



CAPCOG Public Safety Workshop (3 hours) | Agenda

1:30-4:30 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 9, 2015

Crowne Plaza Austin

6121 North IH 35

Austin, TX 78752

I. Welcome and opening (5 minutes)

The welcome and opening will provide an overview of the course, introduce the presenters, and explain what CAPCOG is.

II. Regional Homeland Security and Emergency Management Planning (1 hour)

Ed Schaefer, CAPCOG Homeland Security director, will discuss the following topics:

1. An elected official's role during a disaster
2. Using and the benefits of emergency management tools
 - Emergency Notification System
 - WebECO (Web-based Emergency Operations Command)
 - Debris Management planning
 - Mass Fatality planning

(10 minute break if needed)

II. Emergency Communications (1 hour)

Gregg Obuch, CAPCOG emergency communications director, and Ed Schaefer, CAPCOG Homeland Security director, will discuss the following topics:

1. 9-1-1, Texting to 9-1-1 and digital information exchange
2. Radio Interoperability for first responders

(10 minute break if needed)

III. Law Enforcement for local governments (1 hour)

Mike Jennings, CAPCOG Regional Law Enforcement Academy director, will discuss the following topics:

1. The importance and benefits of providing continuing education and continual training to law enforcement officers
2. How to keep good officers and the benefits of having tenured officers
3. Budgeting for law enforcement departments and continuing education

Total workshop hours: 3