nation

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Whole Community



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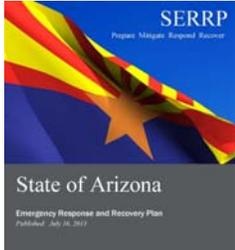
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SERRP

Overview

- » Enabling authorities
- » High-level roles & responsibilities
- » State Emergency Operations Center
- » Defines connectivity to partner agencies in disaster operations



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Overview

- » Uses National Incident Management System (NIMS) Principles
- » Recognizes federal frameworks & presidential directives
- » Comprehensive all-hazards plan
- » Uses the "Whole Community" concept throughout
- » Aligns with federal Emergency Support Functions structure

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Purpose

- » What it doesn't do:
 - Script exact actions
 - Direct agencies to act beyond their capability
 - Break laws
 - Supersede agency law, rules or authorities

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SERRP

Update Cycle

- » SERRP is updated on an annual basis
- » Engages the Whole Community in quarterly meetings
- » Flexibility in updates
- » Includes update of Standard Operating Procedures
- » SERRP is finalized in December

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Structure

- » Basic Plan
- » Fifteen Emergency Support Function Annexes
- » Seven Support Annexes
- » Six Incident Annexes
- » Authorities and References List
- » Acronyms List

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Annex Structure

- » Introduction
- » Planning Assumptions
- » Concept of Operations
- » Agency Roles & Responsibilities
- » Administration & Maintenance
- » Appendices suggested guidance

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Catastrophic Incident Annex

- » Provides an overarching context & strategy:
 - For coordinating a rapid State response
 - To support overwhelmed medical examiners
- » Activated by the Governor
- » May be an incident of national significance
- » May require federal or other states' assistance

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Catastrophic Incident Annex

Potential Emergency Support Functions Needed

- » Communications, ESF-2
- » Firefighting, ESF-4
- » Emergency Management, ESF-5
- » Mass Care, Housing, and Human Services, ESF-6
- » Decontamination within ESFs 8 and 10
- » Health and Medical ESF-8
- » Public Safety, ESF 13
- » Emergency Public Information, ESF-15

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Catastrophic Incident Annex

- » Specific Roles & Responsibilities of ADEM:
 - Situation assessment
 - Begin the coordination effort to supplement overwhelmed resources
 - Coordinate resource management
- » Command and Control is always the affected jurisdiction(s)
 - Unified Command may be required

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Catastrophic Incident Annex

- » The Catastrophic Incident Annex has two (2) appendices:
 - Mass Casualty Coordination Appendix
 - Mass Fatalities Appendix

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Catastrophic Incident Annex

Mass Casualty Coordination Appendix

- » Identifies methods to support jurisdiction(s)
- » Does not set a "trigger" level
- » Defines Planning Assumptions
- » Empowers Health Services as the lead agency
- » Roles & responsibilities

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Catastrophic Incident Annex

Mass Fatalities Appendix

- » Recognizes support will be needed immediately for overwhelmed Medical Examiners' Offices
- » Defines general methodology for obtaining support assets
- » Does not define an operational set of procedures
- » Assumes capabilities vary
- » Recognizes assets need to be coordinated & moved rapidly

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Catastrophic Incident Annex

Mass Fatalities Appendix

- » Department of Health Services is lead under ESF-8
- » Recognizes immediate support may be needed by:
 - Department of Public Safety
 - Attorney General
 - Arizona Department of Transportation
 - Arizona National Guard
- » Notification path(s)
- » Roles & Responsibilities

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Questions

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