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Emergency Manager's Weekly Report

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“Emergency Management - spanning the gap between 'it won't happen to me' and we're all going to die!”

Author Unknown



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Introduction and Contributions

Introduction

The Emergency Manager's Weekly Report started back in 2000 as a simple e-mail message to share news and resources with a select group of colleagues. Since then it has grown significantly and shares news and resources with emergency management professionals from around the world.

The Weekly Reports social media presence includes the following:

- Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Emergency-Managers-Weekly-Report/110533579036082>
- LinkedIn: http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Emergency-Managers-Weekly-Report-3833131?mostPopular=&gid=3833131&goback=%2Egmp_3833131%2Egde_3833131_member_47547619
- Twitter: [@steveorange2003](https://twitter.com/steveorange2003)

Feel free to like, join and follow these pages because I regularly share news and information through them daily.

Steve Detwiler
EM Weekly Report Creator

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Contributions

The following individuals or groups contribute to the Emergency Manager's Weekly Report.

- International Association of Emergency Managers
- National Emergency Management Association
- Florida Emergency Preparedness Association
- Emergency Management Institute, Higher Education Program
- Montgomery County, PA Department of Public Safety
- Natural Hazards Center
- U.S. Department of Homeland Security
- Interagency Coordinating Council on Emergency Preparedness and Individuals with Disabilities
- EAD & Associates, LLC
- Emergency Information Infrastructure Project
- U.S. Access Board
- Florida Division of Emergency Management
- Dave Freeman
- Gregory Banner
- Arthur Rabjohn
- Martha Braddock
- Ed Kostiuk
- Kenny Shaw
- Dean Larson
- Chris Floyd
- CNN
- MSNBC
- Associated Press
- Reuters
- USAToday
- Time
- Drudge Report
- Central Florida News 13
- Orlando Sentinel
- LA Times
- Government Executive
- BBC
- Homeland 1
- Federal Computer Weekly
- Firehouse Magazine
- Emergency Management Magazine
- Homeland Security Today
- ReliefWeb
- Big Medicine
- IRIN
- Homeland Security Today
- Washington Post
- NY Times
- Yahoo News
- Big Medicine
- Emergency Management Daily
- PreventionWeb

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Executive Summary

This section of the EM Weekly Report will contain news articles, reports and resources that are of particular interest to emergency management professionals:

Mayor Lee Announces Patrick Otellini as Director of Earthquake Safety (California)
<http://www.sfmayor.org/index.aspx?recordid=135&page=846>

NOAA centralizes disaster planning, response expertise in Gulf region at new facility
http://www.noaanews.noaa.gov/stories2012/20121015_newgulfcenter.html

Proposed museum would teach preparedness through simulation (Utah)
http://www.ksl.com/?sid=22610763&nid=148&s_cid=rss-extlink

2012 Women in Homeland Security and Emergency Management Hall of Fame Nominees
<http://inwem.org/wp/official-list-of-the-2012-hall-of-fame-nominees/>

Be ready for wildfires with the new official Red Cross wildfire app on your iPhone or Android device
http://nmfireinfo.com/2012/10/24/be-ready-for-wildfires-with-the-new-official-red-cross-wildfire-app-on-your-iphone-or-android-device/?utm_source=dlvr.it&utm_medium=facebook

Funding Cuts Threaten Public Health Preparedness
<http://www.emergencymgmt.com/health/Funding-Cuts-Threaten-Public-Health.html>

Off-Site Facility to Aid Emergency Response at Nuclear Power Station (Ohio)
<http://www.emergencymgmt.com/disaster/Off-Site-Facility-Emergency-Response-Nuclear-Power-Station.html>

Hurricane victim — from 2004 — finally returns home (Florida)
<http://www.orlandosentinel.com/business/os-hurricane-victim-returns-20121024,0,5359152.story>

Bangladeshi dad on son's arrest: 'We couldn't believe our ears'
http://www.cnn.com/2012/10/18/justice/new-york-federal-reserve-suspect/index.html?hpt=hp_t3

New cyber attacks on U.S. banks; Iran suspected
http://security.blogs.cnn.com/2012/10/18/new-cyber-attacks-on-u-s-banks-iran-suspected/?hpt=hp_t3

CIA seeks to expand drone fleet, officials say
http://www.washingtonpost.com/world/national-security/cia-seeks-to-expand-drone-fleet-officials-say/2012/10/18/01149a8c-1949-11e2-bd10-5ff056538b7c_story.html?hpid=z1

Bay Area Law Enforcement Agencies Test Drones (California)

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<http://www.nbcbayarea.com/news/local/Bay-Area-Law-Enforcement-Agencies-Test-Drones-173415551.html>

