

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

FEBRUARY 20, 2024





INTRODUCTION

- 27 year-resident of Santaquin
- 26 years of service with Santaquin Fire and EMS
- Married for 37 years with 3 sons, 35, 32, and 27.
- Graduated 2018 with Ed.D. in Organizational Leadership.
- UVII Assistant Professor
 - Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in Leadership, Homeland Security, and Emergency Management
- Emergency Manager since 2018
- Work 30 hours/week
- Utah Emergency Manager Association (UCEM) designation.
- Advanced Emergency Manager Academy Graduate
- Working toward International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM) (CEM) designation (2024).



MISSION STATEMENT

 Santaquin City Emergency Management strives to prepare for, mitigate against, respond to, and aid in recovery from natural and man-made disasters and emergencies, making Santaquin City and its residents more resilient.

Emergency Management Pillars include; Prepared Citizens,
 Prepared Schools, Prepared Businesses, and Prepared
 Community.



VULNERABILITIES

- Wildfire/Conflagrations
- Landslides
- Flooding
- Debris Flows
- Earthquake
- Extreme Weather



PLANS

Write/Update

- Community Wildfire Protection Plan (February 2020)
- Emergency Operations Plan (June 2020)
- Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP) (June 2024)
- Orchard Days Incident Action Plan (Ongoing)



PROGRESS

- Santaquin City Administration Building
 - Primary EOC Generator
- Annual EMPG:
 - 2017 Current
- Ham Radio Technician
- Part 107 Drone Operator
- Established relationships with City, County, State and FEMA resources.



NIMS RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NO: 01-01-2005

WHEREAS, Homeland Security Presidential Directive/HSPD-5, 28 Feb 2003 established the National Incident Management System (NIMS); and

WHEREAS, the NIMS establishes a single, comprehensive approach to domestic incident management to ensure that all levels of government across the Nation have the capability to work efficiently and effectively together using a national approach to domestic incident management: and

WHEREAS, the NIMS provides a consistent nationwide approach for Federal, State, and local Governments to work together to prepare for and respond to, and recover from domestic incidents regardless of the cause, size and complexity: and

WHEREAS, the NIMS provides for interoperability and compatibility aprincipals, Istate, and local capabilities and includes a core set of concepts, principals, terminology and technologies covering the incident command system, unified command, training, management or resources and reporting; and

WHEREAS, beginning October 1, 2004 all Federal departments and agencies shall make adoption of the NIMS a requirement, to the extent provided by law, for providing Federal preparedness assistance through grants, contract or other activities to local governments; and

WHEREAS, in order for Santaquin City to qualify for Federal grants and other funding, it is necessary for the Department to adopt the NIMS:

NOW THEREFORE, Be it resolved that Santaquin City adopts the National Incident Management System (NIMS) as its system of preparing for and responding to disaster incidents.

Adopted by the City Council of Santaquin City, this 19th day of January,

2005.

Martin Green, Mayor Pro-Tem

Susan B. Fjarnsworth, City Recorder





HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Know and understand your roles.
- Participate in exercise and training.
- NIMS Training
 - IS-100: An Introduction to ICS
 - IS-200: Basic Incident Command System for Initial Response
 - IS-700: NIMS: An Introduction
 - IS-800: National Response Framework: An Introduction
 - ICS and NIMS Courses can be located through the Emergency Management Institute (EMI).
 - EMI website: https://training.fema.gov/nims/



GRANTS





Public Assistance Grant

Santaquin City 2023 Spring Runoff/Flooding Meeting with FEMA on February 22nd.



Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER)

NOFO TBD



Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC)

Emergency Generators for

- •Canyon Road Booster Station
- •Summit Ridge Well



Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG)

Annual Emergency Management Grant



COORDINATE/NETWORKING

- Fire Department
- Police Department
- Public Works
- Community Services
- Surrounding Jurisdictions
- City/Neighborhood Coordination
- Utah County Emergency Management
- Utah County Health Department
- Salt Lake County Emergency Management
- Wasatch County Emergency Management
- State Division of Emergency Management





MEETINGS

- County Emergency Manager's
- Red Cross
- Orchard Days Planning
- Utah County Healthcare Coalition
- Emergency Management
 Performance Grant
- County Local Emergency Planning Committee
- NOAA National Weather
- Region 3 Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters (VOAD)





MASS NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

- 8,471 Santaquin Registrations
- Industry Leader
- 100,000 messages guaranteed in < 1 hour
- Redundant servers/SaaS-cloud based
- Assistance in sending messages if needed
- Unlimited groups
- Internal and External uses





PRESIDENTIALLY DECLARED DISASTER

- Threshold numbers determine declaration status
- If we don't meet the threshold (\$1.9 Million County) (\$5.6 Million State)
 - 100% of the cost is our responsibility
- Cost share mandates in declared disaster
 - 75% FEMA/Federal
 - 25% Santaquin City (with possible State Assistance)
- Local cost share can be "in-kind"
 - Volunteer hours can be counted and used toward match



"We did not anticipate that airliners would be commandeered and turned into guided missiles; but the fact that we practiced for other kinds of disasters made us far more prepared to handle a catastrophe that nobody envisioned."

- RUDOLPH W. GIULIANI FORMER MAYOR OF NYC

"To each there comes in their lifetime a special moment when they are figuratively tapped on the shoulder and offered the chance to do a very special thing, unique to them and fitted to their talents. What a tragedy if that moment finds them unprepared or unqualified for that which could have been their finest hour."

- WINSTON CHURCHILL



QUESTIONS?

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