

2022 TECHNICAL RESCUE TEAM WORK GROUP MEETING MINUTES

JANUARY 18, 2022

- 1) Roll Call
 - a) TRT-102, 104, 105, 421, 528, 636, 647, 756
 - b) FASAR Region Coordinators-1, 2, 4, 5, 6
- 2) New teams since Summer Meeting 2021 (Total of 3 new teams in 2021)
 - a) Destin Fire Rescue (Region 1) (January)
 - b) Pasco Fire Rescue (Region 4) (August)
 - c) Sarasota County (Region 6) (September)
- 3) Fire Departments with TRT Interest (7)
 - a) Alachua County Fire Rescue (Region 3)
 - b) City of High Springs (Region 3)
 - c) City of Melbourne (Region 5)
 - d) North River (Region 6)
 - e) Delray Beach (Region 7)
 - f) City of Miami (Region 7)
 - g) Palm Beach Gardens (Region 7)
- 4) Total of 41 TRTs with 35 active as of this month
 - a) Of those that are inactive-mainly manning issues
 - b) Expect couple of those teams will become active soon
 - c) Keep FL-SERP updated for State to reference
- 5) FSM Standard Operating Procedure- Process for qualifying new Technical Rescue Teams
 - a) Submit ORE to TRT Work Group Leader and FSM USAR Coordinator
 - b) ORE-90% or higher
 - c) Schedule a site visit
- 6) Training
 - a) Safety and Task Force Leader Classes
 - i) SERT-TRAC good location search https://trac.floridadisaster.org/TRAC/loginform.aspx
 - ii) Task Force Leader (equivalent)
 - (1) Strike/Team Task Force Leader (L-984)
 - (2) Strike Team S-330
 - iii) Safety Officer (equivalent)
 - (1) Safety (L-954)
 - (2) FSFC Safety Officer (BFST 6742)
 - b) FASAR classes will be offered to TRT if TF cannot fill the seats (2 weeks out)
 - i) Will send out class schedule prior to class
- 7) CFO Jimmy Patronis announced 2022 as the "Year of US&R"
 - a) \$10 million to the 8 Task Force Teams



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- b) \$75 million for start of the art warehouse to modernize Florida's inventory of response equipment to respond to future needs
- c) TRT will be included in Statewide Exercises
- 8) Technical Rescue performed by your team (Help our cause)
 - a) Way we report events in Fire Reporting
 - b) No notice events (Ft. Myers area this past weekend-tornado)
 - c) Let FASAR Representative and TRT Coordinator aware for tracking (8)
 - i) TRT 105 (South Walton) (Aug)
 - (1) Shoring (Bus vs House)
 - ii) TRT 421 (Lakeland)
 - (1) High Angle (Feb)
 - (2) 2 Shoring (Vehicle vs structure) (Dec/Jan)
 - iii) TRT 423 (Pinellas County) (Dec)
 - (1) Structure Collapse w/ fatality
 - iv) TRT 424 (The Villages) (Dec)
 - (1) Heavy entrapment (vehicle vs tree)
 - v) TRT 755 (West Palm Beach) (July)
 - (1) High Angle
 - vi) TRT 756 (Palm Beach County)
 - (1) Trench (Aug)
 - (2) High Angle (Oct)
- 9) Notification of SERP for local/regional TRT response
 - a) Notify SERP Region Coordinator who should notify SERP
 - b) State Warning Point will notify SEOC and SERP
- 10) Joint Training opportunities among TRTs
 - a) TRT 755 (West Palm Beach) and TRT 756 (Palm Beach County)
 - i) Elevated crane at Tropical Shipping
 - b) Flagler County-GIS Tracking
- 11) TRT Logo
 - a) No interest
- 12) Uniform for Deployments (Will get with Allen Willis)
 - a) Long sleeves are preferred over BDU jacket.
 - b) Velcro patch on helmets to indicate position on team (Medical, Haz-Mat, etc)
- 13) Joining of Teams to form Task Force Type IV (Will follow-up with TJ)
 - a) https://rtlt.preptoolkit.fema.gov/Public/Resource/View/8-508-1262?p=19
 - b) Activation possibilities
 - i) Multiple deployments at the same time (Surfside)



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- 14) Distributed ORE in 2021
 - a) Received 23 ORE (56%)
 - i) Region 1 (all 5 TRTs)
 - ii) Region 3 (3)
 - iii) Region 4 (6)
 - iv) Region 5 (2)
 - v) Region 6 (5)
 - vi) Region 7 (2)
- 15) FASAR Representative Site visit in 2022 to review ORE
 - i) Developed Check List (Review)
 - ii) Recognize gaps
- 16) SERP Update-TJ Lyons
 - a) FL-SERP for tracking and team availability https://fl-serp.com
- 17) State Fire Marshall Office Update-Chappell/Kohnke/Harper
 - a) HURREX- renamed to "All Hazard" Date TBA
 - b) State Exercise-Date TBA

Next meeting will be in July at the Executive Fire Officer Conference in Naples