

December 11, 2018

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Social Services

PowerPoint Presentation



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Emergency Shelters

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The County Department of Social Services is the agency with primary responsibility for sheltering residents and visitors in the county.

Sheltering Process





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The Shelter Coordinator will respond only to the Sheriff Department for a requested shelter activation.

Red Cross is then contacted to establish an official Red Cross Shelter.



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Red Cross

- *Tasked by the federal government with providing disaster relief*
- *Mono County is part of the LA Region Red Cross*





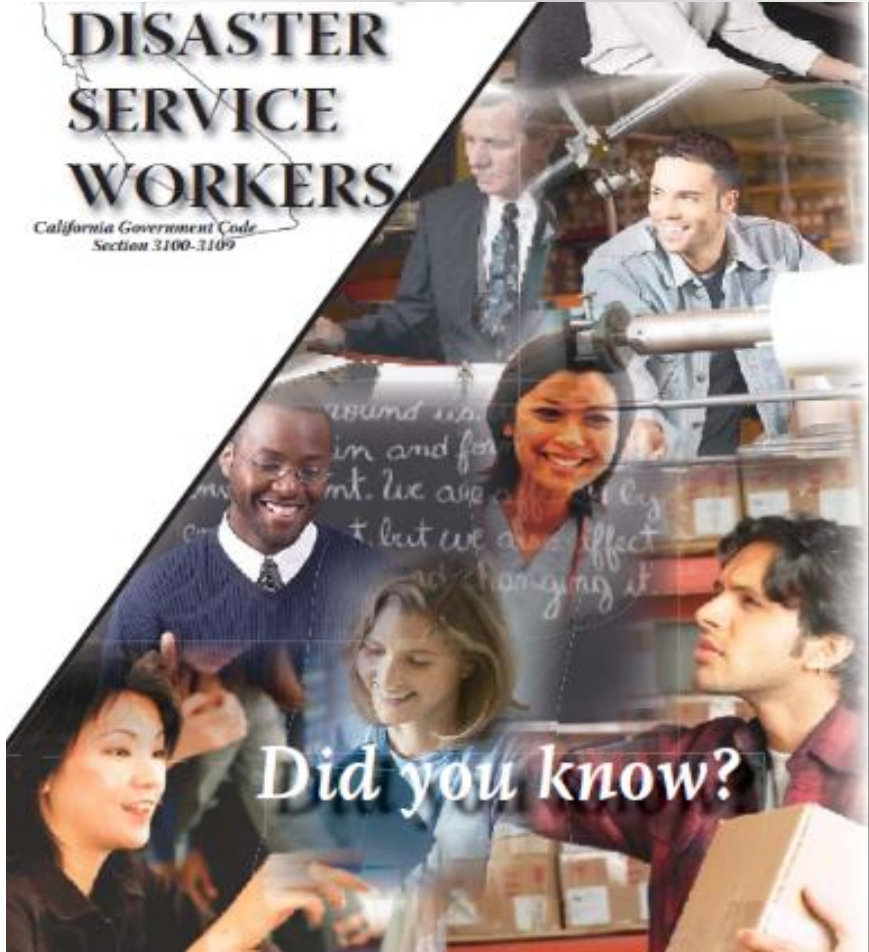
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When a disaster strikes, county employees, local volunteers, and Red Cross are an essential part of our sheltering operations.



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Sheriff/County Director of Emergency Services

- *May require the emergency services of any County officer or employee (Disaster Service Worker)*
- *May requisition necessary personnel or materials of any County department or agency.*

Department Heads

- *Maintain contact list of employees, including the home/cell phone numbers and physical address.*



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All public employees are considered Disaster Service Workers.



