
SUBJECT: DISASTER SITUATIONS

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GENERAL INFORMATION

The County Commission has the overall responsibility to supervise and control local government operations from the County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and meet the dangers to the county and its people presented by an emergency or disaster.

The County Commission delegates authority to coordinate emergency operations to the County Emergency Manager, who will perform primarily from the county EOC.

Local government emergency and disaster operations will be guided by the Cass County Emergency Operations Plan which consists of: the Basic Document; nine (9) Functional Annexes, which include policies; procedures; specific hazard appendices; and a resource library. When the Local Emergency Operations Plan is activated, all or part of the documents, plans, and procedures may be implemented.

Entities of local government are assigned responsibilities in nine (9) functional areas as Functional Coordinators and/or Task Coordinators. Functional Coordinators are assigned responsibility for coordinating all activities within a particular function and shall perform these duties either remotely or from the county EOC.

The Emergency Management Organization Chart which follows graphically illustrates the coordination and control relationship between the County Commission, the County Emergency Manager, County Departments (Function and Task Coordinators), and the on-scene Incident Commander.

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