

EMAP Presentation



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Background of Program

Washoe County Emergency Management and Homeland Security Program

County Code 65.300: Works for the County Manager, within the Management Services Division, to maintain a focus on preparedness of the Region for the greater good of our citizens.

Supports County Strategic Goal of Safe, Secure, and Healthy Communities



Program Collaboration

- 1. Emergency Management
- 2. Fire Services
- 3. Law Enforcement
- 4. Hazardous Materials Triad
- 5. Government Administration
- 6. Emergency Medical Services

- 7. Health Care
- 8. 911 Dispatch
- 9. Public Health
- 10. Public Works
- 11. Volunteer Groups
- 12. Private Sector

Our Regional Partners



Program Primary Location

Regional Emergency Operations Center

Governed by:

An inter-local agreement

Serves as:

A regional hub for Preparedness, Response, Recovery, and Mitigation





5195 Spectrum Blvd



Program Focus

- 1. Earthquake
- 2. Wild Land Fire
- 3. Flooding
- 4. Drought
- 5. Hazardous Materials
- 6. Radiological Waste

- 7. Severe Storms
- 8. Avalanche
- 9. Volcanic Ash
- 10. Infectious Disease
- 11. Energy Disruption
- 12. Criminal Acts
- 13. Terrorism

Our Regional Hazards





Accreditation Process

- Voluntary assessment process based on a nationally recognized standard
- Consists of independent peer review of 64 areas, and 105 separate requirements
- Assessment team consisted of 7 experts who spent 5 days examining performance and documentation



Accreditation Results

- The team found all areas to be 100% compliant with national, best-practice standards
- The EMAP Commission has reviewed the report and officially granted Washoe County full accreditation.



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Presentation of Plaque to



Board of County Commissioners

