



To: Bay Area UASI Approval Authority
From: Janell Myhre, Bay Area UASI Regional Program Manager
Date: January 8, 2015
Re: Item #5: Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program (RCPGP) Plan Update

Staff Recommendation:

None

Action or Discussion Items:

Discussion only.

Discussion:

This item updates the Approval Authority on Bay Area RCPGP (Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program) regional plan acceptance by CalOES.

CalOES reported to the Approval Authority in November 2013 that they would accept the RCPGP regional plans. This included incorporating them as annexes into the updated CONPLAN (San Francisco Bay Area Earthquake Readiness Response: Concept of Operations Plan) and, where appropriate, into the Regional Emergency Coordination Plan (RECP). Attached as Appendix A is the 2013 letter from CalOES indicating the review process being undertaken.

The next section of this report provides background information on the Bay Area RCPGP plans, current efforts to achieve state acceptance of these plans and their inclusion the joint State/Federal Catastrophic Earthquake plan, and the status of the Local RCPGP Plan Adoption process.

We are pleased to welcome Sandra McKenzie, Emergency Services Coordinator from the CalOES Coastal Region and Christina Curry, Deputy Director for Planning, Protection, and Preparedness from CalOES to this meeting to provide an update on efforts to obtain acceptance of these plans.

Background

What are the Bay Area RCPGP Plans?

Bay Area RCPGP funding produced all hazards catastrophic earthquake scenario-specific operations plans in eight subject areas:

- Mass Fatality;
- Mass Transportation and Evacuation;
- Mass Care and Shelter;
- Interim Housing;
- Volunteer Management;
- Donations Management;
- Debris Removal; and
- Logistics and Critical Lifelines.

The plans include one multi-county regional plan and one individual plan with local information customized to the local jurisdiction for each of the twelve local counties and three major cities in the Bay Area UASI footprint. RCPGP plans were developed for inclusion as annexes to the CalOES Coastal Region's San Francisco Bay Area Regional Emergency Coordination Plan (RECP) and for local adoption to county and core city emergency operations plans. Local OAs (Operational Areas) support local plan adoption and most have adopted their local plans or are in process of doing so as indicated in Table A below.

Efforts to Date on State Inclusion and Acceptance of RCPGP Regional Plans

The Bay Area UASI worked with FEMA, CalOES and local OAs in 2010 and 2013 to conduct two separate series of validation tabletop exercises and two full scale exercises to test and/or validate the Bay Area regional catastrophic plans. At the request of CalOES in 2011, the Bay Area UASI funded a position for a period of 10 months to work at the CalOES Oakland Coastal Region office to train staff and implement the regional RCPGP plans. In 2014, the Bay Area UASI Management Team worked closely with CalOES staff to establish a path forward for regional RCPGP plan inclusion and acceptance in State efforts. UASI Management Team staff has participated in four FEMA/CalOES Coastal Region meetings to observe the catastrophic earthquake planning process and consider how best to provide Bay Area RCPGP information for inclusion into the joint State/Federal Catastrophic Earthquake plan (CONPLAN).



**Table A:
Local RCPGP Plan Adoption Status**

Plan Subject	Jurisdiction													
	Alameda* County	Contra Costa* County	Solano* County	Sonoma* County	Marin County	Monterey* County	San Mateo* County	San Benito County	Santa Cruz* County	Santa Clara* County	Napa County	San Francisco* City/ County	San Jose* City	Oakland* City
Mass Fatality	Y	WIP	WIP	Y	Y	Y	WIP	Y	WIP	WIP	WIP	Y	WIP	Y
Debris Removal/Mgmt	Y	WIP	Y	N	N	Y	WIP	Y	WIP	WIP	WIP	Y	WIP	Y
Mass Transportation & Evacuation	Y	WIP	Y	N	N	Y	WIP	Y	WIP	WIP	WIP	Y	WIP	Y
Mass Care & Shelter	Y	WIP	Y	N	N	Y	WIP	Y	WIP	WIP	WIP	Y	WIP	Y
Interim Housing	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Volunteer Mgmt	Y	WIP	Y	Y	N	Y	WIP	Y	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	Y
Donations Mgmt	Y	WIP	WIP	Y	N	Y	WIP	Y	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	Y
Logistics & Critical Lifelines	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP	WIP

Comment LEGEND

Y:	yes
N:	no
WIP:	work in progress

*additional comments

Alameda County: The plans with “Y “comment will be used during an applicable incident. There is no formal adoption process for the RCPGP plans as county EOP Annexes.
 Contra Costa County: All plans are expected to be adopted as Annexes with the updated county EOP by end of 2014.
 Solano County: Mass Fatality and Donations Management stakeholder review is complete and expected to be adopted as Annexes to county EOP by end of 2015.
 Sonoma County: The plans with “Y “comment will be used during an applicable incident. There is no formal adoption process for the RCPGP plans as county EOP Annexes.
 San Mateo County: All plans are in the process of being reviewed, revised and planned for adoption. Estimated adoption time frame is undetermined.
 Santa Cruz County: All plans are in stakeholder review and planned for adoption. Estimated adoption time frame is 2014-2016.
 Santa Clara County: All plans are expected to be adopted as Annexes with the revised/updated county EOP. Estimated adoption time frame is undetermined.
 San Francisco City/County: Mass Fatality is a ME plan. Volunteer and Donations Mgmt need stakeholder review for revision. Work to complete evacuation planning GIS mapping is currently being scoped out.
 San Jose City: All plans have been through stakeholder review and are expected to be adopted as Annexes with the revised/updated city EOP by end of 2015.
 Oakland City: The plans with “Y “comment will be used during an applicable incident. All plans are expected to be adopted as Annexes with the city EOP by end of 2015.