

1.28 Milwaukee County ESF #13 - Law Enforcement and Security

Preface

Emergencies may create circumstances where public safety and order are disrupted. Restoring order, protecting public safety and preventing crime is a vital component of the County's emergency response.

Primary Agency

Milwaukee County Office of the Sheriff (MCSO)

MILWAUKEE COUNTY AGENCIES

Primary

- Milwaukee County Office of The Sheriff (MCSO)

Support

- 911 Communications Center
- Ambulance Companies, Public and Private
- American Red Cross
- ARES/RACES
- Fire Departments
- Law Enforcement Agencies
- Milwaukee County Department of Administrative Services – Facilities Management
- Office of District Attorney—Investigations Unit
- Public Works (Municipal)
- Tactical Emergency Medical Services (TEMS)

State of Wisconsin AGENCIES

Primary

- WEM – WI Emergency Management

Support

- UW System Police & Security
- WI DATCP – WI Department of Agriculture, Trade & Consumer Protection
- WI DHS – WI Department of Health Services
- WI DMA – WI Department of Military Affairs
- WI DNR – WI Department of Natural Resources
- WI DOA – WI Department of Administration
- WI DOC – WI Department of Corrections
- WI DOJ – WI Department of Justice
- WI DOT – WI Department of Transportation
- WI State Capitol Police

Federal AGENCIES

Primary

- Department of Justice

Support

- All Federal departments and agencies possessing a public safety and security capability.

Likely Support Includes:

- Coordinate and provide law enforcement, public safety, and security capabilities and resources during potential or actual incidents requiring a coordinated federal response, includes, but not limited to, force and critical infrastructure protection, security planning and technical assistance, technology support, and general law enforcement assistance in both pre-incident and post-incident situations.

A. PURPOSE

1. The overall coordination of the command and control of the County, state, and federal law enforcement agencies personnel and equipment in support of emergency response and recovery operations.
2. this function provides for the timely and coordinated efforts of Law Enforcement Agencies personnel for public safety and protection. Activities which relate to evacuation, curfew, traffic management, crowd control, security and other extra-ordinary Law Enforcement Agencies functions are necessary to provide for the safety and welfare of the public within an emergency environment.

B. POLICIES

1. The Milwaukee County Sheriff and municipal Police Departments will exercise lawful authority to save lives and property, enforces laws, and enforces emergency orders and regulations during emergencies/disasters.
2. The Incident Command System (ICS) will be employed at all emergency and/or disaster incidents.

3. A Law Enforcement Agencies-oriented event is a situation where the primary response demand is the preservation of law and order and/or security.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT RESPONSIBILITIES/TASKS BY PHASE

MILWAUKEE COUNTY OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF (MCSO)