U.S. reviewing guidelines for use of force by border agencies

<http://www.latimes.com/news/local/la-me-border-patrol-20121018,0,6867484.story>

The Threat Is Real and Must Be Stopped

<http://www.nytimes.com/roomfordebate/2012/10/17/should-industry-face-more-cybersecurity-mandates/the-cyber-threat-is-real-and-must-be-stopped-by-business-and-government>

No evidence found of Al Qaeda role in Libya attack

<http://www.orlandosentinel.com/la-fg-libya-attack-20121020,0,7186833.story>

Is this al Qaeda's 'last chance' for a country?

http://www.cnn.com/2012/07/26/world/africa/mali-burnett-al-qaeda/index.html?hpt=hp_t3

Navy's Top Geek Says Laser Arsenal Is Just Two Years Away

<http://www.wired.com/dangerroom/2012/10/lasers/>

Terrorist sentenced to 37 years for plotting to bomb Los Angeles airport around new millennium

http://www.washingtonpost.com/national/algerian-terrorist-ahmed-ressam-being-sentenced-for-3rd-time-in-millennium-bomb-plot-in-la/2012/10/24/a1808cc0-1dad-11e2-8817-41b9a7aaabc7_story.html?hpid=z4

Terrorism charges filed in Family Research Council shooting (District of Columbia)

<http://www.latimes.com/news/nation/nationnow/la-na-nn-terrorism-family-research-council-shooting-20121024,0,2635584.story>

New Data Reveals Al Qaeda Affiliates Among Most Active Terrorist Groups

<http://www.hstoday.us/industry-news/general/single-article/new-data-reveals-al-qaeda-affiliates-among-most-active-terrorist-groups/31b24dbaea49ee91824a32dd8d889f9b.html>

Florida College Campus Holds Its First Full-Scale Exercise

<http://www.emergencymgmt.com/disaster/Florida-College-Full-Scale-Exercise.html>

Earthquake Preparation Tips for Angelenos with Disabilities (California)

<http://www.nbclosangeles.com/news/local/Earthquake-Safety-Preparedness-Kit-Wheelchair-Bound-Disabilities-174516861.html>

Paraplegic man stranded without wheelchair survives 3 days in New Mexico desert

<http://www.nydailynews.com/news/national/paraplegic-survives-3-days-stranded-desert-article-1.1190903>

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Deadly meningitis outbreak puts researchers in new territory

http://www.washingtonpost.com/national/health-science/fungi-are-strange-and-dreaded-causes-of-human-disease/2012/10/20/ba8160fe-1aca-11e2-aa6f-3b636fecb829_story.html?hpid=z5

US DOT awards States and Communities \$45 Million in Pipeline Safety Grants

http://phmsa.dot.gov/staticfiles/PHMSA/DownloadableFiles/Files/Press%20Release%20Files/USDOT_Awards_45million_Pipeline_Grants.pdf

California could be in for a drought

<http://www.sfgate.com/science/article/California-could-be-in-for-a-drought-3946912.php#ixzz29iYHniJW>

Could a Hurricane Ever Strike Southern California?

<http://www.jpl.nasa.gov/news/news.php?release=2012-329>

Experts sound alarm on Hurricane Sandy, likely to be worse than 1991 "Perfect Storm"

http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/capital-weather-gang/post/experts-sound-alarm-on-hurricane-sandy-drawing-comparisons-to-2001-perfect-storm/2012/10/25/f25a81fc-1ed7-11e2-9cd5-b55c38388962_blog.html?hpid=z1

Hawaii Volcano's Lava Lake Threatens to Overflow

<http://news.discovery.com/earth/kilauea-lava-lake-threatens-to-spill-121024.html>

Authorities investigate spate of roadway shootings in Michigan

http://www.cnn.com/2012/10/20/justice/michigan-shootings/index.html?hpt=hp_t3

Proposed New Jersey Bill Would Put All EMS under State Control

<http://www.jems.com/article/news/proposed-new-jersey-bill-would-put-all-e>

Watch Darpa's Rescue Robot Jump, Climb and Dodge Obstacles

<http://www.wired.com/dangerroom/2012/10/darpa-rescue-robot/>

Orange Mayor Jacobs picks new fire chief from El Paso (Florida)

http://blogs.orlandosentinel.com/news_politics/2012/10/orange-mayor-jacobs-picks-new-fire-chief-from-el-paso.html

U.S. steps up support of Turkey amid Syrian conflict

http://www.washingtonpost.com/world/national-security/2012/10/19/98b4f104-1a1e-11e2-b235-9cd54b35db6f_story.html?hpid=z1