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Shelter Management and Shelter Worker Roles:

Shelter Manager:

- Opens, organizes, operates, and closes the shelter*
- Ensures safety for clients & staff*
- Maintains contact with Shelter Coordinator*

Shelter Workers:

- Receive assignments from the shelter manager*
- Perform needed tasks*



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Staff must also prepare **themselves** and their families for a disaster:

- *Ensure family safety*
- *Are ready to report to work, if called upon*





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June Lake Fire, September 2014



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Bridgeport flooding, January 2017



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Long Valley Avalanche, January 2017



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Mammoth Snow Load and Long Valley Avalanche, January 2017



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Slinkard Fire August 2017



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HELP**

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Board Reports

RCRC Meeting Highlights



To: RCRC Board of Directors
From: Greg Norton
President and CEO
Date: December 10, 2018
Re: RCRC Board Meeting Highlights (December 05, 2018)

President's Report

Greg Norton, RCRC President and CEO, provided an update on various member county visits, and recognized outgoing Supervisors Randy Hanvelt (Tuolumne), Michael Ranalli (El Dorado), Jim Steele (Lake), and Larry Munger (Sutter) for their years of dedicated service to California's rural counties.

Administrative Matters

Election of 2019 RCRC Officers and Corporate Officers – ACTION

In December of each year, the RCRC Officers for the subsequent year are to be elected by the RCRC Board of Directors. The RCRC Board of Directors approved the ascension of Supervisor Matt Kingsley (Inyo) to Chair, and elected Supervisor Daron McDaniel (Merced) to First Vice Chair, and Supervisor Stacy Corless (Mono) to Second Vice Chair. Supervisor Rex Bohn (Humboldt) will become Immediate Past Chair. RCRC's 2019 Officer slate becomes effective January 1, 2019.

The memo can be accessed [here](#).

RCRC 2019 Proposed Budget – ACTION

Lisa McCargar, RCRC Chief Financial Officer, provided an overview of the RCRC 2019 Proposed Budget, highlighting revenue and expenditures, and outlining the key differences between the 2019 and 2018 Expenditure Budgets.

The memo can be accessed [here](#). The 2019 RCRC Operating Budget approved by the RCRC Board of Directors can be accessed [here](#).

RCRC Bylaws Proposed Revisions to Officer and Executive Committee Voting Procedure and to Assign Sonoma County to Region 3 – ACTION

Mr. Norton addressed revisions to the RCRC Bylaws to explicitly authorize secret ballot voting for RCRC Officers and Executive Committee members. The proposed revisions also formally assign Sonoma County to Region 3 in accordance with the RCRC Board of Directors' action on September 21, 2018. The RCRC Board of Directors approved the proposed revisions.

The memo can be accessed [here](#). The proposed revisions can be accessed [here](#).

Consideration of Guidelines for RCRC Participation as Amicus Curiae in Pending Court Cases of Interest to Rural CA Counties – ACTION

Paul A. Smith, RCRC Vice President of Governmental Affairs, discussed the possible participation by RCRC as *amicus curiae* in pending litigation of statewide importance. Mr. Smith outlined guidelines for managing such activities. The RCRC Board of Directors approved the overall effort and suggested guidelines.

The memo can be accessed [here](#).

RCRC Rural Leadership Awards

Mr. Smith announced that the RCRC Executive Committee had reviewed RCRC staff submissions for the 2018 Rural Leadership Awards and selected Assembly Member Jim Wood (D-Healdsburg), and Assembly Member Brian Dahle (R-Bieber). The awards will be presented at the 2019 Installation of Officers and Rural Leadership Awards Reception in January 2019.

Installation of Officers Reception/Ceremony

Justin Caporusso, RCRC Vice President of External Affairs, provided an update on the 2019 Installation of Officers and Rural Leadership Awards Reception. The event will be held January 16, 2019, from 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. in the California Chamber of Commerce's California Room in Sacramento. The invitation with official details can be accessed [here](#).

Mr. Caporusso explained that there are a number of other events taking place in Sacramento during the week of the 2019 Installation of Officers and Rural Leadership Awards Reception, and encouraged RCRC Board Members to [secure](#) their lodging using RCRC's room block at the Residence Inn. Completed form should be returned to [Santinia Pasquini](#), RCRC External Affairs Coordinator.

Governmental Affairs

Forest Management and Wildfire Update

Staci Heaton, RCRC Regulatory Affairs Advocate, provided an update on several efforts currently underway in the Legislature and various state and federal agencies to address California's persistent catastrophic wildfire events. These topics include investor-owned utilities and liability, homeowners insurance, the Legislative Analyst's Office Update on CAL FIRE spending, and an update on the Forest Management Task Force.

The memo can be accessed [here](#).

