## Annex 9

# State Logistics Staging Areas (LSA)

**Operations Guidance** 

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#### I. Introduction

Disasters come in all sizes and forms, yet they all have one thing in common. They disrupt lives and destroy property. In order to meet the immediate needs of victims of disasters, the State have developed the capacity to establish Logistics Staging Areas to expedite the recovery process. A Logistics Staging Area is a temporary site established in close proximity to an impact area immediately after impact of an event in order to provide resource support to counties and municipalities. Logistics Staging Areas take three forms based on size and physical resources available.

## II. Mission and Purpose

The purpose of a Logistics Staging is to supplement resource deficiencies from counties, municipalities and response agencies, in responding to, and recovering from an emergency event. This includes the warehousing of commodities; equipment and supplies needed to support victims, emergency responders and the community infrastructure. In addition, it serves as a location from which response teams can be staged, such as search and rescue, medical teams, utility restoration crews, debris management teams and others.

## III. Assumptions

- The need for a Logistics Staging Area will be predicated on the size and severity of the impact of an emergency event occurring in the State of Florida.
- Logistics Staging Area operations may be requested from another impacted State through the Emergency Management Assistance Compact.
- Logistics Staging Areas will be established when local facilities are not available for the number of emergency workers needed to adequately respond to a disaster.
- Logistics Staging Areas will be located in close proximity to the impact area to allow emergency workers quick access to the impacted area.
- Each Logistics Staging Areas will have a manager who will have the overall responsibility of the daily operations of the facility.
- Florida will contract out to commercial resources most base camp operations.

 In declared emergencies, Logistics Staging Area operations will be considered a Category B expense under the Public Assistance Program. Documentation of all expenses will be kept in order to seek proper reimbursement from the requesting state (under the Emergency Management Assistance Compact) or from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (Public Assistance Program)

Issues common to all Logistics Staging Area sites include:

- **Safety Issues:** A safety officer will be assigned at all times at all Logistics Staging Area locations. This individual will be responsible for overall security, fire, medical and life safety concerns. This includes compliance with OSHA regulations such as forklift operations and certification of operators.
- Resource Management: It is imperative that accurate records are maintained regarding the receiving, inventorying, shipment and field movement of all resources. This includes expendable and non-expendable property.
- Staffing: An Logistics Staging Area Manager will manage the Logistics Staging Area. This individual will be a State of Florida, Division of Emergency Manager employee or an individual designated by the State Coordinating Officer to act on behalf of the State. Such individuals are responsible for site direction and control under the direction of the State Emergency Response Team Chief, Operations Chief or Logistics Chief in that order. Direct supervision and support would come form the Logistics Section.

Persons filling this position could include a state employee from another state agency, an emergency manager from a Florida county, an emergency manager from another state under the Emergency Management Assistance Compact. The Logistics Staging Area Manager will have overall management responsibility for all activities conducted at that site. This will include the coordination of all support agencies such as the Florida National Guard (Emergency Support Function 13), Division of Forestry, commercial vendors, State Department of Agriculture (Emergency Support Function 11), voluntary agencies and other local, state and/or federal agencies.

The Logistics Staging Area, in coordination with the State Emergency Operations Center Logistics Section, will be responsible for the tracking of all expendable, and non-expendable resources from the time of vendor ordering through delivery and receipt by the requesting agency or entity.

Orders received by a Logistics Staging Area may come either directly from the requesting agency or through the State Emergency Operations Center Logistics Section. The route will be determined based on the event, situation, resource requirements and span of control capable by the Logistics Staging Area. Actual site operations will be tasked to one of the following entities:

- Florida National Guard the Florida National Guard has agreed to manage up to two Logistics Staging Area sites during emergency operations. Management structure would be under standard military organizational structure and procedures. They will respond fully equipment capable and staffed to manage and operate all activities related to the site. This includes warehouse operations, loading and unloading, inventory, tracking, mission tasking and other tasks related to site operations. Security will not be tasked to the Florida National Guard, but would be coordinated through Emergency Support Function 16 "Law Enforcement". All costs related to the actual operation of the site, outside of the costs of supplies and equipment sent to the field, would be borne by the Florida National Guard, and included in the final request for reimbursement to the State.
- **Division of Forestry:** The State Department of Agriculture, Division of Forestry has agreed to provide for one "Overhead Management Team" to supervise and administratively manage a Logistics Staging Area. Typically, this team will be comprised of 30 personnel. Management would be under the Incident Command System. It is unlikely that the Division of Forestry would be able to provide equipment and personnel to conduct warehousing operations such as loading and unloading trucks, forklift operations and other related tasks. They would, however, be able to provide resource management, orders, mission tasking, inventory and administrative management tasks. All costs related to the actual operation of the site, outside of the costs of supplies and equipment sent to the field, would be borne by the Division of Forestry, and included in the final request for reimbursement to the State.
- Commercial Contractor: The State Division of Emergency Management, Logistics Section, has entered into non-binding, no retainer agreements with commercial firms that establish, manage and operate Logistics Staging Areas. Once activated, the State would enter into a binding contract with the vendor. Under the terms of the contract, the contractor would provide for all administrative and operational elements, to include equipment and personnel necessary to conduct operations under the State Emergency Response Team Standard Operating Procedures. Overall site management would be, as with the others, under the direction and control of the Logistics Staging Area Manager. All costs related to the actual operation of the site, outside of the costs of supplies and equipment sent to the field, would be borne by the contractor, and included in the final billing statement to the State.

### **Logistics Staging Area Types**

TYPE 1 Logistics Staging Area (State and Federal Site): LEAD: Florida Division of Emergency Management

**Aircraft:** A site that has the ability to receive fixed wing aircraft up to and including at a minimum, C-130 / C-17 military. Some sites, typically international airports, will have the capability to receive large aircraft. The site must also be able to accept at least two military helicopters in a designated area. Due to strict

the Federal Aviation Administration regulations, sites are subject to all Federal Aviation Administration regulations regarding vehicle and personnel traffic and activity on the site. This may include the display of orange and white-checkered flags, or amber strobe lights on each vehicle. Strict fencing and safety precautions must be taken.

**Covered Space:** The site will have at least 150,000 square feet of covered and secured space in order to store unloaded resources. Where such covered space is not available, additional resources may have to be brought in to include items such as tents and/or temporary buildings. Some resources can be stored outdoors if covered with waterproof tarps, but past operations have shown that this would only be acceptable for a few hours due to inclement weather conditions.

**Hard Stand**: The site will also have a minimum of 350,000 square feet of hardstand space to accept commercial vehicle parking, outdoor storage and material movement. Where paved or asphalt hardstand is inadequate, hard pack dirt may be acceptable depending upon water runoff. In some locations, a 3" layer of large gravel may have to be spread in order to facilitate water runoff.

## Type 1-a Logistics Staging Area (National Pharmaceutical Stockpile support)

**LEAD: Florida Department of Health** 

This classification of site is employed in direct support of the State Department of Health to assist in the management of the National Center for Disease Control, National Pharmaceutical Stockpile. The Department of Health is responsible for the receipt and management of all resources within the Stockpile. Other than the minor variations listed, all typical Logistics Staging Area operations operate the same as for any other event.

The Centers for Disease Control National Pharmaceutical Stockpile Support push package" is a cache of various pharmaceuticals and emergency medical support items that will be used in the event of a chemical and/or biological event in the state. The cache may arrive in either a full cargo 747 or comparable aircraft, or in eight (8) each overland 48'-53' semi trailer custom containers have clear sides, are color-coded and have inventory manifest lists on the outside of each container. The Department of Health is responsible for the official receipt, inventory and management of the package. Logistics Staging Area staff supports Department of Health in this effort.

In addition to the National Pharmaceutical Stockpile Support "push package", additional National Pharmaceutical Stockpile Support resources may arrive in the state through the "Vendor Managed Inventory". The Vendor Managed Inventory

shipments may either go through the Logistics Staging Area or drop shipped directly to end user recipients depending upon the situation. Vendor Managed Inventory resources comprise of case lot pharmaceuticals and other resources, and can be ordered up as required by Department of Health.

**Aircraft**: A site that has the ability to receive fixed wing aircraft up to and including, cargo 747 commercial or C-141 military aircraft, with a minimum 8,000 foot runway and a "K" Loader. A "K" Loader is required to unload the custom aircraft containers the National Pharmaceutical Stockpile Support is packaged in.

Some sites, typically international airports, will have the capability to receive larger aircraft. The site must also be able to accept at least two military helicopters in a designated area. Due to strict Federal Aviation Administration regulations, sites are subject to all Federal Aviation Administration regulations regarding vehicle and personnel traffic and activity on the site. This may include the display of orange and white-checkered flags, or amber strobe lights on each vehicle. Strict fencing and safety precautions must be taken.

**Covered Space:** The site will have at least 12,000 square feet of air conditioned covered and secured space in order to store National Pharmaceutical Stockpile Support resources. Of this 12,000 square feet, 5,000 is required for receipt and storage of the package. 7,000 square feet will be dedicated to unloading, reorganizing and managing the package. 5,000 square feet will be designated for the repackaging of medications included in the package.

The entire 12,000 square feet must be climate controlled at all times, as well as having controlled access to the facility. This facility will be designated a RESTRICTED ACCESS area, limited only to those with authorized clearance to be in the facility. This may mean that not all persons authorized to work in a Logistics Staging Area will have access to the National Pharmaceutical Stockpile facility.

**Hard Stand:** The site will also have a minimum of 50,000 square feet of hardstand space to accept commercial vehicle parking and material movement. Must be a paved or asphalt hardstand, hard pack dirt or gravel is not acceptable.

(Note: If a Type 1-A Logistics Staging Area is established in conjunction with a conventional Type 1 Logistics Staging Area, then all Type 1 requirements must also be met)

Type 2 Logistics Staging Area (State Site): LEAD: Florida Division of Emergency Management

**Aircraft:** The site must be able to accept at least two military helicopters in a designated area. Due to strict Federal Aviation Administration regulations, sites are subject to all Federal Aviation Administration regulations regarding vehicle and personnel traffic and activity on the site.