Syria government 'agrees to Eid al-Adha ceasefire'

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-middle-east-20066613>

East China Sea tension: China conducts naval exercises

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-asia-china-19997928>

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Twitter blocks neo-Nazi group Better Hannover in Germany

<http://www.latimes.com/news/nationworld/world/la-fg-germany-twitter-20121019,0,5617870.story>

Mobile phone app could help disaster preparedness (Philippines)

<http://reliefweb.int/report/philippines/mobile-phone-app-could-help-disaster-preparedness>

Under fire over Congo rebels, Rwanda wins Security Council seat

<http://www.trust.org/alertnet/news/under-fire-over-congo-rebels-rwanda-wins-security-council-seat/>

Israel swaps missile drills for earthquake rehearsal

<http://www.trust.org/alertnet/news/israel-swaps-missile-drills-for-earthquake-rehearsal/>

Disability Inclusive DRR Network: People with disabilities should have voice in disaster prevention

<http://www.trust.org/alertnet/news/disability-inclusive-drr-network-people-with-disabilities-should-have-voice-in-disaster-prevention/>

Jordan foils major terror plot, officials say

http://www.cnn.com/2012/10/21/world/meast/jordan-terror-plot-foiled/index.html?hpt=hp_t3

Coming soon, sirens to warn you of disasters (India)

<http://in.news.yahoo.com/coming-soon-sirens-warn-disasters-183000285.html>

Abu Dhabi donates \$30m for cyclone shelters (Australia)

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2011-05-09/abu-dhabi-donates-30m-for-cyclone-shelters/2713490>

UN peacekeeping chief stresses need for flexibility as missions face new challenges

<http://reliefweb.int/report/world/un-peacekeeping-chief-stresses-need-flexibility-missions-face-new-challenges>

Cybersecurity Focus Shifting To Globalization And Chain Of Trust

<http://www.hstoday.us/industry-news/general/single-article/cybersecurity-focus-shifting-to-globalization-and-chain-of-trust/8c69ac8ca114ac31b6a551a20cc18cba.html>

Haiti honours Maria Bello for her women's advocacy following 2010 earthquake

<http://news.yahoo.com/haiti-honours-maria-bello-her-womens-advocacy-following-201554300.html>

Emergency planning 'lacks funds' (Australia)

http://www.perthnow.com.au/news/breaking-news/emergency-planning-lacks-funds/story-e6frg13c-1226501116259?from=public_rss

Ready for Sandy (Jamaica)

http://www.jamaicaobserver.com/news/Ready-for-Sandy_12827687

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Internal displacement remains one of world's biggest human rights challenges – UN expert

<http://reliefweb.int/report/world/internal-displacement-remains-one-world%E2%80%99s-biggest-human-rights-challenges-%E2%80%93-un-expert>

Sahel: How effective was the food crisis response?

<http://reliefweb.int/report/niger/sahel-how-effective-was-food-crisis-response>

Israel and Hamas 'negotiate unofficial truce' in Gaza

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-middle-east-20077408>

Three Ugandans die in Marburg virus outbreak

<http://www.trust.org/alertnet/news/refile-three-ugandans-die-in-marburg-virus-outbreak/>

Can We Escape the Million-Death Earthquake?

<http://www.popularmechanics.com/science/environment/natural-disasters/can-we-escape-the-million-death-earthquake-13780229>

L'Aquila quake: Italy scientists guilty of manslaughter (Italy)

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-europe-20025626>

Italy disaster head Luciano Maiani quits over L'Aquila

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-europe-20039769>

The Dubrovka Theater Siege in Moscow, a Decade Later (Russia)

http://www.theatlantic.com/international/archive/2012/10/a-decade-later-dubrovka-siege-families-wait-for-justice/263931/?utm_source=pulsenews

Charity Producing Chlorine Around The Clock to Help Avert Cholera Outbreak (Haiti)

<http://reliefweb.int/report/haiti/operation-blessing-prepares-tropical-storm-sandy-hit-haiti>

Palestinians in West Bank head to the polls, complain about lack of competition

http://www.washingtonpost.com/world/palestinians-heading-to-the-polls-complain-about-lack-of-competition/2012/10/18/26fdd396-194c-11e2-aa6f-3b636fecb829_story.html?hpid=z3

Diplomacy inbox fills up as U.N. awaits U.S. presidential vote

<http://www.reuters.com/article/2012/10/18/us-usa-campaign-unitednations-idUSBRE89H1NI20121018>

At Security Council, UN political chief urges renewed focus on overcoming Israeli-Palestinian stalemate

