Community Emergency Response Team

LAMORINDA COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

Rapid Needs Assessment

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Rapid Needs Assessment Form

The ability of local governments to perform a Rapid Needs Assessment accurately and within the first few hours after an incident or emergency is critical to providing a response designed to save lives and support life sustaining actions.

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RAPID NEEDS ASSESSMENT

DATE:	PERSON REPORTING:	CONTACT #:	☐ LAW ☐ CERT ☐ HOA ☐ FIRE ☐ RADIO ☐ VOL
TIME REPORTED:	PERSON RECEIVING:	CONTACT #:	PAGE # OF

REPORTING AREA	DWELLING UNITS SF / MF # / NH	FIRE ✓ BURNING	FIRE ✓ OUT	HAZARDS S / O / L GAS	HAZARDS S / O / L WATER	HAZARDS S / O / L ELECTRIC	HAZARDS S / O / L CHEMICAL	STRUCTURES ✓ HABITABLE	STRUCTURES ✓ AFFECTED	STRUCTURES ✓ MINOR DAMAGE	STRUCTURES ✓ MAJOR DAMAGE	STRUCTURES ✓ DESTROYED	STRUCTURES ✓ INACCESSIBLE	# OF PEOPLE SERIOUSLY INJURED	# OF PEOPLE LIFE THREATENING	# OF PEOPLE DECEASED	# OF PEOPLE TRAPPED	# OF PEOPLE NEED SHELTER	C B D ROAD ACCESS	In COMMENTS add any special notes. Medical needs like Oxygen, bedridden. Any building 3 stories or greater. Animal concerns, dog, snake, etc. Suspicious behavior. Any RESOURCES available.
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Summary of all hazards in area - fill out this form on your way to Command Post and give it to incident Command OR call it into the ICP or EOC.
For **structure** damage: **Habitable** can include some damage; **Affected** = books off shelves; **Minor** = <30 days to repair; **Major** = >30 days to repair; **Destroyed** if off foundation, pancaked
Hazards – **S**ervice; **O**ff; **L**eak, spill or wire down **Road Access** – **C**lear; **B**locked (tree or rubble); **D**amaged (washout or cave-in)
 # OF PEOPLE – **Seriously Injured** (Triage: Yellow) Broken bones or controlled bleeding; **Life Threatening** (Triage: Red) Will not survive without immediate care;
Trapped Total number of people trapped, regardless of injuries

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- Record everything on the RNA form
- Call in by radio only life-threatening emergencies
- Whe reporting:
  - State nature of emergency: Victim bleeding, trapped in bedroom, etc.
  - State location: 623 Country Club Dr., Moraga
  - State safety issues: Building has Major damage

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- If no address, state longitude and latitude from your cell phone compass app:
  - SAY: Location is: Lat-Long 37 decimal 866342 minus 122 decimal 105747 *OR*
  - SAY: Location is: Lat-Long 37 degrees 51 minutes 59 seconds North 122 degrees 6 minutes 21 seconds West *OR*
  - SAY: Victim is: 30 yards northwest of Lat-Long 3…

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Questions ?



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