

Missouri Department of Transportation

Code: R04140

Title: Emergency Management Liaison

Exemption Status: Exempt

Grade: 13

Job Description

Effective Date	07-01-2022
Replaces (Effective Date)	11-01-2016
General Summary	Oversees the department's emergency management program and radio and emergency communications systems.
Minimum/Required Qualifications	Bachelor's Degree: Civil Engineering, Emergency Management, Homeland Security, Fire Science, Law Enforcement Administration, or related. Nine years of experience in emergency management, fire prevention, law enforcement, communications systems, or related.
Supervisory Responsibilities	Full Supervision
Location	Central Office - Maintenance Division
Special Working Conditions/Job Characteristics	Job requires occasional, statewide or out-of-state, overnight travel.

Examples of Work

- (1) Supports and oversees the department's radio communications and emergency communications systems, including budget management and related decision making.
- (2) Serves as an emergency management liaison with districts, divisions, state and federal agencies, other states, and local partners.
- (3) Directs Central Office Emergency Operations Center (CO EOC) including standard operating procedures, training, and coordination among incident management personnel.
- (4) Monitors transportation and infrastructure emergency management issues, including security, medical, and weather-related issues.
- (5) Oversees monthly emergency communications testing, including radio systems and satellite communications; corrects issues identified during testing and development of monthly summaries and maintenance of standard operating procedures.
- (6) Ensures communications systems equipment and processes are maintained, including contract oversight funding support, Federal Communications Commission licensing, and other related processes.
- (7) Represents the department on state, federal, and industry committees and teams to share best practices, and coordinate emergency activities and resource allocation.

- (8) Plans and coordinates disaster exercises to ensure the department is prepared for emergency incidents.
- (9) Supports Federal Emergency Management Agency and Federal Highway Administration relief funding projects and reimbursements relating to past declared disasters.
- (10) Researches, selects, trains, and supports use of specialized emergency communications equipment, including communications trailers, deployable systems, and CO EOC communications systems.
- (11) Develops, maintains, and delivers communications training; develops department communications standard operating procedures.
- (12) Maintains department measures tracking emergency management and communications activities.
- (13) Performs supervisory responsibilities in a manner consistent with the department's Affirmative Action program.
- (14) Performs other responsibilities as required or assigned.

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