<http://www.un.org/apps/news/story.asp?NewsID=43291&Cr=palestin&Cr1=#.UHW2W2A8I8>

African Union ends Mali suspension over military coup

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-africa-20075563>

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NOAA announces \$4.9 million for collaborative research projects to help coastal communities manage effects of climate change
http://www.noaanews.noaa.gov/stories2012/20121019_climatechangegrant.html

Fiji: Evidence of climate change
<http://www.preventionweb.net/english/professional/news/v.php?id=29319&pid:50>

Geothermal test under way at Newberry Volcano (California)
<http://www.vcstar.com/news/2012/oct/18/geothermal-test-under-way-at-newberry-volcano/>

CAN ANDREA ROSSI'S INFINITE-ENERGY BLACK BOX POWER THE WORLD--OR JUST SCAM IT?
<http://www.popsci.com/science/article/2012-10/andrea-rossis-black-box>

Nuclear Nonproliferation: Additional Actions Needed to Improve Security of Radiological Sources at U.S. Medical Facilities
<http://www.gao.gov/products/GAO-12-925>

2012 Asia-Pacific Disaster Report
<http://www.unisdr.org/we/inform/publications/29288>

How Influenza Pandemics Occur- Video
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=m-ch-fea&v=DdFCx8jbesQ>

October is More than a Month about Earthquakes...It's about Cyber Security, too
<http://em4sf.wordpress.com/2012/10/19/october-is-more-than-a-month-about-earthquakes-its-about-cyber-security-too/>

University of Washington Emergency Management, October 2012 Newsletter
http://www.washington.edu/emergency/files/documents/UWEM_Newsletter_October_2012.pdf

World: Humanitarian and Country Icons 2012
<http://reliefweb.int/map/world/world-humanitarian-and-country-icons-2012>

American Red Cross, Weather and Hazard Center
https://maps.redcross.org/website/Weather/ARC_Weather.html

COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT SERVICE ANIMALS IN PLACES OF BUSINESS
<http://www.ada.gov/archive/animal.htm>

Haiti Media and Telecoms Landscape Guide October 2012
<http://reliefweb.int/report/haiti/haiti-media-and-telecoms-landscape-guide-october-2012>

Stop. Think. Connect Website
<http://www.dhs.gov/stopthinkconnect>

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State of Hawaii, Disability & Communication Access Board Emergency Preparedness Newsletter
<http://archive.constantcontact.com/fs032/1102296469145/archive/1111003035037.html>

Bay Aid Franklin Website (Florida)
http://www.franklinpromisecoalition.org/index.cfm/m/2/Bay_Aid/

Outdoor Warning System Survey
https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/outdoor_warning_system_survey

Positive Paramedic Project
<http://bigmedicine.ca/wordpress/tag/the-positive-paramedic-project/>

Tufts University, M.A. in Humanitarian Assistance
<http://sites.tufts.edu/feinstein/education/maha>

Global emergency overview Snapshot - 15 to 22 October
<http://reliefweb.int/report/world/global-emergency-overview-snapshot-15-22-october>

Keystone Emergency Management Association Fall 2012 Newsletter
<http://kema-pa.org/images/documents/KEMAFall2012Newsletter.pdf>

BCLC Blog, the Future of Cities – My Reflections on Meeting of the Minds 2012
<http://bclc.uschamber.com/blog/2012-10-19/future-cities-%E2%80%93-my-reflections-meeting-minds-2012>

Los Angeles County Fire Department Strategic Plan (California)
http://fire.lacounty.gov/PDFs/LACFD_Strategic%20Plan_2012_web.pdf

CDC, Behind the Scenes: Emergency Operations Center- Video
<http://www.cdc.gov/CDCTV/BehindTheScenes/>

Facebook Pages

Several new pages have been added as “Likes” on the EM Weekly Report’s Facebook page (<http://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/Emergency-Managers-Weekly-Report/110533579036082>). They include:

- Kwantlen Office of Emergency Planning (Canada)
- Chelan County Emergency Management (Washington)
- Daviess County Emergency Management Agency (Kentucky)
- Kentucky Emergency Management Training Branch
- Baltimore City Mayor's Office of Emergency Management (Maryland)
- County of Sutter Office of Emergency Management (California)
- Seymour Johnson AFB Office of Emergency Management (North Carolina)
- Carroll County (Indiana) Emergency Management
- Ventura County Sheriff's Office (California)
- Los Angeles County Office of Emergency Management (California)
- International Association of Emergency Managers