**Covered Space:** The site will have at least 100,000 square feet of covered and secured space in order to store unloaded resources. Where such covered space is not available, additional resources may have to be brought in to include items such as tents and/or temporary buildings. Some resources can be stored outdoors if covered with waterproof tarps, but past operations have shown that this would only be acceptable for a few hours due to inclement weather conditions.

**Hard Stand:** The site will also have a minimum of 200,000 square feet of hardstand space to accept commercial vehicle parking, outdoor storage and material movement. Where paved or asphalt hardstand is inadequate, hard pack dirt may be acceptable depending upon water runoff. In some locations, a 3" layer of large gravel may have to be spread in order to facilitate water runoff.

Type 3 Logistics Staging Area (County Distribution Site):

This site is not operated by the State of Florida, but by a Recipient
County or municipality. The following are recommendations only.

**Aircraft:** The site must be able to accept at least one military helicopter in a designated area. Due to strict Federal Aviation Administration regulations, sites are subject to all Federal Aviation Administration regulations regarding vehicle and personnel traffic and activity on the site.

**Covered Space:** The site will have at least 20,000 square feet of covered and secured space in order to store unloaded resources. Where such covered space is not available, additional resources may have to be brought in to include items such as tents and/or temporary buildings. Some resources can be stored outdoors if covered with waterproof tarps, but past operations have shown that this would only be acceptable for a few hours due to inclement weather conditions.

**Hard Stand:** The site will also have a minimum of 50,000 square feet of hardstand space to accept commercial vehicle parking, outdoor storage and material movement. Where paved or asphalt hardstand is inadequate, hard pack dirt may be acceptable depending upon water runoff. In some locations, a 3" layer of large gravel may have to be spread in order to facilitate water runoff.

## **Logistics Staging Area Requirements**

The following chart summarizes the types of equipment and resources needed to manage a Logistics Staging Area. This list of equipment and supplies is the base line for establishing a Logistics Staging Area. This list will be reviewed prior to the establishment of a Logistics Staging Area and adjusted if needed to meet the needs of the mission.

Material Handling								
Item	QTY Reqd	Lead Agency						
Forklifts conventional 6000 lb.	2	Vendor						
Forklifts extended reach with operators 12000 lb.	2	Vendor						
Forklifts military up to 15000 lb. (see notes)	2	ESF 13						
Pallet Grabbers and Chain sets	12 / 3	Vendor / LSA Trailer						
Pallet Jacks motorized	2	Vendor						
Pallet Jacks, hand operated	2	Vendor						
Pallets Used	50-75	Vendor: TBD Locally						
Portable loading dock ramps (if a loading dock exists at the facility) (see notes)	2	ESF 13 / Vendor						
Portable loading ramps (if there are no loading docks) (see notes)	2	ESF 13 / Vendor						
Transportation E	quipment							
Item	QTY Reqd	Lead Agency State Emergency Response Team (SERT)						
Fuel, #2 Diesel gal.	4000 Gal	Vendor						
Trailer, Drop-deck 48'with tractor and operator	4	Vendor						
Trailer, Dry Van 48' with tractor and operator	2	Vendor						
Trailer, Flatbed 48' with tractor and operator	2	Vendor						
Trailer, Refrigerated 48'	1	Vendor						
Truck, Flatbed roll-back with operator	2	Vendor						
Truck, Fuel, 4000 Gal #2 Diesel with operator	1	Vendor						
Truck, Military 5 Ton with operator (see notes)	2	ESF 13						
Truck, Military Cargo Hummvee or equivalent with operator (see notes)	2	ESF 13						
Truck, straight, 28' or 32' with operator	2	Vendor						

Supplies and Equipment							
Item	QTY Reqd	Lead Agency SERT					
Axe, 8#	1	LSA Trailer					
Basic Office supplies.	TBD	LSA Trailer					
Battery operated clock.	1	LSA Trailer					
Beverage dispenser, 10 gallon insulated w/cup dispenser	1	LSA Trailer					
Beverage dispenser, 5 gallon insulated w/cup dispenser	1	LSA Trailer					
BLS Medical Response Kit	1	LSA Trailer					
Brooms, Push	2	LSA Trailer					
Burn Kit, full body	1	LSA Trailer					
Cellular Phones	1	LSA Trailer					
Chain Saw, 20", gasoline	1	LSA Trailer					
Chest, Ice 28 quart	1	LSA Trailer					
Coffee Maker, 10 cup	1	LSA Trailer					
Cots (Night Security)	2	LSA Trailer					
Drill, ½" cordless, w/charger and extra battery & bits	1 set	LSA Trailer					
Extension Cords 12/3 GA.	500′	LSA Trailer					
Eye Protection, safety glasses	25	LSA Trailer					
Flashlights, "D" Cell (2), Industrial	12	LSA Trailer					
Flashlights, rechargeable, spot/flood 150,000/500,000 watt	2	LSA Trailer					
Florida state maps	100	ESF 1					
Handheld radios	6	LSA Trailer					
Hard Hat, Chainsaw protection w/mesh shield & Hearing Protection	1	Logistics Staging Area Trailer					
Hard Hats, conventional, green (Logistics)	30	LSA Trailer					
HazMat spill kit	1	LSA Trailer					
Hearing Protection, plugs, disposable	100	LSA Trailer					
Megaphone, 25 watt, w/remote mike	1	LSA Trailer					

Microwave Oven, 1200 watts	1	LSA Trailer
Oxygen Tank, "D" with suction	1	LSA Trailer
Padlocks, keyed alike to secure gates	4	LSA Trailer
Portable filing cabinet or boxes.	1	LSA Trailer
Power boxes, GFI, Switched 4-outlet, water tight	12	LSA Trailer
Rake, metal, tine	1	LSA Trailer
Refrigerator,	1	LSA Trailer
Shovel Round Nosed	2	LSA Trailer
Shovel Square Nosed	2	LSA Trailer
Shrink-wrap and Tape	4 rolls	LSA Trailer
Sign making capabilities or pre-made signs	Assorted	LSA Trailer
Sledge Hammer, 8#	1	LSA Trailer
Stove, portable, propane, 25,000 BTU x 2 burners with cooking kit and stand	1	LSA Trailer
Television (Satellite service)	1	LSA Trailer
Tool Kit, Hand	1	LSA Trailer
Traffic cones	100 / 40	ESF1 / LSA Trailer
Work gloves (Pr)	50	LSA Trailer
Logistics Staging Area Supp	oort	
Item	QTY Reqd	Lead Agency SERT
Barricade tape (rolls)	TBD	LSA Trailer
Barricades	12 / 3	ESF1 / LSA Trailer
Cable generator	300′	Vendor
Chairs, folding	100	Vendor
Command Tent 15 X 25 ft (with supporting electrical systems)	1	LSA Trailer
Computers and associated equipment. W / full time internet connection.	3	LSA Trailer
Dumpsters 8 Cu Yd Roll-off	2	ESF 8

Electrical Boxes, spider	8 / 2	Vendor/ LSA Trailer
Facsimile Machine	1	Logistics
Facsimile machines (toner, paper, service) ESF 11	1	ESF 11/Vendor TBD
Fans, Warehouse, 60"	4	Vendor
Generator, Diesel Silenced 250KW	1	Vendor
Helicopter Landing Zone Kit (Strobes, panels, wind sock)	1 Set	LSA Trailer
HVAC Unit 10 ton for Command tent	1	LSA Trailer
HVAC Unit 50 ton self contained, trailer mounted	1	Vendor
Light stands, 2 X 500 watt, portable, 6' w/GFI outlet	2	LSA Trailer
Light string 55'	12 / 2	Vendor / LSA Trailer
Light towers, self contained metal halide 6000 watt	6	Vendor
Lights, fluorescent, 4', weather proof, for command tent	3	LSA Trailer
Lights, portable, 500 watt, floor type	4	LSA Trailer
LSA Support Trailer and Tow Vehicle	1	Logistics
LSA Support Vehicle, battery operated, cargo type	1	LSA Trailer
Mobile Kitchen trailer (see notes)	1	ESF 13
Phone lines* 15 to the Command tent, 5 for the LSA Trailer, ESF 11 add 5, ESF 8 add 5 each additional ESF add 3.	20 - 36	ESF2
Portable Sink, self-contained (if no running water)	1	ESF8
Portable Toilets, self contained, emergency w/bags	2	LSA Trailer
Portable Toilets, self contained, with daily service contract	6	ESF 8
Pressure Washer, 2800 # PSI	1	Vendor
Scanner/copier/printer/facsimile machine (toner, paper, service)	1	LSA Trailer
Stretcher (see notes)	1	ESF 13
Tables, Folding 6 ft	10 / 10	Vendor / LSA Trailer
TAC PAC Computers	2	Logistics
Telephones, Single line	15	LSA Trailer
Vests, SERT, Blue	20	LSA Trailer
Water purification unit, 5 gallon capacity	1	LSA Trailer

## **Appendix 1:**

## **Equipment Required for a Logistics Staging Area**

WAREHOUSE EQUIPMENT								
TYPE II LSA	TYPE I LSA							
Item	QTY Reqd	Lead Agency	SERT	Item	QTY Reqd	Lead Agency	SERT	
Fork lifts (refueling capability)	7		FDEM	Fork lifts (refueling capability)	10		FDEM	
Fork lifts 2k (propane or electric)	2		FDEM	Fork lifts 2k (propane or electric)	4		FDEM	
Fork lifts 4k w/extended reach	2		FDEM	Fork lifts 4k w/extended reach	4		FDEM	
Fork lifts 10K w/extended reach	1		FDEM	Fork lifts 10K w/extended reach	2		FDEM	
Pallet jacks (1 motorized)	4		FDEM	Pallet jacks (1 motorized)	6		FDEM	
Pallets Used	50- 75		FDEM	Pallets Used	100		FDEM	
Portable loading ramps (if there are no loading docks)	2		FDEM	Portable loading ramps (if there are no loading docks)	2		FDEM	
Portable loading dock ramps (if a loading dock exists at the facility)	2		FDEM	Portable loading dock ramps (if a loading dock exists at the facility)	2		FDEM	
Work gloves (Pr)	50		FDEM	Work gloves (Pr)	60		FDEM	
Hard Hats, Hearing Protectors and Safety Goggles	30		FDEM	Hard Hats, Hearing Protectors and Safety Goggles	30		FDEM	
Refrigerated trailer	1		FDEM	Refrigerated trailer	2		FDEM	
Shrink-wrap and Tape Rolls	30		FDEM	Shrink-wrap and Tape Rolls	20		FDEM	
3 W.YD. Dumpsters, Wet proof and Pick up	2		ESF8	3 W.YD. Dumpsters, Wet proof and Pick	2		ESF8	

