

2018 5th Annual National Joint Tribal Emergency Management Conference



August 20 – 21st, 2018

**Hosted by the Northern Quest Casino and Resort
Pre-Conference Training Open to All Attendees Free of Charge**

Pre-Conference Training Opportunities



Monday, August 20th, 2018

Pavilion

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Day 1: Ham Radio Training

Training Materials will be provided in advance for those that register

Tuesday, August 21st, 2018

Pavilion

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Day 2: Ham Radio Training & Testing

Sample Questions and Answers will be provided in advance of the test for studying purposes to help increase your chances of becoming licensed.

SPECIAL EVENTS – You Won't Want to Miss This!

Please Stop by and Just Say Hi! We will be operating the Ham Radio Station all week long. We will be located on the 5th floor of the parking garage. Take the elevator just outside of the main event center doors. Watch for the signs.

We will also be presenting during the main conference August 22nd – August 24th, 2018. Please check your agenda for our presentations featuring:

The Essentials of Emergency Drinking Water Treatment, Kenton Jones
Effective Emergency Communications with a Handheld Ham Radio, Steve Aberle
Emergency Food Preparedness, Sue Aberle
Getting Started with your Handheld Ham Radio, Dave Carleton

*Presented by: Nathan Nixon and Steve Aberle
EMAIL Lynda@ntemc.org to register for this class*

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Louisiana State University National Center for Biomedical Research and Training

Readiness: Training Identification and Preparedness Planning (MGT-418)

August 20th and 21st, 2018 (2 day course)
Main Event Center

This course teaches participants how to create effective training plans for their agencies and jurisdictions. By evaluating their abilities to meet their emergency operations plan (EOP) using traditional and national preparedness tools, participants can answer the following critical readiness questions:

- How prepared do we need to be?
- How prepared are we?
- How do we prioritize efforts to close the difference?

Agencies that plan and train together are much better equipped to successfully respond together. In this course, participants learn a Jurisdiction Training Assessment Process in which an integrated assessment team creates a jurisdictional profile and evaluates their abilities to meet their EOP. Participants are then able to identify and catalog training gaps and identify ways to close them by prioritizing training efforts, developing improvement plans and implementing a course of action.

Hours: 16.0 (Direct Delivery)

Format: Instructor-Led Training (Direct Delivery)

DHS Course #: MGT-418

Professional Disciplines

Law Enforcement, Emergency Medical Service, Emergency Management Agency, Fire Service, Hazardous Materials, Public Works, Governmental Administrative, Public Safety Communication, Healthcare, Public Health The target audience for the **Direct Delivery** version of this course must include individuals from each discipline whose responsibilities include the following:

- Plan development, including emergency operations plan
- Training needs determination and management
- Resource allocation and management (personnel, equipment and systems)
- Purchasing and logistics management
- Exercise coordination, development and evaluation
- Capabilities evaluation
- Organizational design and management

Presented by: Bob Bradley

Email: Lynda@nwtemc.org to register for this class.

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Tuesday, August 21st, 2018

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Early bird registration and Vendor Set -Up

Wednesday, August 22nd, 2018

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Registration

Continental Breakfast will be served from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

MORNING SESSIONS

This year's conference will kick off all events in the Main Event Center, Pavilion IV. Our conference will have a resounding theme as this year's events will be built around "Education, Training and Interactive Roundtables." Come and let your voice be heard. Our Main Event this year will allow participants to interact directly with our Tribal, Federal, State and Local partners. Please join us in the Pavilion for all General Sessions as well as visit kiosks that will provide you the opportunity to find Grants, Resources, and Information that will assist you with developing, enhancing and further building your program's capacity and capabilities. Property Map can be found on the last page.

9:00a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

- 🚩 Tribal Welcome – Kalispel Indian Tribe
- 🚩 Present the Colors – NTEMC Color Guard

9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

"Welcome to the 5th Annual National Tribal Emergency Management Conference" – Del Ostenberg (Suquamish Tribal Member), Emergency Manager and Commander for the Emergency Services Department of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Indians), Chairman of the National Tribal Emergency Management Council (NTEMC)

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

"NTEMC 5th Year in Review" – Richard Flores, Legislative Affairs and Tribal Relations Director, NTEMC

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Morning Break (coffee)

10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

"United States Government Accountability Office (GAO), Physical Infrastructure Issues" – Sally Moino, Assistant Director

11:00 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.

