Community preparedness is a principal Homeland Security objectives but BAUASI doesn't involve the community.

Section 12. Priority Capability Objectives

Priority capability objectives are derived each year from the region's risk analysis process which identifies the highest risk and gap areas based on asset risk, threat information, and subject matter expert capability assessments. ***In order to be eligible for FY17 funding, all proposed projects must fulfill at least one of these priority capability objectives:***

Goal 2 - Information Analysis and Infrastructure Protection

Objective 2.1 Intelligence Collection, Analysis and Sharing: Collect, analyze and share information and intelligence to achieve awareness, prevention, protection, mitigation, and response concerning a terrorist attack or other emergency.

Objective 2.2 Terrorism Attribution, Interdiction and Disruption: Conduct forensic analysis; attribute terrorist threats; and identify, deter, detect, disrupt, investigate, and apprehend suspects involved in terrorist activities.

Objective 2.3 Infrastructure Protection: Assess risk to the region's physical and cyber critical infrastructure and key resource, enhance protection, and reduce risk from all hazards.

Goal 3 - Communications

Objective 3.1 Operational Communications: Provide voice and data information among multi-jurisdictional and multidisciplinary responders, command posts, agencies, and officials during an emergency response.

Objective 3.2 Emergency Public Information and Warning: Provide public information and warning to affected members of the community in order to save lives and property.

Goal 4 - CBRNE Detection, Response, and Decontamination

Objective 4.1 Screening Search and Detection: Detect, locate and identify CBRNE materials and communicate relevant information to appropriate entities at the state and federal level.

Objective 4.5 Critical Resource Logistics: Secure supply nodes and provide emergency power, fuel support for responders, access to community staples, and fire and other first response services.

Goal 6 - Emergency Planning and Community Preparedness

Objective 6.2 Critical Transportation: Evacuate people and animals as well as deliver response personnel, equipment, and services in order to save lives and assist survivors.

Objective 6.3 Mass Care: Provide sheltering, feeding, family reunification, and bulk distribution for populations impacted by emergency incidents.

Goal 7 - Recovery

Objective 7.1 Infrastructure Systems: Restore critical lifelines through providing assessments and getting personnel and equipment to disaster scenes.

Goal 6 - Emergency Planning and Community Preparedness

Objective 6.2 Critical Transportation: Evacuate people and animals as well as deliver response personnel, equipment, and services in order to save lives and assist survivors.

Core Capability: Critical Transportation

Mission Areas: Response

Primary Audience: Emergency managers and transportation agencies

Outcomes:

a) Transmit requests for emergency and basic transportation resources and issue evacuation orders.

b) Support staged evacuation of people with access and functional needs.

c) Clear debris from roads to facilitate response operations.

d) During the first 72 hours of an incident, provide transportation corridors for response priority objectives, despite up to 1,300 miles of road closures, 600 bridges destroyed, and 320 bridges severely damaged (THIRA).

e) Within five days of an incident, supplement local and state law authorities with resources for critical transportation, operators, and evacuation needs (THIRA).

Goal 6 - Emergency Planning and Community Preparedness

Objective 6.3 Mass Care: Provide sheltering, feeding, family reunification, and bulk distribution for populations impacted by emergency incidents.

Core Capability: Mass Care Services

Mission Areas: Response

Primary Audience: Emergency managers, social services, American Red Cross (ARC)

Outcomes:

a) Provide mass care in a manner consistent with all applicable laws, regulations and guidelines, including those pertaining to individuals with access and functional needs.

b) Consolidate information about the mass care activities of non-governmental organizations and private-sector companies in order to coordinate operations with state and federal agencies.

c) Within the first 72 hours of a critical incident, begin to establish mass care services for up to 331,400 people and for up to 218,300 household pets needing shelter (THIRA).

d) Support more than one million people needing transportation assistance (THIRA).

e) During the first seven days of an incident, implement a plan to support mass care services during transition to short-term recovery (THIRA).

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