



Bay Area UASI Management Team Emergency Management Work Group 2021 Annual Plan

I. UASI Work Group Definition

Bay Area UASI Work Groups are created by, and report to, the UASI General Manager for the purpose of making comprehensive assessments and recommendations that address risk reduction, increasing capabilities on a regional basis, vetting regional projects, and/or reviewing grant allocations.

Bay Area UASI Regional Project Managers serve as the Work Group Chair and are responsible for bringing relevant matters to the membership for input and tracking. Members of work groups participate in regional collaboration opportunities as well as provide subject matter expertise, jurisdictional perspectives, and input on project deliverables.

Subcommittees are established to ensure appropriate representatives are participating on behalf of the 14 UASI jurisdictions and their relevant partners. The subcommittee structure allows for focused communications, subject matter contributions, and regional collaboration specific to project objectives.

UASI Work Groups also serve as a forum to provide input to and track progress of National Priority Project (NPP) objectives, impacts and outcomes. National Priority Project goal areas are set annually by the Federal Department of Homeland Security. The Bay Area UASI is required to invest a specified percentage of the overall grant award to each NPP goal area. The Work Group Chair will ensure that work group members are informed of any NPP that falls in their related UASI Homeland Security Goal in order to best achieve the established impacts and outcomes set forth in the project.

II. Emergency Management Work Group (EMWG) Purpose & Schedule

The Emergency Management Work Group, chaired by Corinne Bartshire of the UASI Management Team, supports the following Bay Area UASI Homeland Security Goal Area.

Bay Area UASI Investment #	Bay Area UASI Investment Goal Area
9	Enhance Community Capabilities through Multi-Jurisdictional / Inter-Jurisdictional All-Hazards Incident Planning, Response, and Recovery Capabilities, including partnerships with volunteers and community-based organizations

Source: FY22 Project Proposal Guidance

The Emergency Management Work Group is scheduled to meet quarterly during 2021. Additional meetings may be scheduled, as necessary. Each meeting will last no more than 2 hours. Between meetings, correspondence to work group members will be conducted via email from the Chairperson.

III. National Priority Projects

The Emergency Management Work Group has no National Priority Projects for 2021.

IV. 2021 Activities

Through the Emergency Management Work Group and its active subcommittees, Bay Area jurisdictions and partners have the opportunity to participate in and benefit from the following UASI investments.



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The 14 UASI jurisdictions are encouraged to make clear to the Chairperson their lead points of contact for participation in each of the following subcommittees and/or activities.

- **Critical Transportation Capability Building Subcommittee**
This subcommittee intends to host a training, two facilitated conversations, and one workshop in preparation for the 2021 Golden Eagle Exercise. The subcommittee members will also serve as liaisons to coordinate their jurisdiction's receipt of technical assistance for local plan updates.
- **FY19 RCPGP C-POD Project Subcommittee**
This subcommittee's members will serve as liaisons to coordinate their jurisdiction's receipt of technical assistance to develop specific C-POD site activation plans.
- **FY20 RCPGP Pandemic Preparedness Project Subcommittee**
This subcommittee's members will serve as liaisons to coordinate their jurisdiction's receipt of technical assistance to update local plans.
- **SA/COP Survey and Gap Analysis**
This subcommittee's members will provide insight on jurisdictional use of situational awareness / common operating picture systems and platforms.

V. Coordination with the Bay Area Training and Exercise Program

The Emergency Management Work Group and its subcommittees will promote and participate in training offerings by the Bay Area Training and Exercise Program (BATEP). Notably, work group members should share opportunities for community preparedness trainings with local community-based organizations. Emergency managers are also relied upon for sharing relevant training opportunities with other public safety disciplines throughout their jurisdiction such as cyber security, public information, public health, law, and fire personnel.

Quarterly, or as requested, the BATEP staff will provide an update to the Emergency Management Work Group regarding the ongoing training and exercise activities being coordinated for the Bay Area and provide an opportunity for the work group to request training or exercise services that will address an unmet need.

Golden Eagle Exercise: Emergency Management Work Group members and subcommittee members are encouraged to confirm their jurisdiction has appropriate representatives participating in the exercise planning teams. Questions or interest regarding the Golden Eagle Exercise may be directed to corinne.bartshire@sfgov.org.