Mark Davis and Gregory A. Smith, MPA, Tribal Liaison Officer, Program Services Branch, Division of State and Local Readiness, Office of Public Health Preparedness and Emergency Response (OPHPR), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

11:40 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

"The Missing Piece of the Preparedness Puzzle" – Sean Scott, Author of [The Red Guide to Recovery-Resource Handbook for Disaster Survivors](#)

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch – Please feel free to visit one of the Northern Quest Food Venues for lunch today. There are so many places to choose from and a favorite for everyone. Just be sure to be back at 1:00 p.m. We wouldn't want you to miss a thing! Check out the next page for suggestions for lunch.

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Let Your Appetite Roam

Northern Quest Resort & Casino houses over a dozen restaurants and lounges to choose from, and even more on the way this summer. So, you can enjoy whatever you're craving, from a fine-dining steakhouse experience to a burger on the go. Not to mention Spokane's best sports bar, a premium cigar lounge and even more family-friendly restaurant options than ever.

Masselow's Steakhouse—A Prime Grade Dining Adventure

Epic Sports Bar—The Ultimate Sports Bar Experience

River's Edge Buffet—All You Can Eat Every Day

Fai's Noodle House—A Modern Take on Classic Asian Food

Fatburger—Welcome to the Last Great Burger Stand

Qdoba—Everyone's Favorite build-your-own Burrito Experience

The Deli—More Than Just a Sandwich Shop

Marketplace—Gourmet on the Go

Ben & Jerry's—Ice Cream Chock Full of Chunks and Swirls

Thomas Hammer—The Perfect Pick-Me-Up Any Time of Day

AFTERNOON SESSIONS

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| 1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. | “CDC's Capacity Building Resources for Preparedness Planners” – Barbara Jean Kitchens, M.A., M.A., Public Health Analyst, Applied Public Health Team, Capacity Building Branch, Division of State and Local Readiness (DLSR) |
| 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. | “Education, Training and Free Resources” -: A discussion regarding educational opportunities, free training and free resources available for public safety and public health” – We will have many different education partners, resources and opportunities present during this very new and exciting session. |
| 3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. | Please see the special event scheduled for our guests on the next page. |
| 4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. | Communications, Tower Leases and Management of Tribal Assets” – James Kennedy |

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SPECIAL EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR OUR GUESTS

3:00pm – 4:15pm

Pavilion IV



Efforts are underway to deploy, operate and maintain our country's first nationwide public safety wireless broadband network. The First Responder Network Authority, its private partner AT&T, and FirstNet vendors will provide an update about FirstNet deployment and the new technology riding upon this network. In an emergency, communication is critical to response efforts. Emergency Drop Kits are one of the tools being designed for use during emergencies in rural and tribal areas. These portable kits will envelop first responders in a 300-foot "connected bubble," letting them maintain constant communication to better coordinate their response. Incident commanders will be able to drop in the kits for rapid connectivity to FirstNet. During this breakout session, NTEMC members can learn and ask questions about FirstNet and the new solutions making communications simpler, safer, faster and more effective for public safety.

Welcome and FirstNet Update

Adam Geisler and Margaret Gutierrez, National Tribal Liaisons, First Responder Network Authority

FirstNet Solutions Overview

Lauren Paolini, Principal Solutions Consultant, FirstNet Built with AT&T
Carrie Johnson, Director of Strategy & Policy, FirstNet Built with AT&T

FirstNet Solution Spotlight: Emergency Drop Kits

Carolyn Cuppernull, Director of Business Development, Inmarsat Government
Brian Plunkett, Solutions Engineer, Inmarsat Government

Q&A ***Both FirstNet Built with AT&T and Inmarsat Government will have exhibit booths. After this breakout session, feel free to continue the conversation during the "Meet our Sponsors" Marketplace Networking Session, scheduled from 3:00pm - 6:00pm.***

The NTEMC's NEW MARKETPLACE



3:00 p.m. – 6:00 pm Meet our Sponsors

You asked, and we listened!

Our attendees have stated that they find great value added in having time to meet, network with, and develop ongoing relationships with the many vendors and sponsors that we bring to the conference. This year, we have built in this time slot for you to visit with these very important partners and learn more about who they are and what they have to offer for your program. This is your time to meet the people that have the resources that can help you build your program to the best it can be. Come see everyone and say hello!

We also begin the silent auction tonight.