Service on Demand			up Service on Demand		
Portable Sink (if no running water)	1	ESF8	Portable Sink (if no running water)	1	ESF8

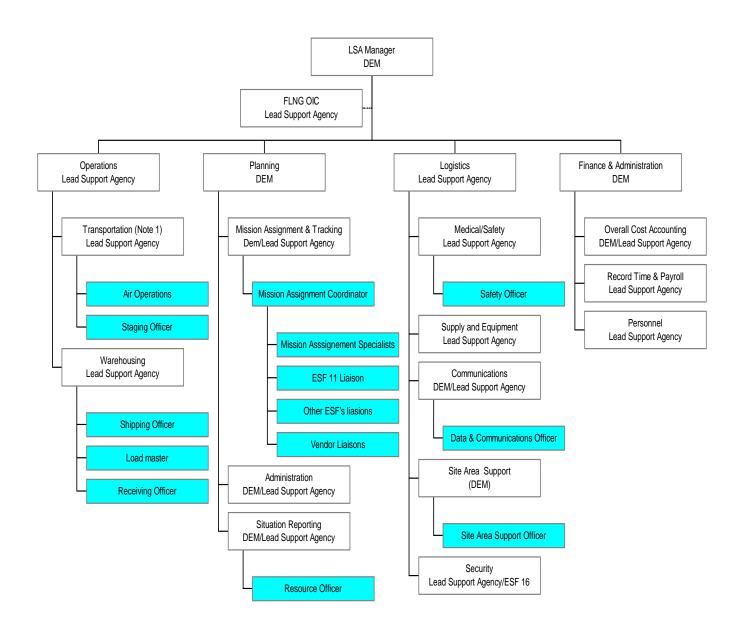
OFFICE EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES (*MAY BE INCLUDED IN LOGISTICS SUPPORT TRAILERS)									
TYPE II LSA	TYPE I LSA								
Truck, Pick up	2		FDEM	Truck, Pick up	2		FDEM		
Truck, Flat Bed 5 Ton	1		FDEM	Truck, Flat Bed 5 Ton	1		FDEM		
Phone lines*	20		ESF2	Phone lines ( 5 On LSA Trailer)	25		ESF2		
Tables *	10	Local	FDEM	Tables *	20	Local	FDEM		
Folding chairs*	50	Local	FDEM	Folding chairs*	70	Local	FDEM		
copy machine (toner, paper, service)*	1	Local	FDEM	copy machine (toner, paper, service)*	1	Local	FDEM		
facsimile machines (toner, paper, service)*	2	Local	FDEM	facsimile machines (toner, paper, service)*	2	Local	FDEM		
television (service)*	1	Local	FDEM	television (service)*	1	Local	FDEM		
Computers and associated equipment. W / full time internet connection. Minimum 1 printer*	3	Contract	FDEM	Computers and associated equipment. W / full time internet connection. Minimum 1 printer*	5	Contract	FDEM		
Basic Office supplies.*		Cache	FDEM	Basic Office supplies.*		Cache	FDEM		
Portable filing cabinet or boxes.*		Local	FDEM	Portable filing cabinet or boxes.*		Local	FDEM		
Battery operated clock.*	1	Cache	FDEM	Battery operated clock.*	2	Cache	FDEM		
Single line telephones	15	Cache	FDEM	Single line telephones	20	Cache	FDEM		

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS ( *MAY BE INCLUDED IN LOGISTICS SUPPORT TRAILERS)									
TYPE II LSA			TYPE I LSA						
Sign making capabilities or pre- made signs*			FDEM	Sign making capabilities or pre-made signs			FDEM		
Quarry lights (self generated) 5000 Watt Light trailers	5		FDEM	Quarry lights (self generated) 5000 Watt Light trailers	5		FDEM		
Florida state maps	100	Cache	FDEM	Florida state maps	100	Cache	FDEM		
Portable Toilets as required (with service) 1 per 10 staff	5	Local	ESF8	Portable Toilets as required (with service) 1 per 10 staff	7	Local	ESF8		
Cellular Phones	2	Cache	ESF2	Cellular Phones	6	Cache	ESF2		
Handheld radios*	6	Cache	ESF2	Handheld radios*	12	Cache	ESF2		
Traffic cones*	100		ESF1	Traffic cones*	100		ESF1		
Hazmat spill kits			FDEM	Hazmat spill kits			FDEM		
Warehouse fans 36"	2		FDEM	Warehouse fans 36"	4		FDEM		
Barricades*	12		ESF1	Barricades*	20		ESF1		
Barricade tape (rolls)*	10		FDEM	Barricade tape (rolls)*	20		FDEM		
Padlocks, keyed alike to secure gates*	4		FDEM	Padlocks, keyed alike to secure gates*	4		FDEM		
Cots (Night Security)*	6		FDEM	Cots (Night Security)*	8		FDEM		
Coffee Maker* 50 cup	1		FDEM	Coffee Maker* 100 cup	1		FDEM		
Water Jugs 10 gal.*	2		FDEM	Water Jugs 10 gal.*	4		FDEM		
Shovel Square Nosed*	2		FDEM	Shovel Square Nosed*	2		FDEM		

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Shovel Round Nosed*	2	FDEM	Shovel Round Nosed*	2	FDEM
Brooms, Push*	2	FDEM	Brooms, Push*	2	FDEM
Sledge Hammer*	1	FDEM	Sledge Hammer*	1	FDEM
Tool Kit, Hand*	1	FDEM	Tool Kit, Hand*	1	FDEM
Extension Cords 14/3 GA.*	500′	FDEM	Extension Cords 14/3 GA.*	1000' ft.	FDEM
Power strips*	12	FDEM	Power strips*	20	FDEM
Megaphone*	1	FDEM	Megaphone*	1	FDEM
Medical Kit*	1	FDEM	Medical Kit*	1	FDEM
Oxygen Tank*	1	FDEM	Oxygen Tank*	1	FDEM
Stretcher	1	FDEM	Stretcher	1	FDEM
Chest, Ice	2	FDEM	Chest, Ice	4	FDEM

## **Appendix 2:**

## Suggested Logistics Staging Area Organizational Chart



## **Appendix 3:**

## **Logistics Staging Area Planning**

## **LSA Planning**

A. The Plans Unit is responsible for mission tracking, the administrative requirements of the Logistics Staging Area and situation reporting. A Mission Assignment Coordinator, Mission Assignment Specialists, Resource Officer and ESF 11 liaisons and other ESF liaisons as assigned staff the Plans Unit.

#### LSA Manager DEM **Planning** Unit Mission Assignment Situation Administration & Tracking Reporting Mission Assignment Coordinator Resource Officer Mission ESF 11 Other Vendor Assignment Liaison **ESF** Liaisons Specialist Liaisons

LSA Planning Unit Organization Chart

Figure 10

- B. Positions in the plans Unit can be filled by lead support agency, Florida National Guard, Rapid Response Team and EMAC personnel.
- C. Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator.
  - 1. The Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator leads the Plans Unit.
  - 2. All of the tasks performed by the Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator will be coordinated with those personnel and agencies involved with the mission process

- 3. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Staging Area Manager.
- Coordinate setting up the Logistics Staging Area, which includes acquisition of supplies and materials through the Logistics section as identified in Annex B
- 5. The Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator is responsible for the management of all Logistics Staging Area mission requests.
- 6. The Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator will also be responsible for the development of a consolidated list of resources to support priority missions for the next 24-hour operational period.
- 7. Authorize (sign off on) all resource requests as the Logistics Staging Area Managers designated representative.
- 8. Provide the State Emergency Operations Center and County Emergency Operations Center with current inventory and mission status reports every 12 hours. (Resource Officer)
- 9. Maintain the EM Tracker 2000 record request on log.
- 10. Ensure that all mission requests are closed out properly with the Mission Assignment Specialist, Logistics Staging Area Operations Unit, EM2000 and the State EOC.
- 11. Coordinate the acquisition of the inventory and mission status reports from participating SERT agencies once every 24-hour operational period.
- 12. Identify potential conflicts and ways for the Logistics Staging Area Management Team to develop and maintain compatible operations.
- 13. Record and document all mission and resource requests using EM2000.
- 14. Develop and maintain Distribution Site Profiles
- 15. Develop and maintain Delivery Site/ Comfort and Aid Station Status Sheet. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-4 Delivery Site/ Comfort and Aid Station Status Sheet)
- 16. Maintain status of Logistics Staging Area resources. (Resource Officer)

- 17. Ensure advanced planning beyond the next operational period is being accomplished.
- 18. Ensure demobilization plans are coordinated between State Emergency Response Team Agencies and resources.
- 19. Coordinate all of the above activities with the Forward State Emergency Response Team (if a Forward State Emergency Response Team operation is activated).
- 20. Prepare Logistics Staging Area briefings as requested.
- 21. Conduct incident briefings and planning meetings.
- 22. Maintain a Unit Log of major actions and decisions. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)
- 23. Assist with the Logistics Staging Area closure.
- D. Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Specialist
  - Supports operations by performing resource status duties on behalf of the Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator in coordination with the State EOC.
  - 2. Coordinate with the Logistics Staging Area Operations Unit and County EOCs in tracking and closing all of mission assignments.
  - 3. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator.
  - 4. Record and document all mission and resource requests using EM2000. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-2/ICS Form 259-3 Resource Order)
  - 5. Establish and maintain resource tracking system so that current status and location of all resources are immediately available using EM2000.
  - 6. Assist the Logistics Staging Area Manager with the development of the demobilization plan.
  - 7. Maintain Unit Log (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)
- E. Logistics Staging Area Resource Officer