Pre-Emergency	<p>Work with the Office of Emergency Management to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Maintain this Emergency Support Function (ESF). 2. Maintain inventories of resources and equipment. 3. Participate in drills, exercises. 4. Develop emergency action checklists. 5. Develop procedures and policies for use in dealing with civil disorders, terrorist activity, and other Law Enforcement Agencies–intensive emergencies. 6. Develop, maintain mutual aid agreements; refer to Suburban Mutual Aid Response Teams (SMART).
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Emergency	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. When notified of an emergency situation, send response teams/personnel, equipment, and vehicles to the emergency scene or other location, as requested. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Utilize lawful authority to maintain law and order. 2. Notify the EOC of the situation, if the original notification did not come from the EOC. 3. Manage Law Enforcement Agencies resources and direct Law Enforcement Agencies field operations. Duties may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a. Enforce emergency orders. • b. Provide mobile units for warning operations. • c. Augment emergency communications. • d. Direct and control traffic during emergency operations. • e. Crowd control. • f. First aid. • g. Search and rescue. • h. Support damage assessment activities. • i. Deploy personnel to provide security for emergency teams (Fire and EMS) operating in hostile or potentially hostile environments. • j. Provide security to key facilities: incident sites, critical facilities, damaged property, mass care/shelter sites and staging areas. • k. Provide security in the area affected by the emergency to protect public and private property. • l. Evacuation: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Assist in the evacuation of people at risk in and around the emergency scene. (2) Provide security, patrol evacuated areas. (3) Control access to the scene of the emergency or the area that has been evacuated. • m. Support other public safety activities as required. • n. Request assistance through the state Law Enforcement Agencies mutual aid system as necessary. 4. Hazardous Materials Response: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a. Law Enforcement Agencies units responding to a hazardous material incident will ensure that they have a full understanding of the Incident Commander’s assessment of the situation and that they take full and proper precautions to protect themselves. • b. Only personnel having proper training and equipment should be deployed to a hazardous material incident. 5. When notified, report to the Milwaukee County EOC.
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<p>Emergency Operations Center (EOC)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Staff the ESF # 13 position in the EOC. 2. Coordinate response to identify incident sites requiring law enforcement and security services. 3. Determine condition and status of Milwaukee County Law Enforcement Agencies resources. 4. Determine present and future need for Law Enforcement Agencies, security and other on-scene resources. 5. Coordinate activities with the National Guard, state Law Enforcement Agencies personnel, and/or federal military officials if such organizations are providing support in affected areas. 6. Organize and direct Law Enforcement Agencies activities. 7. Ensure public safety and welfare are being implemented through such actions as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a. Evacuation. • b. Crowd control. • c. Traffic control. • d. Property protection. • e. Security at designated facilities. • f. Incident perimeter control. 8. Support damage assessment activities. 9. Coordinate security for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a. City facilities. • b. Evacuated areas. • c. Supply distribution points. 10. Maintain records of cost and expenditures to accomplish this ESF and forward them to the EOC Finance/ Administration Section Chief. 11. Respond to mutual aid requests of other jurisdictions if requested. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not dispatch mutual aid until it is determined no threat exists in Milwaukee County.
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<p>Recovery Actions</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Return equipment and vehicles to pre-incident operational condition. 2. Document expenditures and provide to Finance Section 3. Participate in After Action briefings, critiques, and report documentation to After Action Reviews.
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SUPPORT DEPARTMENTS RESPONSIBILITIES/TASKS	
<p>911 Communications Center</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assure needed radio systems continue to function.
<p>Ambulance Companies, Public and Private</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide personnel, equipment, supplies, and other resources needed to assist in Law Enforcement Agencies operations.
<p>American Red Cross</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assists with coordination of sheltering, feeding, and first aid of injured. 2. Provide personnel, equipment, supplies, and other resources needed to assist in Law Enforcement Agencies activities.
<p>ARES/RACES</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assist with primary or alternate emergency radio communications support as requested.
<p>Fire Departments</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide personnel, equipment, supplies and other resources needed to assist in Law Enforcement Agencies activities as requested.
<p>Law Enforcement Agencies</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assist Police with traffic control, crowd control, barricade security, etc. 2. Provide primary Law Enforcement Agency services within their jurisdictions. 3. Assist other jurisdictions if requested.
<p>Milwaukee County Department of Administrative Services - Facilities Management</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide signs and other traffic control devices to support traffic control operations. 2. Deploy personnel to erect traffic barricades and signs as per prearranged plans or as requested. 3. Provide manpower, vehicles, equipment in support of police as requested.
<p>Office of District Attorney - Investigations Unit</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assist law enforcement with criminal investigation and other law enforcement functions.
<p>Public Works (Municipal)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide signs and other traffic control devices to support traffic control operations. 2. Deploy personnel to erect traffic barricades and signs as per prearranged plans or as requested. 3. Provide manpower, vehicles, equipment in support of police as requested.
<p>Tactical Emergency Medical Services (TEMS)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide EMS support within the perimeter of tactical situations for victims, as well as law enforcement officers.
<p>ATTACHMENTS</p>	<p>None.</p>
<p>REFERENCES</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Directory & Resource List. 2. Emergency Police Services Mutual Aid Directory. 3. Law Enforcement Agencies Canine Units. 4. State-wide Mutual Aid Agreement, as per State Statute. 5. SMART. (Suburban Mutual Aid Response Teams).