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Thursday, August 23rd, 2018

GENERAL SESSIONS in the EVENT CENTER

- 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. “Updates from the FEMA Hazard Mitigation External Stakeholder Working Group” – Tracy DePew, EMT-1, Director of Emergency Management, Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians,
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. “US DOT/PHMSA” - Lisa Reichenbacher, DOT HAZMAT Tribal Grants Specialist
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. BREAK
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. “CDC” – Celia Toles
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. “The Essentials of Emergency Drinking Water Treatment” – Kenton Jones, Multipure International
- 11:15 a.m. – 11:45 p.m. “Levee Inventory Program” – Michael Gonja, Jamie McVicker and Frances (Lori) Morris, Tribal Liaison, USACE
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:00. p.m. “Enhanced Driver License/Enhanced Tribal Card” – Laura Francois-Eugene, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Office of Field Operations
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch – Have you ever wanted to have ice cream for lunch. Today is your lucky day! Visit our new MarketPlace and enjoy your favorite dog, followed by a little bit of ice cream with your favorite toppings.**

Sponsored by the National Tribal Emergency Management Council and the National Joint Powers Alliance – It doesn't get any better than hotdogs and ice cream for lunch!

Hot Dog and German Dog Bar:

Fresh seasonal fruit

Potato salad

Chips

Condiments (ketchup, mustard, etc.)

Relish tray (onions, relish, sauerkraut, etc.)

Buns

Hot dogs

German dogs

Ice Cream Bar includes:

Premium Chocolate, Strawberry, and Vanilla Ice-Cream

Root-Beer

Waffle Bowls, Brownies, Bananas

Strawberry and chocolate sauce

Assorted toppings and real whipped cream

Bottled Water and Soft Drinks



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Thursday, AUGUST 23rd, 2018

	Pavilion IV	Pavilion III
LUNCH		
1:00 – 1:50	<p>“USDA Veterinary Services” – Bob Kerschen, Emergency Coordinator, District 6 Colorado Surveillance, Preparedness, and Response Services, DVM and Dr. Steve Goff, USDA APHIS Veterinary Services</p>	<p>“Effective Emergency Communications with a Handheld Ham Radio” – Steve Aberle, WA7PTM</p>
2:00 – 2:50	<p>“Strengthening Partnerships Through Transition -- The future of healthcare coalitions in Washington and why it matters to ALL agencies involved in emergency management, preparedness and response.” - Elya Baltazar, Kitsap County Coalition Liaison and Travis Nichols</p>	<p>“Emergency Food Preparedness” – Sue Aberle, MS</p>
3:00 – 4:30	<p>“Flooding on the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Indians’ Lands” – Randy August</p>	<p>“Getting Started with your Handheld Ham Radio” – Dave Carleton, K7DSR</p>

Networking Social and Silent Auction for ALL Conference Attendees

Please join us in the MarketPlace for a great evening of networking opportunities and a chance to make new friends. NWTEMC is proud to sponsor our Silent Auction!

Hosted Bar sponsored by the many supporters of the NTEMC

Drink Tickets will be available at the Door

Bar will remain open until Tickets are gone or 10:00.m. whichever comes first

7:00p.m. – 10:00 p.m.



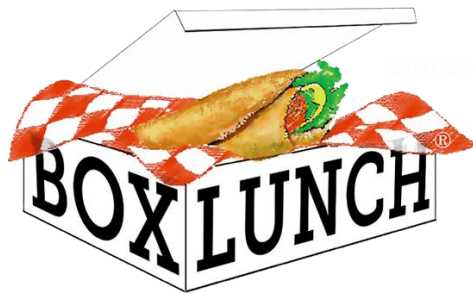
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 24th, 2018

	Pavilion IV	Pavilion III
9:00 – 9:50	“Montana Indian Nation Working Group Meeting” – Robert DesRosier, Blackfeet Nation and Chairman of the MINWG	“The Tribal Legal Preparedness Project” – University of Pittsburgh Public Health Law – Tina Batra Hershey
10:00 – 10:50	“SLTT Governance Guide Working Group Tribal Chapter for Review” – Nathan Nixon, Emergency Preparedness Program Coordinator, TTO, Inter Tribal Council of Arizona	“Pan Flu Scramble Exercise” – This will be an interactive facilitated group activity that challenges participants to move a sudden increase of patients through their healthcare delivery system during a simulated pandemic. Facilitated by: Jean Randolph, MPA,RN, (CDC/OPHPR/DSLRL)
11:00 – 11:50	“Medical Counter Measures and More” – Lou Schmitz, American Indian Health Commission”	

The National Tribal Emergency Management Council would like to thank you for joining us this year. It is always our pleasure to bring this great event forward.
We will hope to see all of you again next year!