- 1. Assigned to the Logistics Staging Area Plans Unit. Reports to the Mission Assignment Coordinator.
- 2. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator.
- 3. Maintains summary information by agency on equipment and personnel assigned to the Logistics Staging Area
- 4. Establish and manage check-in locations and procedures to ensure that all resources are properly checked (Receiving Officer) and ensure information is recorded on EM2000. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-6 /ICS form 211 Check In list)
- 5. Establish and maintain resource tracking system so that current status and location of resources are immediately available using EM2000.
- 6. Prepare and maintain Command Post display
- 7. Maintains current inventories of all expendable and non-expendable resources. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-7 Logistics Staging Area Warehouse Inventory Sheet (Expendable Supplies) and Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-8 Logistics Staging Area Warehouse Inventory Sheet (Non-Expendable Supplies)).
- 8. Sets expendable use item thresholds.
- 9. Provides inventories as requested.
- 10. Receives inventory reports for the Receiving Officer and Shipping Officer. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-9 Receipt of Inventory and Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-10 Shipment of Inventory)
- 11. Coordinates inventory issues with Emergency Support Function liaisons.
- 12. Coordinates activities with Mission Assignment Specialists.
- 13. Maintains a demobilization suspense file on all non-expendable items issued from the Logistics Staging Area. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-11 Temporary Property Transfer)
- F. Logistics Staging Area Emergency Support Function Liaisons

- 1. ESF Liaisons assigned to the Logistics Staging Area work under the supervision of the Mission Assignment Coordinator.
- 2. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Staging Area Mission Assignment Coordinator.
- 3. Emergency Support Function Liaisons have the same basic duties as the Mission Assignment Specialist.
- 4. Account for and monitor the resources specific to the responsibilities of your Emergency Support Function.
- 5. Coordinate with supporting agencies as established and defined by this document.
- G. Logistics Staging Area Emergency Support Function 11 Liaisons specific duties.

Account for and Monitor distribution of water, ice and USDA food products as defined by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's authority and regulations, Public Law 93-288 and the Florida Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan.

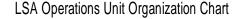
#### H. Vendor Liaisons.

- 1. Contractor/vendors providing resources may assign a liaison to assist in the management of their vendor supplied resources.
- 2. The Vendor Liaisons will work with Mission Assignment Specialists, shipping, and receiving to insure that all non-expendable resources at the Logistics Staging Area through deployment until demobilization and return to the vendor.
- 3. Maintain serial number accountability of non-expendable equipment.
- 4. Maintain accountability of equipment and personnel.
- 5. Maintain accurate records of mileage and hourly use of equipment and persons.
- Tag all non-expendable supplies/equipment with an inventory tag. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-12 Inventory Tag)

## **Appendix 4**

## Logistics Staging Area Operational Support

- A. The Lead support agency establishes the Operations Unit. The Lead Support Agency (Florida National Guard) will designate the Operations Unit Chief.
- B. The Operations Unit consists of a Warehouse Unit that includes shipping, receiving and storage; Transportation Unit that includes both air and ground operations and staging.



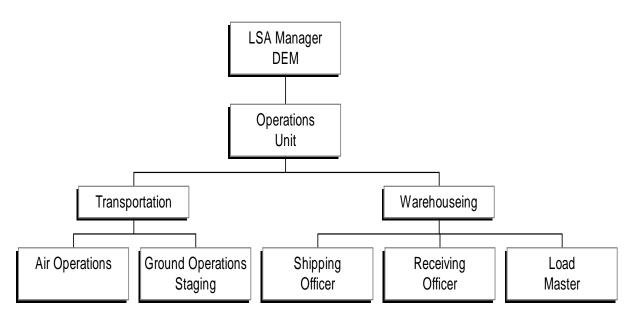


Figure 11

- C. Lead support agency personnel, contractor provided transportation and equipment operators and other staff as assigned, staff the Operations Unit.
- D. Logistics Staging Area Operations Unit Chief
- 1. The Logistics Staging Area Operations Unit chief is responsible for the management of all operations directly applicable to the execution of Logistics Staging Area Missions.
- 2. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Staging Area Manager.

- 3. Brief and assign operations personnel.
- 4. Supervise operations.
- 5. Determine and request additional resources.
- 6. Review mission tasking.
- 7. Report information about special activities, events, and occurrences to the Logistics Staging Area Manager.
- 8. Maintain a Unit Log. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)
- E. Warehouse Unit
- Responsible for the receipt, storage, classification, maintenance, inventory and shipment of all expendable and non-expendable supplies and equipment.
- 2. Warehouse Unit Leader
  - a. Assigned by the lead support agency.
  - Responsible for the storage, receipt, shipment and accountability of warehouse operations.
  - c. Obtain a briefing from the Operations Unit Chief.
  - d. Organize the Warehouse operation. Layout the warehouse and storage sites and areas.
  - e. Assign specific work.
  - f. Monitor and inspect progress.
  - g. Resolve problems reported by subordinates.
  - h. Maintain a unit log. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)
- Receiving Officer
  - a. Assigned to the Warehouse Unit.

- b. Ensures that all resources assigned and delivered to the Logistics Staging Area are accounted for.
- c. Ensures that all Bills of Lading and Manifests are collected form all loads.
- d. Posts signs for arriving resources to easily find the check-in location.
- e. Records check-in information and inventory lists expendable and nonexpendable. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-9 Receipt of Inventory)
- f. Records check-in information for teams and Crews. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-6 /ICS Form 211 Check In list)
- g. Transmits check in information to the Resource Officer.
- h. Assists with the accounting of all Logistics Staging Area Resources.
- i. Coordinates receipt of resources with the Warehouse Officer.

#### 4. Shipping Officer

- a. Assigned to the Warehouse Unit under the Operations Unit.
- b. Ensures that all resources requested under mission assignment are identified for shipment.
- c. Ensures that all resources shipped from to the Logistics Staging Area are accounted for.
- d. Records shipping information and updates inventory lists of expendable and non-expendable resources. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-10 Shipment of Inventory)
- e. Prepares temporary receipts on non-expendable items. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-11 Temporary Property Transfer)
- f. Transmits shipping information to the Resource Officer.
- j. Assists with the accounting of all Logistics Staging Area Resources.
- k. Coordinates shipment of resources with the Warehouse Officer.

#### 5. Loadmaster

- a. Obtain a briefing form the Warehouse Unit Leader
- b. Ensure the proper posting of loading and unloading areas both air and ground.
- c. Manifest and load personnel and cargo; supervise loading and unloading crews.
- d. Ensure sling-load equipment is safe.

#### F. Transportation

 The transportation unit is responsible for determining the mode of transportation for mission accomplishment, management of military and commercial modes of transportation assigned to the Logistics Staging Area, both ground and air.

#### 2. Transportation Unit Leader

- a. Assigned by the lead support agency.
- b. Responsible for the responsible for determining the mode of transportation for mission accomplishment, management of military and commercial modes of transportation assigned to the Logistics Staging Area, both ground and air.
- c. Obtain a briefing from the Operations Unit Chief.
- d. Organize the transportation operation. Layout the ground holding and staging areas, aircraft holding areas.
- e. Assign specific work.
- f. Monitor and inspect progress.
- g. Resolve problems reported by subordinates.
- h. Maintain a unit log.
- 3. Ground Operations

- a. Assigned by the lead support agency.
- Responsible ground traffic movement in the Logistics Staging Area, selecting and staging commercial and military vehicles for deliveries.
- c. Obtain a briefing from the Transportation Unit Leader.
- d. Organize the Ground Operations.
- e. Layout the vehicle staging and holding areas.
- f. Post areas for identification and traffic control.
- g. Establish a Check-in site for incoming resources.
- h. Maintain and provide status to the Resource Officer of all resources in the staging and holding areas.
- i. Maintain staging and holding areas in an orderly condition.
- j. Supervise commercial transportation /contract drivers.
- k. Maintain Support Vehicle Inventory. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-13 / ICS Form 218 Support Vehicle Inventory)
- I. Assign specific work.
- m. Monitor and inspect progress.
- n. Resolve problems reported by subordinates.
- o. Maintain a unit log. Logistics Staging Area (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)
- 4. Air Operations.
  - a. Assigned by the lead support agency.
  - b. Responsible for aircraft and helicopter loading and unloading, coordination with the airport manager, Loading Zone identification and safety, and user of aircraft radio frequency.
  - c. Obtain a briefing from the Transportation Unit Leader.

- d. Organize the Air Operations. Layout the aircraft staging and holding areas.
- e. As appropriate, initiate request for temporary flight restrictions.
- f. Perform operational planning for air operations.
- g. Evaluate helibase locations.
- h. Establish procedures for emergency reassignment of aircraft.
- i. Schedule approved flights of non-incident aircraft into the incident area.
- j. Evaluate requests for non-tactical use of incident aircraft.
- k. Assign specific work.
- I. Monitor and inspect progress.
- m. Resolve problems reported by subordinates.
- n. Maintain the Air Operations Summary. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-14 / ICS Form 220 Air Operations Summary)
- o. Maintain a unit log. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)

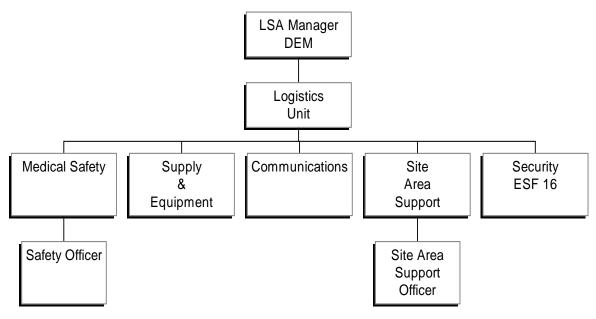
## **Appendix 5:**

Logistics Staging Area Logistics Support

#### A. Logistics Unit.

- 1. The Logistics Staging Area Logistics Unit is responsible for the Logistics support of the Logistics Staging Area This includes supply, facilities, medical, security, communications, lodging, feeding, fueling and maintenance of Logistics Staging Area personnel and equipment.
- 2. The Lead support agency establishes the Logistics Unit. The Lead Support Agency (National Guar) will designate the Logistics Unit Chief.
- 3. The Logistics Unit consists of a Logistics Staging Area Support Unit, Communications, Medical / Safety, Security, Supply / Equipment.
- 4. Lead support agency personnel, Division of Emergency Management and other SERT Agency staff as assigned, staff the Logistics Unit.

