

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND DISASTER REIMBURSEMENT

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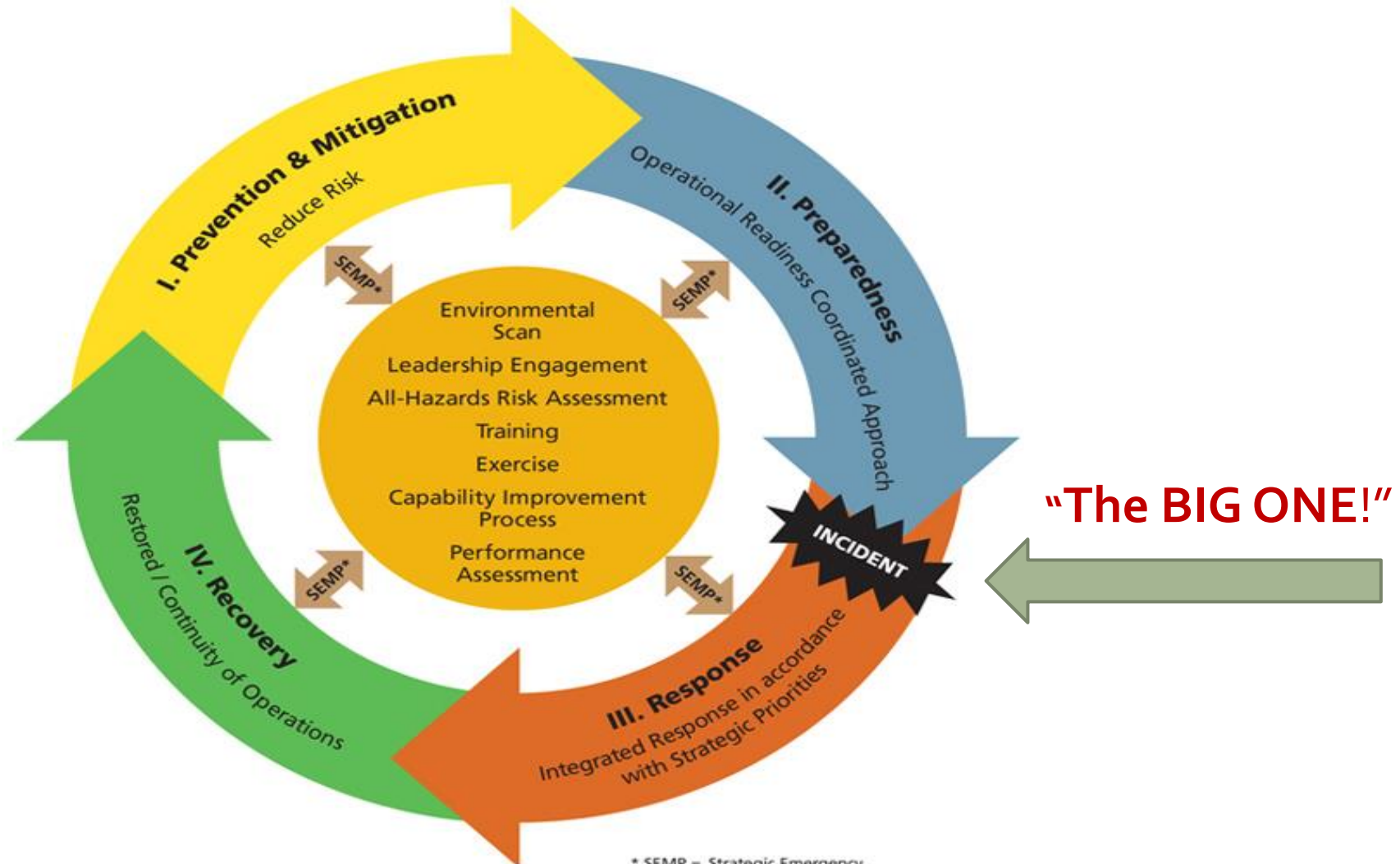
ANYTHING

