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Location: Hunterdon County Office of Emergency Management
201 Cherryville Road
Flemington, NJ 08822

Date: October 9 – 10, 2019

Time: 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

Additional Information:

The G205 Recovery from Disaster, the Local Government Role is a required course for the FEMA APS Certificate, formerly G 270.4 Revised 2016.

Prerequisite:

None

Course Purpose:

This 2-day course explores the role, design, and functions of the Emergency Operations Centers and their relationships in disaster recovery for the local government. It is intended to increase local government awareness of issues involved in disaster recovery by providing a forum for discussion of “lessons learned” in disaster recovery and promote the development of a pre-disaster recovery plan at the county or local levels of government.

Course Objectives

At the end of the course, participants should be able to:

- Describe the local government’s role and responsibilities in disaster recovery.
- Identify leadership qualities and actions that contribute to disaster recovery at the local government level.
- Explain how a Recovery Task Force can be used to organize local government recovery operations.
- Identify needed improvements to their pre-disaster recovery plan.
- Identify methods and techniques for providing public information during disaster recovery.
- Describe options for providing shelter, temporary housing, and replacement housing for disaster survivors.
- Define the role of an unmet needs committee in serving the community during emergencies and major disasters.
- Identify the components of the health care system and the role of each component in disasters.
- Describe the role and responsibilities of the local government public works department in disaster recovery.
- Describe the role and responsibilities of the local government building inspection department in disaster recovery.
- Describe the role and responsibilities of the business sector in disaster recovery.
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- Describe the role and responsibilities of the local government planning and community development department in disaster recovery.
- Describe the role and responsibilities of local government administration in disaster recovery.
- Evaluate how the materials and resources from this course will assist them in their disaster recovery program

Target Audience:

The target audience for this course includes the following local government positions and allied professionals:

- Local elected officials (Mayor, City/County Council, Committee Member)
- City/County Manager / Administrator and staff
- Finance Director CFO and staff
- Tax Assessor and staff
- Emergency Manager and Staff
- Public Works Director and Staff
- Construction Code Enforcement / Inspector’s and Staff
- Fire Prevention-Code Enforcement/Fire Marshal/Officials
- Community Planner and Staff
- Health Official/Care Administrator or Planner
- Public Information Officer
- Housing Director or Planner and staff
- Voluntary Agency Coordinator or Unmet Needs Committee Coordinator
- Business and Private Organization Representative

Please fill out the NJ OEM Training Application. Then completed application and email it to ftu@gw.njsp.org. Incomplete applications will not be accepted. You will be receive a class confirmation via email prior to the class start date.

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