#### LSA Logistics Unit Organization Chart



## B. Logistics Unit Chief

- 1. The Logistics Staging Area Logistics Chief is responsible for the management of Logistics support of the Logistics Staging Area.
- 2. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Staging Area Manager.
- 3. Brief and assign logistics personnel.
- 4. Supervise Logistics operations of the Logistics Staging Area.
- 5. Identify anticipated and known incident service and support requirements.
- 6. Determine and request additional resources.
- 7. Determine support requirements to include feeding, sleeping, sanitation and recreation.
- 8. Review mission tasking.
- 9. Report information about special activities, events, and occurrences to the Logistics Staging Area Manager.
- 10. Maintain a Unit Log. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)
- C. Logistics Staging Area, Site Area Support Officer
  - 1. The Logistics Staging Area, Site Support Unit is responsible for providing facilities, services, and materials in support of the Logistics Staging Area Operation.
  - 2. Logistics Staging Area Support Unit also provides for maintenance and support for all State Emergency Response Team equipment.
  - 3. Obtain and issue receipts for radios and other State Emergency Response Team equipment distributed and received in the Logistics Staging Area.

## D. Safety Officer

1. The Function of the Safety Officer is to develop and recommend measures for assuring safety and to assess and/or anticipate hazardous and unsafe

conditions. (The Florida National Guard unit S1 can fulfill the position.) Compliance with OSHA regulations such as forklift operations and certification of operators.

- 2. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Unit Chief and the State Emergency Response Team Manager.
- 3. Participate in planning meetings.
- 4. Identify and correct hazardous situation associated with the State Emergency Response Team and with personnel and equipment assigned to carry out specific disaster relief missions.
- 5. Review the incident action plan for safety implications.
- 6. Attempt to provide an accident free environment. Ensure investigations are conducted on accidents that have occurred within the State Emergency Response Team.
- 7. Prepare the medical plan for the State Emergency Response Team. (State Emergency Response Team Form 2310-15/ICS Form 206 Medical Plan)
- 8. A safety officer will be assigned at all times at all State Emergency Response Team locations.
- E. Supply / Equipment
- 1. Provide Logistics support to the State Emergency Response Team to include equipment and supplies.
- 2. Ordering, receiving, processing and storing all State Emergency Response Team related resources.
- 3. Respond to requests for personnel, equipment and supplies to support State Emergency Response Team operations.
- 4. Request Logistics support for personnel as required.
- 5. Obtain fueling services for equipment in the State Emergency Response Team.
- 6. Report resource status changes as required.

7. Maintain Unit Log. (Logistics Staging Area Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)

#### F. Data and Communications

- The Data and Communications Unit is responsible for developing plans for use of State Emergency Response Team communications equipment and facilities; telephone and radio communications; satellite and telephone operations, computer network connections, installing and testing of communications equipment; and distribution and maintenance of communications equipment.
- 2. Provide technical advice on:
  - a. Adequacy of communications system
  - b. Geographical limitations
  - c. Equipment capabilities
  - d. Amount and types of equipment available
- 3. Maintain accountability of communications equipment.

## G. Security

- 1. Provides safeguards necessary for protection of personnel and property from loss or damage.
- 2. Establish contacts with local law enforcement agencies as required.
- 3. If major security requirements are needed make recommendations to the State Emergency Response Team Manager for security from Emergency Support Function 16 at the State Emergency Operations Center.
- 4. Develop a security plan for the State Emergency Response Team.
- 5. Prevent theft of all property.
- 6. Investigate and document complaints and suspicious occurrences.
- 7. Maintain Unit Log. (State Emergency Response Team Form 2310-5/ICS Form 214 Unit Log)

# **Appendix 6**

# **Logistics Staging Area Finance Support**

- A. Logistics Staging Area Finance Unit.
- 1. The Finance Officer is responsible for managing all financial aspects of the
- B. Logistics Staging Area Finance Unit.
- The Finance Officer is responsible for managing all financial aspects of the Logistics Staging Area. A spreadsheet will be established for the management of the Logistics Staging Area expenses.

# LSA Finance Unit Organization Chart

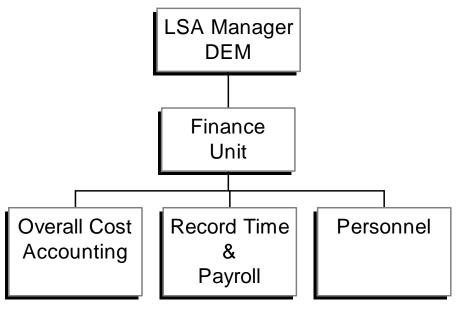


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- 2. The Finance Officer will be responsible for tracking of all Logistics Staging Area expenses and payments.
- 3. The Finance Officer will maintain the disposition of all bills of lading and purchase orders and receipts for the Logistics Staging Area.
- 4. The authority to spend state funds in support of Logistics Staging Area operations will be vested in the Finance Officer.

- 5. Purchases under \$500.00 may be approved by the Logistics Staging Area Manager in concert with the Finance Officer in the Logistics Staging Area. Necessary forms must be completed and maintained and EM 2000 Tracker messages to the State Emergency Response Team Finance Unit.
- 6. All purchases over \$500.00 must be approved by the Logistics Chief either in the State Emergency Operations Center or on the Forward State Emergency Response Team. The State Emergency Response Team Finance Unit Chief must be contacted via EM 2000 tracker message to acquire a purchase order number before making a purchase. Purchase order numbers must be attached to all paperwork.
- 7. Rapid Response Team and Mutual Aid personnel may check out through the DEM Finance Officer at the Logistics Staging Area.
- C. Lead Support Agency
- 1. Maintain records of costs accounting for their personnel and equipment.
- 2. Maintain records of time and payroll for their personnel.
- 3. Maintain personnel records, accountability and other personnel issues for their staff.
- D. Other Agencies
  - 1. Keep the Division of Emergency finance officer informed of expenditures related to Logistics Staging Area assignment.
  - 2. Maintain records of costs accounting for their personnel and equipment.
  - 3. Maintain records of time and payroll for their personnel.
  - 4. A spreadsheet will be established for the management of the Logistics Staging Area expenses.

# LSA Finance Unit Organization Chart

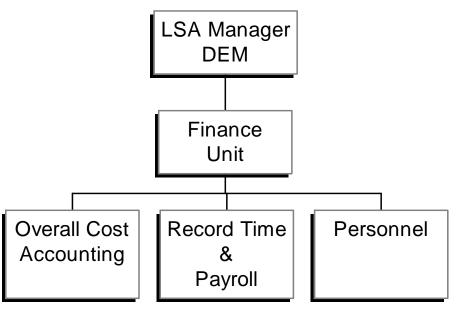


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- 8. The Finance Officer will be responsible for tracking of all Logistics Staging Area expenses and payments.
- 9. The Finance Officer will maintain the disposition of all bills of lading and purchase orders and receipts for the Logistics Staging Area.
- 10. The authority to spend state funds in support of Logistics Staging Area operations will be vested in the Finance Officer.
- 11. Purchases under \$500.00 may be approved by the Logistics Staging Area Manager in concert with the Finance Officer in the Logistics Staging Area. Necessary forms must be completed and maintained and EM 2000 Tracker messages to the State Emergency Operations Center Finance Unit.
- 12. All purchases over \$500.00 must be approved by the Logistics Chief either in the SEOC or on the Forward State Emergency Response Team .The State Emergency Response Team Finance Unit Chief must be contacted via EM 2000 tracker message to acquire a purchase order number before making a purchase. Purchase order numbers must be attached to all paperwork.

- 13. Rapid Response Team and Mutual Aid personnel may check out through the DEM Finance Officer at the Logistics Staging Area.
- E. Lead Support Agency
- 1. Maintain records of costs accounting for their personnel and equipment.
- 2. Maintain records of time and payroll for their personnel.
- 3. Maintain personnel records, accountability and other personnel issues for their staff.
- F. Other Agencies
- 1. Keep the DEM finance officer informed of expenditures related to Logistics Staging Area assignment.
- 2. Maintain records of costs accounting for their personnel and equipment.
- 3. Maintain records of time and payroll for their personnel.

# **Appendix 7**

Logistics Staging Area Risk Management

## **Risk Management**

- A. Large-scale logistics operations potentially pose several risks that need to be planned for and addressed during an actual operation. Risk management is the process of making disaster response and recovery operations safer without compromising the disaster response operations. Knowing and avoiding the risks known in logistics staging operations will help reduce the risks in an operation. The key to risk management is hazard identification. Once you identify the risk, you must evaluate it and control it.
- B. There are a variety of potential risks in the area of logistics staging operations: liability risks, material handling risks, transportation risks, health and safety risks, and work environment risks.
- C. Who needs to be concerned about Risk Management?
- D. Anyone involved in disaster response and recovery needs to be concerned about managing the potential risks surrounding the Logistics Staging operations particularly those individuals should proceed with extreme caution and under the guidance of supervisors and unit leaders when they arrive in the staging area.
- E. What are some specific risks and how do you manage them?

Risk: Improvised base of operations.

Select the most suitable facility.

Do not operate out of unsound buildings.

Set up internal fire/health/safety structure.

Ensure vehicles have a ground guide in sleeping areas.