LUNCH 12:00 – 1:30	Please stop by to participate in closing ceremonies and pick up a box lunch.
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Featured Guest, Corporate Sponsor and Partner to the NWTEMC Family

SourceWell with Jim Kane

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James E Kane born in Boston Massachusetts with strong military and family ties, he leaves the nest after his 12 years of education and joins the US Navy. There he developed his sense of purpose and his personal mission to never give up knowing the challenge ahead. Aboard the USS Nuclear Carrier Nimitz there where many challenges, first you had to live with the reality that you were working and sleeping on top of a nuclear reactor, other challenges are endless when you live and work on a floating and moving city. After his term in the US Navy he dives into the highly technical security industry where he will dedicate over two decades of engineering and business experience in this industry. Jim Kane is a leader in all phases of developing and managing large multi-million-dollar procurement contracts with government and private entities. This depth of experience well equips him with skills and knowledge needed to assist procurement professionals in negotiating the hurdles of today's procurement challenges.

Early in Jim's career as a licensed security professional he began as a special operations technical manager where he learned the technical intricacies for integrated security systems. It didn't take long before he was recognized for his management potential and began his rapid career climb and quickly progressed up the ranks to, regional and then national account management responsibilities. After 18 years in the security industry, he became owner and director of his own private security solutions firm in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Jim's venture brought him to the attention of a national leader in integrated security solutions. This industry leader recognized Jim's talents and recruited him as a National Account Manager. As a National Account Manager, his responsibilities included working with Fortune 500 clients where he successfully managed their security solutions and business development - first in Massachusetts, then nationwide. This position also allowed him to develop a broad knowledge of the security challenges through the United States which allowed him to implement change in Corporate America at a time when analog solutions were being replaced by the new digital world of technology.

There, Jim also was promoted to National Program Manager of Vertical Markets and given responsibility for initiating, developing and acquiring State and Local Government Contracts to provide government solutions nationwide, which he also successfully managed and provided close client support. Jim was the lead professional in one of the largest national cooperative contracts established with the National Joint Powers Alliance® at that time.

In April 2015, Jim joined the National Joint Powers Alliance® and moved to Brainerd Minnesota where today he holds a Business Development Administrator position and continues the mission of helping members and strategic partners find a way to do business smarter, faster and with greater efficiency. Jim's focus is building strong relationships with State, Tribal and Provincial Governments in the United States and Canada.

Jim has a well-established reputation for trust and communications with his clients that make him an extremely valuable asset to his suppliers, government agencies and strategic partners in North America.

Educated by the United States Navy and assigned to Aircraft Carrier Nimitz CVN-68, Jim also attended San Diego Mesa College where he studied business management and logistics. His two grown boys have followed Jim's lead & honor and have taken the oath of defending our country, Michael Kane served in the US ARMY now a police officer in Peoria Arizona and Daniel Kane currently serving in the US Air Force at Offutt Air Force Base in Omaha Nebraska.

Family, Honor, Trust & Communication are Jim's four pillars that have forged his solid foundation for today's success.

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There are three reasons the National Tribal Emergency Management Council is different from other EM/HLS groups out there:

The NTEMC remains committed to Sovereign Immunity, assisting our Tribal partners with building infrastructure and internal capacity. There are many groups out there that want to come into the Tribe and be the Incident Commanders, the Incident Management Team, and the First Responders.

We want to continue to help our Tribal Nations remain in the driver's seat of their own incidents, and the best way that we can assure this is to continue our work in the areas of sharing information, training, skill sets, resources and best practices.

We believe that Public Safety and Public Health are Trust Responsibilities of the Federal Government, and therefore, do not charge dues or membership fees to be a part of our organization.

Although this makes sustainability difficult at times, we do not believe that our Tribal Nations should have to pay for what the Federal, State and Local Partners are receiving in the way of grants and technical assistance. Therefore, we continue to work hard on bringing grant dollars into the individual Tribal Nations, training opportunities to our Tribal Lands, and Technical Assistance to Indian Country that continues to help build our emergency management and homeland security programs, free of charge.

We are not a response organization. We believe very strongly in our mission:

To provide guidance and tools for member tribes to develop sustainable and all-hazard approaches to Emergency Management and Homeland Security, through an approach that emphasizes both inter and intra jurisdictional cooperation to maximize resources in mutual aid, training, exercises, planning, and equipping by sharing information and best practices.

Because we are a very small non-profit, we have relied heavily on consortium grants, specific contract work that is provided at severely discounted rates for our member Tribes and the private sector. This year, the NTEMC has partnered with the [SourceWell](#), a national municipal contracting agency committed to serving our Members purchasing needs. We are both driven to provide efficient public service through contract purchasing solutions and other related programs. We are only able to do this as we work together, creating a unified purchasing alliance that is valued by both SourceWell and the NTEMC. We will now have access to more than 160 companies that have been vetted through this partnership.



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