



Utah ShakeOut 2012 Senior Officials Exercise

Senate Building, Utah Capitol Complex

March 14, 2012

Agenda

- 1:00 pm Welcome & Introductions
- 1:15 pm Lessons learned from the Christchurch Earthquake
- 1:45 pm Overview of the Wasatch Range Catastrophic Earthquake Response Plan
- 2:15 pm Break
- 2:30 pm Senior Officials round table discussion
- 3:15 pm Closing Comments
- 3:30 pm Adjourn

The Utah ShakeOut 2012 Senior Officials Exercise will be held on March 14, 2012 from 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm at the Senate Building in Salt Lake City, Utah. The event is intended to familiarize senior leaders with the new *Wasatch Range Catastrophic Earthquake Response Plan*, and provide an opportunity to discuss policy issues and strategic level coordination related to the response to a catastrophic earthquake affecting the Salt Lake area.

The *Wasatch Range Catastrophic Earthquake Response Plan* has been developed over the past two years through the combined efforts of government, private sector and volunteer organizations, and serves as a joint plan for the coordination of response efforts. The plan will be tested during the Utah ShakeOut 2012 full scale exercise on April 17-19, 2012.



Wasatch Range Catastrophic Earthquake Response Plan



The Senior Officials Exercise on March 14 will consist of three parts. The first is an analysis of the Christchurch, New Zealand Earthquake of February 2011 and the lessons learned that may apply to Salt Lake City. The second portion is an overview of the key concepts and processes of the *Wasatch Range Catastrophic Earthquake Response Plan*. The third portion is a facilitated discussion among the senior leaders examining priorities, expectations, areas of concern, policy issues, and coordination processes during a catastrophic event of this nature.

The event is sponsored by the Utah Division of Emergency Management and FEMA Region VIII.

Location

Senate Building (Copper Room),
Utah Capitol Complex
320 East Capitol Boulevard
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Don't underestimate the value of preparedness.

"It wasn't raining when Noah built the Ark."

-- Howard Huff