Enforce sounding horn when backing vehicles.

Risk: Lack of protective equipment for HAZMAT operations.
Untrained individuals should not work with HAZMAT.
Use proper equipment to handle hazardous materials.

Risk: Psychological problems resulting from response operations.

Recognize stress in workers staff/self.

Persuade worker to leave the immediate area.

Bring appropriate mental health resources to worker.

Risk: Successive disasters are common.

Ensure the staffs prepare for repeat or secondary disaster.

Protect or move critical relief equipment.

Risk: Fatigue.

Establish sleep discipline.

Minimize travel within the impact zone.

Eliminate nonproductive duties.

Risk: Over-motivation

Control individual's enthusiasm. Stress need to conserve energy.

Risk: Untrained individuals using power equipment.

Do not allow untrained individuals to use equipment. Find personnel who have the proper background.

Risk: Heavy equipment and material-handling equipment operators are not

trained / licensed.

Enforce operator qualification standards.

Communicate need for trained personnel at the appropriate level.

Risk: Improvised crews lack personal protective equipment.

Stop work until appropriate safety supplies arrive.

Deploy with supplies of work gloves.

Risk: Inadequate lighting.

Restrict unnecessary vehicle movement.

Assign safety watch officers.

Use vehicle headlights.

No Blackout light use by Military vehicles.

Risk: Lift/carry procedures.

Enforce use of correct techniques:

Do not carry a load that is too heavy.

When in doubt, get assistance.

Bend from the hips and knees, not just the waist.

Carry heavy objects close to the body.

Avoid sudden movements.

Do not carry unbalanced loads.

#### Other Tips:

It should be clear who has responsibility, if anyone for the actions of individuals.

Ensure that debris does not build up.

Ensure all personnel on the site know what to do in case of flash floods.

Ensure safety belts are worn at all times when operating equipment.

Protect flammables from extreme heat exposure.

Ensure adequate vehicle maintenance is available.

Ensure adequate waste disposal facilities are present.

Ensure adequate toilets or latrines are available.

Ensure adequate security is available for hazardous materials, medicines and firearms.

Assign a safety officer and insure the safety officer is present during large, busy material movement operations.

Watch out for snakes when floodwater recedes.

# **Appendix 8**

# **SAMPLE State LSA MOA**

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE FLORIDA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ("MOU") is entered into by and between the Florida Division of Emergency Management ("DEM") and order to outline and memorialize the obligations and responsibilities of the parties with respect to staging areas for emergency response activities. WHEREAS, Florida is vulnerable to a variety of natural and manmade emergencies, including hurricanes, which can lead to the Governor of the State of Florida issuing an Executive Order declaring a "state of emergency" as a result; and WHEREAS, DEM is authorized by Chapter 252 Florida Statutes to prepare for and respond to states of emergency, including the provision of supplies to local areas affected by the emergency; and WHEREAS, the Facility Owner owns or has control of a facility located at \_\_\_\_\_ County, Florida, \_ which has been identified by DEM as a "Logistical Staging Area" ("LSA") for the distribution and storage of emergency supplies and equipment; NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and conditions contained herein, the parties agree to the following terms: At its own expense, the Facility Owner will allow DEM to operate a LSA at its \_\_\_\_\_ located at County, Florida during a declared state of emergency. 2. The Facility Owner agrees to provide warehouse space, loading facilities, office space, and parking facilities for the duration of the declared state of emergency and possibly for a longer period of time as mutually agreed upon by the parties. 3. The Facility Owner agrees it will permit ingress and egress to DEM, its agents, contractors and employees to the LSA in order for DEM, their agents, contractors and employees to perform emergency relief work and other work as needed at the LSA. In addition, the Facility Owner

will permit access to the LSA to local, state and federal regulatory agencies for inspection or such other legal purposes as are deemed

appropriate by DEM. Access to the LSA shall be provided by the Facility Owner or its designee Monday through Sunday on a 24-hour basis or at other reasonable times as mutually agreed upon by the parties.

4. The Facility Owner agrees it will permit ingress and egress to the LSA to independent contractors in contract with DEM to deliver or load emergency supplies and equipment.

5.	The Facility Owner agrees to provide	
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		as part of the
	LSA.	

- 6. The Facility Owner agrees that it shall be solely responsible for its negligent acts or omissions or tortuous acts which result in claims or suits against DEM and agrees to be liable for any damages proximately caused by said acts or omissions.
- 7. The Facility Owner agrees that all notices provided under or pursuant to this Memorandum of Understanding shall be in writing, either by hand delivery, or first class, certified mail, return receipt requested, to the contract representative identified below at the address set forth below and said notification shall be attached to the original of this Memorandum of Understanding:

The names, title, address and phone number of the DEM representative for this MOU is:

Director
Division of Emergency Management
2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2100
850-413-9969

The names, title, address and phone number of the Facility Owner representative responsible for the administration of this MOU is:

Name: Title: Company / Agency Address: City, FL ZIP 24-Hour Phone Number

Alternate Contact:

- 8. This MOU is effective upon its execution by both of the parties and may be modified only in writing with execution by both parties. This MOU shall expire twelve (12) months from the date of execution unless an extension is mutually agreed to in writing.
- 9. This MOU contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Memorandum of Understanding to be executed by their undersigned officials as duly authorized.

Facility Owner	Florida DEM
Ву:	Ву:
	Director
Date	Date

# Appendix 9

# **SAMPLE State LSA MOA**

### **Annex 9 Checklists and Job Aids**

- MISSION ASSIGNMENT CHECKLIST
- RESOURCE OFFICERS CHECKLIST
- RECEIVING OFFICERS CHECKLIST
- SHIPPING OFFICERS CHECKLIST
- TRANSPORT OPERATORS CHECKLIST
- SAFETY OFFICERS CHECKLIST
- HURRICANE CHECKLIST
- DEMOBILIZATION CHECKLIST
- LOAD MASTER CHECKLIST

MISSION ASSIGNMENT CHECKLIST	
	LSA Mission
SEOC	Mission received by a Response Liaison in the SEOC  Enters into EM Constellation
	Operations Chief assigns the mission to an ESF if the mission is an LSA Mission the Logistics Chief will task the LSA.  • Enters Tasking message into EM 2000  • Follow up phone call.  ESF11 tasking will go directly to the LSA.  • ESF 11 or any other ESF Liaisons at the LSA follow the Mission Assignment
LSA Plans Unit	Coordinators instructions as any other Mission Assignment Specialist.  Mission Assignment Coordinator (MAC) or ESF 11 personnel receives the tasking .via EM CONSTILLATION, fax, or phone
	MAC maintains / updates Resource Order Form / EM CONSTILLATION(LSA Form 2310-2/ICS Form 259-3 Resource Order)  Mission Assignment Specialists (MAS) / ESF 11 are assigned the tasking from the MAC.
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	MAS/ESF Liaisons fills out a LSA Mission Order. (LSA Form 2310-1 LSA Mission Order)
	MAS Coordinates with Resource Officer to determine availability of resources.
	MAS evaluates mission requirements based on Distribution Site Profile  If there is no Distribution Site Profile the MAS will call the POC and complete a Distribution Site Profile. (LSA Form 2310-3 Distribution Site Profile)  Is there unload support at the delivery site?  Determine additional requirements to fulfill mission i.e. forklifts, pallet jacks, labor etc.  What has to be transported?  Do we have the resource available at the LSA?  How many vehicles and what types of vehicles will take to transport the resource.  Where is it to be delivered, can we get in there with commercial transport, military four-wheel drive, or aircraft.  Are there any time restrictions, operation times, curfews etc that will affect the mission.  MAS / ESF Liaisons coordinate mission requirements with other ESF's and Vendors as required.  MAS briefs the Mission Assignment Coordinator (MAC) on the Mission and gains approval.  MAC de-conflicts any issues with the LSA Mgr.  Once approved the MAS presents the Mission to the Operations Unit.
LSA Operations Unit	Operation Unit evaluates the mission requirements and issues orders and instructions.  Determines transportation mode.  Notifies shipping officer / warehouse to prepare shipment.  Notifies Staging Officer to stage transportation assets for loading.  Briefs drivers on duties, responsibilities, POC's, route, paperwork requirements and other issues.
Shipping Officer	Shipping Officer pulls stock and prepares for shipment.
Ground Transportation Officer	Selects transportation assets and moves to shipping.
Load Master	Supervises loading and inspects load for shipment.
Shipping Officer	Completes shipment paperwork and provides information to the Resource officer in the Plans Unit

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Shipping Officer	Notifies the MAC of dispatch of mission.
	MAC Updates EM CONSTILLATION
Transport	Transports shipment to the distribution point.
Operator	Checks in with the POC
	POC signs for Non-expendable property.
	POC signs for Expendable property. (LSA Form 2310-11 Temporary Property)
	Transfer)
	<ul> <li>One copy left with POC.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>One Copy returned with transport operator.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Operator and POC assistance unloads the vehicle.</li> </ul>
	Operator returns to Staging
	Operator delivers signed paperwork to Staging Officer
	Driver returns to staging and awaits next mission.
Operations	Notifies MAC of mission completion and provides MAC with signed paperwork.
MAC	Updates EM CONSTILLATION
	Reschedules recurring missions
	Signed receipts provided to Resource Officer
Resource	Maintain files
Officers	Updates inventory
	Action suspense for non-expendable resources demobilization.
	Mission Complete

#### RESOURCE OFFICERS CHECKLIST

#### LSA Resource Officer

- 1. Maintains summary information by agency on equipment and personnel assigned to the LSA. Establish and manage check-in locations and procedures to ensure that all resources are properly checked in, non-expendable, expendable, Teams and Crews and ensure information is recorded on EM CONSTILLATION. (LSA Form 2310-6 /ICS Form 211 Check In list), (LSA Form 2310-7 LSA Warehouse Inventory Sheet (Expendable Supplies) and (LSA Form 2310-8 LSA Warehouse Inventory Sheet (Non-Expendable Supplies)
- 2. Establish and maintain resource tracking system so that current status and location of resources are immediately available using EM CONSTILLATION.
- 3. Prepare and maintain Command Post display.
- 4. Maintains current inventories of all expendable and non-expendable resources.
- 5. Sets expendable use item thresholds.
- 6. Provides inventories as requested.