Proposed 2019 Policy Principles

Each year, the RCRC Board of Directors adopts Policy Principles to help serve as a guide to RCRC staff when reviewing legislation and regulations to determine the appropriate position for the organization and its members. RCRC staff reviewed the current Policy Principles and provided a number of modest improvements to the document. In order to facilitate discussion at the January 2019 RCRC Board of Directors Meeting and to allow all member counties to review the proposed changes, accessed [here](#), RCRC Board Members are encouraged to provide any proposed edits

to [Maggie Chui](#) in writing no later than January 1, 2019. The received revisions will be included in the January 2019 Board Packet and considered at the January RCRC Board of Directors Meeting.

Update on County Jail Construction Projects

Mr. Smith and Elizabeth Howard Espinosa, Hurst Brooks Espinosa LLC, provided an analysis of the recent history of state-funded county jail construction projects, as well as local juvenile detention construction projects. The impetus for the analysis was in response to a number of concerns raised by RCRC Board Members regarding the costs of constructing and operating new detention facilities.

Mr. Smith and Ms. Howard Espinosa recommended that RCRC member counties that have experienced delays that have resulted in the cost to construct being significantly higher than the amount awarded evaluate the reason(s) for the delay, and provide that data and rationale to RCRC staff. Once this data has been received, RCRC staff plans to approach the Legislature and the Administration to assess whether there can be additional state funding appropriated to bridge this gap.

The memo can be accessed [here](#).

Legislative Committee

Update on Farm Bill

Mr. Smith provided an update on the status of the 2018 Farm Bill. Late last week it was announced that an agreement had been reached between the House of Representatives and the U.S. Senate to advance a 2018 Farm Bill in the Lame Duck Session. Votes on the measure were delayed to allow members time to mourn the passing of former President George H.W. Bush; however, votes in both chambers are expected to occur next week. Key Farm Bill negotiators were hoping to release the text of the final conference report this week, but Senate Agriculture Chairman Pat Roberts (R-Kansas) said the report will not be available until next week. The key aspects of the recent agreement are the removal of a number of new work requirements to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) that House Republicans had incorporated in their Farm Bill proposal. Also, House Republican-backed efforts promoting forest management activities are likely to be removed and Senator Roberts has hinted the Forestry Title could be spun-off as separate legislation to address revisions in forest practices on federal lands.

As the details of the agreement to move a 2018 Farm Bill emerge, RCRC's federal advocacy team will be reviewing closely with particular attention to the Economic Development Title, which may be addressing broadband deployment among other aspects for rural communities.

The memo can be accessed [here](#).

Regulatory Committee

Senate Bill 1383 Short-Lived Climate Pollutant Proposed Regulations and Assembly Bill 1826 Mandatory Commercial Organic Waste Recycling

Mary Pitto, RCRC Regulatory Affairs Advocate, provided an update on the status of the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery's (CalRecycle) Senate Bill

1383 (Lara), Short-Lived Climate Pollutant proposed regulations. On November 30, 2018, CalRecycle released the economic analysis for public review. Ms. Pitto provided a summary of the analysis, but will be analyzing it in more detail with stakeholders for formal comments. The formal draft of the regulations is expected in January 2019 to begin the formal rulemaking process. Once the formal draft is released for the 45-day review period, stakeholders will submit their comments again as part of the public record. Any significant changes would then be incorporated into the second formal draft of the regulations. CalRecycle expects adoption of the regulations in 2019.

Ms. Pitto encouraged RCRC member counties to review the proposed regulations once they are released, and to become engaged during the SB 1383 formal rulemaking process.

The memo can be accessed [here](#).

Water and Natural Resources Committee

Water Issues Update

Ms. Warmerdam provided an update on a number of issues involving California water policy at the state and federal levels, including the Bay-Delta Water Quality Plan, the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA), and California WaterFix. Ms. Warmerdam also noted that the intersection of these discussions are particularly complex at the moment, and will affect how the incoming Administration moves forward on meeting the state's water supply and quality needs.

The memo can be accessed [here](#).

Please refer to the Board Packet and Supplemental Packet for further details related to the items above, as well as all items covered during the December 2018 RCRC Board of Directors meeting. The December 2018 Board Packet can be accessed [here](#).