

ALLIANCE FOR RESPONSE LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

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Be a Survivor, Don't Be an Island



Opportunities to Connect...

- Local Emergency Planning Committees (LEPCs)
- Emergency Management Director Training
- Citizen's Corp/CivilianEmergency Response Team(CERT) Training
- Annual State Emergency Preparedness Conference
- State Support Function 11 Workshops
- Town Meetings
- Continuity of Operations Planning



- Incident Command System Training
- Vermont League of Cities & Towns
- Other Training & Exercise Opportunities
- Hazard Mitigation Planning & Projects



Vermont Government - Emergency Management Considerations

- State & Local Government, No County Level
- Regional Planning Commissions assist with Town Planning
- Emergency Management
 Organizations at State & Local
 Levels outlined in statute
- LEPCs provide a forum for All-Hazards Emergency Planning
- Vermont is NIMS Compliant per Governor's Executive Order
- 95% of First ResponseOrganizations are Volunteer



- State & Local Emergency Operations Plans
- Flooding is the Primary Hazard Statewide
- Structure Fires are the Primary Local Hazard
- Hazardous Materials has a High Potential for Occurance

Local Emergency Planning Committees



LEPC 1 - Chittenden

LEPC 2 - Rutland

LEPC 3 - Windsor and parts of Orange

LEPC 4 - Franklin and Grand Isle

LEPC 5 - Washington and parts of Orange

LEPC 6 - Windham

LEPC 7 - Bennington

LEPC 8 - Addison

LEPC 9 - Caledonia and Essex

LEPC 10 - Orleans

LEPC 11 - Lamoille

LEPC 12 – Windsor / Orange

LEPC 13 - Grande Isle



Burnham Hall (Lincoln, VT) Hazard Mitigation Project

- 2 story structure
- Very near to New Haven river
- History of flood inundation:
 1927, 1938, 1976, 1989, 1998
- Up to 5 ft of flood water in 1st floor

Floodproofing Measures

- Watertight barriers on windows, doors
- Seal electrical, telephone, fuel line openings
- Install backflow valves in sewer lines
- Install under slab water collection system and sump pump
- Install above slab water collection system and sump pump
- Install discharge pump to drain water
- Elevation of boiler and heating units

Unrestored Interior View



New Boiler



Outside Door with Removable Panels



Burnham Hall May, 2010

- Wet flood-proofing completed (Flood Mitigation Assistance Program Grant)
- Dry flood-proofing completed (Pre-Disaster Mitigation – Competitive Program Grant)



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