Receives inventory reports for the Receiving Officer and Shipping Officer. (LSA Form 2310-9 Receipt of Inventory) (LSA Form 2310-10 Shipment of Inventory)

- 7. Coordinates inventory issues with ESF liaisons.
- 8. Coordinates activities with Mission Assignment Specialists.
- Maintains a demobilization suspense file on all non-expendable items issued from the LSA.(LSA Form 2310-11 Temporary Property Transfer)

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	Maintain current inventories of all expendable and non-expendable resources.
	Receive "LSA Receipt of Inventory Forms" from the Receiving Officer and update the non-
	expendable or expendable "LSA Inventory Sheet" and EM CONSTILLATION
	Receive "LSA Shipment of Inventory Forms" from the Shipping Officer and update the non- expendable or expendable "LSA Inventory Sheet" and EM CONSTILLATION
	Receive "Temporary Property Transfer" Form (attached to the "LSA Shipment of Inventory
	Forms":
	<ul><li>Reconcile with "LSA Shipment of Inventory Form"</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Update the Distribution Site Profile indicating non-expendable supplies</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Suspense the "Temporary Property Transfer" Form for demobilization.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>When the signed "Temporary Property Transfer" is returned by the driver file it in the</li> </ul>
	suspense folder.
	Maintain / Update the Distribution Site Profile (a Mission Assignment Specialist will prepare the initial profile and provide a copy to the Resource Officer)
	Prepare / Maintain / Update Check-in List for teams and crews. (The Receiving Officer will periodically update you.)
	Reconcile daily at the Close of Business (COB) with the Receiving and Shipping Officers daily status.
	Coordinate inventory status shipping and receiving with ESF Liaisons at the LSA.
	Periodically (minimum once daily at COB) provide an Inventory of all supplies / equipment to the Logistics Section at the State EOC by FAX or EM CONSTILLATION
	In coordination with the LSA Manager based on daily expenditure and anticipated usage set an expendable use items threshold and report that to the Logistics Section, Resource Management Branch.
	Maintain summary information by agency on equipment and personnel assigned to the LSA.

## RECEIVING OFFICERS CHECKLIST Receiving Officers duties: 1. Ensures that all resources assigned and delivered to the LSA are accounted for. 2. Posts signs for arriving resources to easily find the check-in location. 3. Records check-in information and inventory lists expendable and non-expendable.(LSA Form 2310-9 Receipt of Inventory) 4. Transmits check-in information to the Resource Officer. Assists with the accounting of all LSA Resources. Coordinates receipt of resources with the Warehouse Officer. Coordinate with LSA site officer for signage to identify check-in locations. Maintain awareness of upcoming missions and consider redirect or direct ship of arriving resources. Receipt of Expendable Supplies: Obtain Bill of Lading from Driver or Vendor Liaison (i.e. IAP, Land Star) Coordinate with Warehouse Officer to unload vehicle. Verify load inventory with the Bill of Lading. Prepare and Attach inventory tag to each pallet. Prepare "LSA Receipt of Inventory Form" in two copies Deliver Copy 1 to the resource officer, with the Bill of Lading or manifest attached. Copy 2 is for your records. Receipt of Non-Expendable Supplies: Obtain Bill of Lading from Driver or Vendor Liaison (i.e. Garner, Sun Belt) Coordinate with Warehouse Officer to unload vehicle. Verify load inventory with the Bill of Lading. Prepare and Attach inventory tag to each piece of Equipment. Prepare "LSA Receipt of Inventory Form" in two copies Deliver Copy 1 to the resource officer, with the Bill of Lading or manifest attached. Copy 2 is for your records. Check-In of Teams and Crews: Obtain manifest from the Team Leader Inform Team Leader to coordinate with the Logistics Officer for billeting and other support. Verify the Manifest. Prepare "Check in List". Notify the resource officer and provide updates and crew manifests. Direct shipment or redirect shipment of expendable supplies: Obtain Bill of Lading from Driver or Vendor Liaison (i.e. IAP) Coordinate with Shipping Officer to prepare "LSA Shipment Inventory Form" Coordinate with any Vendor Liaison. Prepare "LSA Receipt of Inventory Form" in two copies Deliver Copy 1 to the resource officer, with the Bill of Lading or manifest attached. Copy 2 is for your records. Direct shipment or redirect shipment of non-expendable supplies: Obtain Bill of Lading from Driver or Vendor Liaison (i.e. Garner, Sun Belt) Coordinate with Shipping Officer to prepare "LSA Shipment Inventory Form" Coordinate with any Vendor Liaison.

Reconcile inventory receipt s with the Resource Officer at close of business (COB)

Deliver Copy 1 to the resource officer, with the Bill of Lading or manifest attached.

Prepare and Attach inventory tag to each piece of Equipment. Prepare "LSA Receipt of Inventory Form" in two copies

Copy 2 is for your records.

## SHIPPING OFFICERS CHECKLIST Shipping Officer's Duties Ensure that all resources requested under mission assignment are identified for shipment. Ensure that all resources shipped from to the LSA are accounted for. Records shipping information and updates inventory lists of expendable and non-expendable resources. (LSA Form 2310-10 Shipment of Inventory) Prepares temporary receipts on non-expendable items. (LSA Form 2310-11 Temporary Property Transfer) Transmits shipping information to the Resource Officer. Assists with the accounting of all LSA Resources. Coordinates shipment of resources with the Warehouse Officer. Review the "LSA Mission Order" mission requirements and identify expendable and nonexpendable supplies and equipment for shipment. Notify Resource Officer if supplies / equipment are insufficient to fulfill mission. Coordinate non-expendable supplies and equipment with any Vendor Liaison at the LSA. Identify non-expendable supplies and equipment and prepare a Temporary Property Transfer form in 3 copies. 1 Copy with the driver to be signed by the party receiving the property and returned by the driver to the LSA. The Operations Unit will give that copy to the Resource Officer. 1 Copy with the driver to be given to the recipient for their records. 1 Copy to be given to the Resource Officer's suspense files by the Shipping Officer. Identify expendable and non-expendable supplies and equipment and prepare an "LSA Shipment Inventory Form" in two copies (One form per mission irrespective of the number of vehicles used to transport the items.) 1 Copy for your records. 1 Copy for the Resource Officer. Coordinate expendable and non-expendable supplies and equipment to be shipped with the Warehouse officer and Load Master. Conduct a final inspection of shipment to ensure accountability. Reconcile shipment forms with the Resource Officer at Close of Business (COB) Maintain Records until the demobilization is completed.

#### TRANSPORT OPERATORS CHECKLIST

- 1. You are assigned as a driver in support of the Logistics Staging Area this is an official function of the State of Florida.
- 2. This is a disaster relief operation providing life support and comfort items to the victims of this disaster.
- 3. Your safety and the safe operation of your vehicle are of paramount importance.
- 4. Any safety hazard you encounter should be reported immediately.
- 5. Your vehicle when not on a mission or being loaded will remain in the Staging Area.

6. The C	Operations Unit must be aware of your whereabouts at all times.
	Upon arrival you will be given this checklist.
	The staging officer will provide you with an area to park or direct you to shipping or receiving.
	Commercial transport operators will report the Operations Unit, Transportation Officer and provide the Transportation officer with daily "bill", including the operators name, vehicle identity number and cell phone number.
	Military Transport Operators will report to the Transportation Officer and provide the Transportation Officer with their name, unit, vehicle type and bumper number.
	Mission Assignment
	The transportation officer will assign you a mission based on your vehicles capability.
	Once assigned a mission you will report to shipping for loading.
	You have final say so on the safe loading of your vehicle i.e. Weight limits, height limits, Hazmat and etc.
	You will receive a mission form with an inventory, delivery site, address, point of contact, point of contacts phone number, and other shipping forms.
	If you have any problems making your delivery you should call the Operations Officer at for further instructions.
	The point of contact or another responsible individual will sign for expendable supplies. You will return that copy to the Transportation Officer.
	A temporary receipt will accompany non-Expendable supplies. You will have two copies, one copy is to be left with the responsible party and one signed copy returned to the Transportation Officer.
	Under no circumstances are you to deliver / unload supplies or equipment at any site without a responsible party to accept shipment.
	To the best extent possible the receiving agency should have the capability to unload your vehicle. In all cases you may assist in unloading your vehicle.
	Return to the LSA
	Once your vehicle is unloaded you are to return to the LSA unless you have been released from further assignment or released for the day. You may make reasonable stops for meals and fuel as required. If you require to make a maintenance stop inform the Transportation Officer at
	Upon arrival at the LSA return your vehicle to staging and report to the Transportation Officer for further assignment.  Keep the Transportation Officer informed of your duty restrictions; time or contract
	requirements, need for time off or leaving the LSA on non-mission related travel.

#### SAFETY OFFICERS CHECKLIST

#### Safety Officer

- 9. The Function of the Safety Officer is to develop and recommend measures for assuring safety and to assess and/or anticipate hazardous and unsafe conditions. The FLNG unit S1 can fulfill the position. Compliance with OSHA regulations such as forklift operations and certification of operators. Responsible for LSA security ensuring no disruption of workflow or throughput or loss from theft or accident.
- 10. Obtain a briefing from the Logistics Unit Chief and the LSA Manager.
- 11. Participate in planning meetings.
- 12. Identify and correct hazardous situation associated with the LSA and with personnel and equipment assigned to carry out specific disaster relief missions.
- 13. Review the incident action plan for safety implications.
- 14. Attempt to provide an accident free environment. Ensure investigations are conducted on accidents that have occurred within the LSA.
- 15. Prepare the Medical Plan for the LSA. (LSA Form 2310-15/ICS Form 206 Medical Plan)
- 16. A safety officer will be assigned at all times at all LSA locations.
- 17. Coordinates and facilitates safety and security with staff, vendors and law enforcement.
- 18. Facility security and safety established by training equipment operators and staff in equipment operations, lifting techniques, and basic health signs.