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- IAEM MCNY
- Delmar Fire Department (Delaware)
- Montgomery County (MD) Fire & Rescue
- Kentucky Emergency Management Association
- National Association of Counties
- National Association of County and City Health Officials
- South Carolina Emergency Management Association
- Prince George's County Office of Homeland Security (Maryland)
- Anne Arundel County OEM (Maryland)
- Florida Association of Volunteer Resource Management

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U.S. News Reports

Emergency Management

L.A. gets a jolt for safety in quake drill (California)

<http://www.latimes.com/news/local/la-me-earthquake-shakeout-20121019,0,1133728.story>

Mayor Lee Announces Patrick Otellini as Director of Earthquake Safety (California)

<http://www.sfmayor.org/index.aspx?recordid=135&page=846>

Company Sells Post-Apocalypse Survival Shelters

<http://news.yahoo.com/blogs/trending-now/company-sells-post-apocalypse-survival-shelters-175818449.html>

NOAA centralizes disaster planning, response expertise in Gulf region at new facility

http://www.noaanews.noaa.gov/stories2012/20121015_newgulfcenter.html

Obama, feds, approve Scott's 2nd try for Hurricane Isaac assistance (Florida)

<http://www.tampabay.com/blogs/the-buzz-florida-politics/content/obama-feds-approve-scotts-2nd-try-hurricane-isaac-assistance>

Proposed museum would teach preparedness through simulation (Utah)

http://www.ksl.com/?sid=22610763&nid=148&s_cid=rss-extlink

Radiological emergencies not just about Yankee (Vermont)

http://www.reformer.com/ci_21815406/radiological-emergencies-not-just-about-yankee?source=rss_viewed

2012 Women in Homeland Security and Emergency Management Hall of Fame Nominees

<http://inwem.org/wp/official-list-of-the-2012-hall-of-fame-nominees/>

Be ready for wildfires with the new official Red Cross wildfire app on your iPhone or Android device

http://nmfireinfo.com/2012/10/24/be-ready-for-wildfires-with-the-new-official-red-cross-wildfire-app-on-your-iphone-or-android-device/?utm_source=dlvr.it&utm_medium=facebook

Emergency management funding -- then and now (Vermont)

http://www.reformer.com/ci_21799373/emergency-management-funding-then-and-now?source=rss_viewed

PEMA breaks ground on expanded operations center (Rhode Island)

<http://pbn.com/PEMA-breaks-ground-on-expanded-operations-center.83815>

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International Association of Emergency Managers Names Capella University PhD Student as Student of the Year
http://finance.yahoo.com/news/international-association-emergency-managers-names-195600168.html;_ylt=A2KJjamqg4hQn0oAE5rQtDMD

Security, emergency department faulted for vacancies (West Virginia)
<http://dailymail.com/News/statehouse/201210090062>

Zombies deliver preparedness message (Kansas)
<http://cjonline.com/news/2012-10-20/zombies-deliver-preparedness-message>

Funding Cuts Threaten Public Health Preparedness
<http://www.emergencymgmt.com/health/Funding-Cuts-Threaten-Public-Health.html>

Off-Site Facility to Aid Emergency Response at Nuclear Power Station (Ohio)
<http://www.emergencymgmt.com/disaster/Off-Site-Facility-Emergency-Response-Nuclear-Power-Station.html>

Hurricane victim — from 2004 — finally returns home (Florida)
<http://www.orlandosentinel.com/business/os-hurricane-victim-returns-20121024,0,5359152.story>

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Homeland Security, Defense and National Security

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FireScience.gov, Regional Consortia: Connect to Local Experts

The Regional Consortia are local experts that help you get connected with other managers, practitioners and scientists working in your area. They not only provide the best fire information for your area, they demonstrate new knowledge in the field and much more. Click on your area... get connected!

http://www.firescience.gov/JFSP_consortia.cfm

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- Daviess County Emergency Management Agency (Kentucky)
- Kentucky Emergency Management Training Branch
- Baltimore City Mayor's Office of Emergency Management (Maryland)
- County of Sutter Office of Emergency Management (California)
- Seymour Johnson AFB Office of Emergency Management (North Carolina)
- Carroll County (Indiana) Emergency Management
- Ventura County Sheriff's Office (California)
- Los Angeles County Office of Emergency Management (California)
- International Association of Emergency Managers
- IAEM MCNY
- Delmar Fire Department (Delaware)
- Montgomery County (MD) Fire & Rescue
- Kentucky Emergency Management Association
- National Association of Counties
- National Association of County and City Health Officials
- South Carolina Emergency Management Association
- Prince George's County Office of Homeland Security (Maryland)
- Anne Arundel County OEM (Maryland)
- Florida Association of Volunteer Resource Management

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