

	Florida Urban Search & Rescue Response System FASAR TSG MEETING		
	0900-1000	DATE: July 19, 2024	DISTRIBUTION: FASAR
	ISSUED BY: Jeff Rouse, TSG Chair / Aaron Rhodes, Deputy Chair		
	FFCA/FASAR TSG 2024/2025 (Meeting Minutes)		

FL-TF1 Jeff Rouse	FL-TF2 Noel Armas	FL-TF3 A Daugherty	FL-TF4 Matt Jaynes	FL-TF5 Austin Gamble
FL-TF6 John Gonzalez	FL-TF7 Allen Willis Jr. Kurt Hildle	FL-TF8 Tim Ecker		
JoAnne Rice	Dave Downey	Jeff Strickland		Aaron Rhodes

1. Roll Call/Welcome,

- Confirm seated FASAR TSG members for 2024/2025 by team

Roll call,

Confirmed contacts for teams

2. New Business

- **Finance/Funding/Contractual process/timelines:**

Kohnke-Open LBR Funding from OEM, emphasizes using funding by the deadline to justify new funds in next cycle.

Categories of sustainment and training, Grouped USAR/HAZMAT/MARC.

Star links project—DFS will purchase units and assign them to teams.

Units owned by Fire Marshals Office.

Training monies are still being finalized by the State, TEEKS will be providing training

Dates for courses TBD, pending spending authority and executing contracts, Requesting recurring spending authority.

LBR funding 24/25

Strickland - Leadership class Aug in Orlando, Mid-level and executive-level personnel training. Pending spending authority, two training classes per month. Before MOBEX preferably

Water rescue, HAZ MAT, USAR Safety, Logs, COMS, HRT, Plans K-9 (TBD)

Defined venues for USAR and FEMA training. IST training, Official title- Division of State Fire Marshall State Incident Support Team 4/9 Type 3 all hazards model

Task Books are required for FEMA at the national level.

The state wants to exceed the national level of certification and training. No defined procedure was determined for State task books, waiting for new FEMA requirements. (TBD) Grandfather clause? (TBD)

Reciprocity qualifications from other state agencies (TBD)

66 members are currently on the IST list.

IST classes are to be held at FSFC

MGT340 and MGT312 Training are available by invitation only for executive state leadership positions.

ICS 225 post all deployments and exercises to be submitted with open task books, as well as a copy of Incident IAP ICS 202, 204.

- **Full-Scale Exercise 2025:** February 2025

Camp Blanding exercise, TX-1 and TX-2, and FEMA IST to assist with MOBEX. A Combined IST with FEMA, FL, and TX personnel for February MOBEX

Kohnke- ensure rosters and contact info are current and updated for all exercises.

- **FFCA/FASAR TSG:**

Continue with bi-annual meeting cycle at the FSFC for the FASAR TSG to convene and develop products moving forward.

TJ Lyons Invited members to CERP Technology overview, Ready Op , SARCOP, DEMES, and FROC overview, at 1300 mtg.

DEMES interactions, expectations, and user interface.

Rhodes/Kohnke- State and departmental focus on funding resources and staffing of departments and teams, recruiting strategies, and retention methods.

Defining roles and justifications for executive management and local and state partners.

MYDB solutions update.

TF1-

TF2-

TF3- In place and drop box set up

TF4- Onboarding

TF5- utilizing

TF6- utilizing

TF7- purchasing next fiscal

TF8- budgeted, in project phase with IT

Recurrent costs for MYDB approx. \$5000 annum. Per user.

Open Forum

Director Rice- Second Annual Day at the Capitol and Gala, Tallahassee FL. April 3rd, 2025. Director Rice encourages department participation

The next meeting scheduled to be held at the Florida Fire Chiefs Conference, January 6th-10th, Orange County Convention Center 9800 International Drive, Orlando, FL. 32819

Motion to adjourn

Meeting adjourned.