#### LSA safety covers the following basics:

#### General:

- Immediately alert the supervisor and Safety Officer in the event of injury, accident or incident.
- Write and file an incident report with the LSA Manager for every injury.
- Contact appropriate healthcare personnel for treatment and determination of fitness to return to work.
- No smoking or drinking alcoholic beverages are permitted in any of the LSA operating areas to minimize accident, incident or fire.

Forklifts: Safety Officer should train or designate a trainer who works drivers through qualification.

- Forks remain close to floor when moving.
- Honk horn when entering cross aisles and main alley.
- Move forklifts only in the direction you are looking.
- Do not move a forklift into the sorting area.
- No passengers are allowed to ride the forklifts.
- Do not drive the forklift when someone is talking to you.
- When the forklift is stopped and not in use it should be in neutral with hand park lever set.
- Appropriate Caution Forklift and No Forklift caution signs should be posted.
- Forklift drivers should be trained in the safety rules, equipment operation and licensed as qualified operators.
- They should also have designated rest times to minimize accidents.

#### Office Area:

- Proper lifting techniques taught.
- Proper equipment and file security taught.

#### Shipping & Receiving:

- Supplies and Equipment are properly stacked when received or shipped.
- Traveled floor area is kept clear of trash, pallets, liquids or other spills.
- Ensure orderly staging of supplies and equipment for shipment.

#### Warehouse LSA storage/staging area:

	Appropriate lifting techniques taught.	
	<ul> <li>All pallet stacks should not lean.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Pallet stacks should be aligned appropriately by row and block for easy location and movement to shipping.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>All aisles should be kept clear of trash, pallets, liquids and other spills.</li> </ul>	
	All goods kept on pallets and not stacked on the floor.	
Safety concern	Safety concern resolution:	
	<ul> <li>All safety concerns should be brought to the attention of the Supervisor first for resolution.</li> </ul>	
	If safety concerns are unresolved alert the Safety Officer for resolution.	
	If unresolved, alert the LSA Manager for resolution.	
	Prepare the Medical Plan for the LSA.(LSA Form 2310-15/ICS Form 206 Medical Plan)	

HURRICANE CHECKLIST		
Hurricane Time Line Logistics Staging Area Operations		
Pre-Landfall	<ul> <li>Phase I</li> <li>Make preparations to activate Logistics Staging Area in the SEOC.</li> <li>Insure Logistics vehicles are current on maintenance and prepared for deployment.</li> <li>Identify LSA equipment to be deployed.</li> <li>Pack LSA Jump Boxes</li> <li>Fuel Vehicles</li> <li>Prepare personal equipment for deployment.</li> </ul>	
	Phase II  Review LSA Procedures  Assess the situation.  Determine assets to deploy including military.  Team  ✓ LSA Manager  ✓ FLNG OIC lead Support Agency  ✓ Aviation  ✓ Logistics  ✓ Operations  ✓ and others as required  Notify Vendors of support requirements.  Standby one LSA Support Package from Garner Environmental.  Notify NG of LSA support requirements  Determine Vehicle, generator, and troops.  Determine Troop and TF support requirements.  Determine LSA Staff  Finalize LSA Equipment to deploy  Determine aviation missions to support LSA RECON.  Select RRT to support LSA and notify.	
	<ul> <li>Monitor the Situation.</li> <li>Phase III</li> <li>Activate FLNG Command &amp; Control Cell C2 or Lead Support Agency.</li> <li>Operations include support equipment.</li> </ul>	
Post Landfall (0-24 hours)	<ul> <li>Evaluate resource needs next operational period</li> <li>Determine LSA site</li> <li>Decision to open LSA</li> <li>Activate NG LSA support troops</li> <li>When safe RECON proposed LSA site</li> <li>Determine LSA repairs to be accomplished.</li> <li>Deploy quartering party /ADVON to LSA.</li> <li>Determine POC's for local staging and distribution site.</li> <li>Monitor the Situation</li> </ul>	
(24-48 Hours)	Phase I  Evaluate resource needs next operational period  Establish the LSA  Move resources to the LSA  Monitor the Situation  Phase II	
	<ul> <li>Deploy personnel and equipment to the LSA.</li> <li>Activate the LSA</li> <li>Begin LSA operations</li> <li>Transfer resource request activity to the LSA</li> </ul>	

	<ul> <li>Mission assignments begin.</li> <li>Resource tracking.</li> <li>Situation Reporting.</li> </ul>
(48-72 Hours)	<ul> <li>Fulfill resource requirements.</li> <li>Evaluate resource needs next operational period</li> <li>Monitor the Situation</li> </ul>
(72 Hours +)	<ul> <li>Fulfill resource requirements.</li> <li>Evaluate resource needs next operational period</li> <li>Re-supply the LSA</li> <li>Assess resource requirements</li> <li>Monitor the Situation</li> </ul>
Post Landfall through Demobilization	<ul> <li>Continue to assess resource requirements</li> <li>Fulfill resource requirements.</li> <li>Evaluate resource needs next operational period</li> <li>Re-supply the LSA</li> <li>Monitor the Situation</li> <li>Prepare for demobilization.</li> </ul>
Demobilization	<ul><li>Areas of Operations</li><li>LSA</li><li>SEOC</li></ul>

DEMOBILIZATION CHECKLIST	
	Responsibilities: Demobilization Initiated
■ No	eceive notification from FDEM of need to demobilize LSA operations by date and time. otify all agencies supporting the LSA of need to demobilize operations.
■ No	otify SEOC's, and vendors of demobilization and to stop shipment.  otify incoming shipments of any need to change ship point prior to demobilization.
■ De ■ De cc ■ No	obilization Planning: evelop transfer plans for all goods, inventory and support systems. evelop plans for re-packing state equipment and goods for transfer back to FDEM control. otify vendors of demobilization date and time for pick up of vendor supplied non- expendable equipment.
■ Sta	age supplies for shipping to distribution sites, VOLAGs and other active agencies. age materials and state provided resources and support systems for pick up. age vendor provided resources and support systems for pick up. Redistribute Supplies
■ In	ribute Supplies: coordination with ESF11 and other active ESF's in the LSA redistribute remaining pplies to distribution sites, VOLAGs, Federal agencies, state or other active agencies.
■ In ma	ribute Materials: coordination with ESF11 and other active ESF's in the LSA redistribute remaining aterials to distribution sites, VOLAGs, Federal agencies, state or other active agencies. ecycle pallets
	DISMANTLE THE LSA
ce ■ Ide	perations:  otify SEOC and local EOC's that shipping to distribution sites will be ending as of a rtain date and time.  entify locations of Logistics Support trailer equipment.  ecover all equipment belonging to the logistics support trailer.
Dis	Equipment: smantle all equipment, especially office systems, and support equipment. epare forklifts and pallet jacks for pickup and loading. ecover all unused equipment and properly store it in the logistics support trailer.
3. Decon ■ De	taminate Equipment: econtaminate any equipment that has been used in flooded areas such as pumps and bees used to pump out flooded areas.
= Inv	ory Equipment: ventory all office equipment and systems versus initial receipts. ventory all forklifts, pallet jacks and other floor operation equipment for pickup. ventory Logistic support trailer equipment.

5. Transport Ready:	
<ul> <li>Contact vendors and provide pickup date and time for remaining equipment and</li> </ul>	
systems.	
<ul> <li>Contact state resources to pick up all equipment and support systems.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Ensure transport available for any remaining resources.</li> </ul>	
6. Load Equipment:	
<ul> <li>Work with SEOC, EOC's, and vendor's to load last equipment and support systems.</li> </ul>	
7. Clean Site:	
<ul> <li>Perform final site cleaning for transfer back to local or vendor control.</li> </ul>	
8. Site Inspection:	
<ul> <li>Perform site inspection to determine readiness for return.</li> </ul>	
9. Return Site:	
<ul> <li>Return site to local control.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Arrange to disconnect hard lines.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Notify SEOC that control has been returned.</li> </ul>	
Close Out Operations / Records	
1. Release Staff:	
<ul> <li>Ensure staff is properly rested prior to departing for home station.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Have staff turn in all issued safety equipment, signage, and other LSA/FDEM Equipment</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Notify agencies and SEOC.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Release LSA management from duties.</li> </ul>	
2. Notify Division of Emergency Management:	
<ul> <li>Notify state and local EOC's that all LSA operations are discontinued and demobilization</li> </ul>	
is complete.	
3. Return Records:	
<ul> <li>Send all shipping, receiving and truck logs plus copies of all electronic media and</li> </ul>	
records back to the Logistics Unit at the SEOC.	
<ul> <li>Send copies of all bills, receipt of equipment, shipping reports, etc back to Logistics</li> </ul>	
Section at the SEOC.	
4. End Deployment:	
<ul><li>Everyone go home for much needed rest.</li></ul>	

#### LOAD MASTER CHECKLIST

Obtain a briefing form the Warehouse Unit Leader

Ensure the proper posting of loading and unloading areas both air and ground.

Manifest and load personnel and cargo; supervise loading and unloading crews.

Ensure slingload equipment is safe.

#### Responsibilities:

General: To supervise the transfer of goods from floor stock to transport vehicle as a member and leader of the Warehouse Officer's team.

- 1. Oversees the forklift and/or hand truck or pallet jack operators for loading operations.
- 2. Receives Mission from the Shipping Officer for staging (loading).
- 3. Assigns a staging area and loading dock/door number for each customer order.
- 4. Has the stock moved by the Loading Operators to the appropriate staging area on the shipping dock.
- 5. Checks off mission order numbers as they are staged.
- 6. Has the mission order signed:
  - By the customer if the load is picked up by the customer.
  - Gives the Delivery Driver the mission order to be signed by the customer on delivery and returned to the LSA
- 7. Informs the Shipping Officer of date, time and customer order shipped out or delivered.
- 8. Returns the signed customer order to the Shipping Officer when received for filling.