That disrupts the normal, every day activities of a community

- SNOW STORMS / ICE STORMS
- FLOODS / DROUGHTS
- TORNADOS / HURICANES / WIND STORMS
- LARGE FIRES
- HAZARDOUS MATERIAL INCIDENTS (Toxic Industrial Chemicals – TICs)
- EXTREME VEHICLE ACCIDENTS
- LONG TERM POWER DISRUPTIONS
- TERRORISM

HOW IT ALL WORKS - FOUR MAJOR PARTS

Emergency Management Continuum



* SEMP = Strategic Emergency Management Plan

WHAT IS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Definition:

1. Emergency management is the managerial function charged with creating the framework within which communities reduce vulnerability to hazards and cope with disasters.
2. Emergency Managers are the avenue to connect local, state, and federal partners during a disaster / emergency. They are the key for local government to unlock resources or funding as applicable.

Mission: Emergency management protects communities by coordinating and integrating all activities necessary to build, sustain, and improve the capability to mitigate against, prepare for, respond to, and recover from threatened or actual natural disasters, acts of terrorism, or other man-made disasters.

BOTTOM LINE:

Make communities more resilient and to support efficient recovery after an event .

WHAT GOVERNS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT?

ACT 390 OF 1976 – State of MI

- Makes the Governor the responsible for coping with disasters or emergencies
- Makes the Director of the Michigan State Police the State Director of Emergency Management, answering directly to the Governor
- Directs the creation of the Emergency Management Division within the Michigan State Police
- Defines what events may be a “disaster”
- Requires the appointment of an Emergency Management Coordinator in every county, local jurisdiction over 25,000 residents, and colleges / universities with an average population of faculty, staff, & students over 25,000.
- Outlines the powers of the Governor, county, municipality.
- Explains assessments and declarations

WHAT GOVERNS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT?

SECTION 19 - Amended 2018 Act 264:

- Section within Act 390 that outlines Michigan's Disaster and Emergency Contingency fund
- Outlines grants and financial assistance that can be provided to eligible counties / jurisdictions when an "extraordinary burden" has been placed on available resources
 - Must demonstrate a exhaustion of local effort (resources)
 - Utilizing the current & approved Emergency Operations Plan
- Funding will not exceed following amounts or 10% of annual budget, or which ever is less
 - Population under 25,000 – up to \$250,000.00
 - Population more than 25,000 but less than 75,000 – up to \$500,000.00
 - Population over 75,000 – up to \$1,000,000.00

WHAT GOVERNS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT?

STAFFORD ACT 1988 - Federal:

- Governor must certify in writing the disaster or emergency has overwhelmed state & local resources
- Authorizes the President to make a Presidential Declaration and send in federal resources – these take many forms
- Several levels of financial assistance.
 - Public Assistance requires a 25% match
 - Individual Assistance, no match
 - Small Business Loans – most common type of assistance



What are "RESOURCES"

- ❖ Personnel
- ❖ Technology
- ❖ Communications
- ❖ Equipment
- ❖ Sheltering
- ❖ Logistical
- ❖ Funding



RESOURCE & FUNDING FLOW

ALL disasters / emergencies start LOCAL

EXCEPTIONS (not the rule)

- 1995 Oklahoma Federal Building Bombing
- 2001 Pentagon Terror Attack
- 2020 COVID 19 Pandemic

Once **LOCAL** RESOURCES are exhausted and a local declaration made.....

The **STATE of Michigan** may provide resources if declaration is approved by Governor and resources are available

**** If state resources are exhausted****

The Governor may make a state declaration to request **FEDERAL** resources

Be Prepared Locally

- ❖ **Know & support your Emergency Manager**
- ❖ **Assure your Emergency Operations Plan is current**
- ❖ **Collaborate with local jurisdiction leaders in your county**
- ❖ **Plan ahead to sustain your community**
- ❖ **Educate your citizens in preparedness so they can self-support**
- ❖ **Support your Non-Government Organizations (I.E. charities & shelters)**
- ❖ **Support public & governmental communications**
- ❖ **DOCUMENT: expenses, materials, personnel, donations, etc.**

If you want to know more

<https://training.fema.gov>

FEMA INDEPENDENT STUDY:

- IS – 100 c
- IS – 200 c
- IS – 700 b
- IS - 800 d



QUESTIONS ???

