Flood Fight Operations

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Location: Camden County Office of Emergency Management
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Date: October 16 – 17, 2019

Time: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Course Description:
This course is for emergency managers, public works officials, levee district representatives, and others responsible for planning, preparing, and managing the response to a flood. Officials from every community at risk of flooding should take this training. While this training emphasizes how to conduct a flood fight, it provides information to help communities decide if a flood fight is possible and worth the effort and cost.

This program addresses community planning and response options for riverine flooding. While it does not deal with specialized flooding situations such as alluvial fan floods, coastal floods, flash floods, or floods related to ice jams, the same basic planning and response procedures could apply in these unique situations.

This workshop will be led by U.S. Army Corps of Engineers with experience in flood planning and flood response operations, and will include the 45 minute Expedient Flood Training (0270.3) field activity building a sandbag wall.

Course Purpose:
This program is intended to be conducted before a flood threatens the community. It is important to recognize that flood preparations and plans should be made, evaluated, and exercised well in advance of threats.

Target Audience:
The target audience for this course includes emergency management personnel, emergency responders, public works and utility employees, local elected and appointed officials.

Examples of potential participants include:

• Emergency Planners.
• Floodplain and waterways managers.
• First responders
• Public Health Officials

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

Contact NJOEM Training & Exercise Unit for more information: ftu@gw.njsp.org