Triangle Alliance for Response Forum Agenda

North Carolina Museum of Art

October 23, 2009

Sponsored by the North Carolina Preservation Consortium and Heritage Preservation

8:30 am  Registration and morning refreshments

9:00 am  Welcome and Introductions
  Robert James, Executive Director, North Carolina Preservation Consortium
  Larry Wheeler, Director, North Carolina Museum of Art

9:10 am  Why Protect Cultural Heritage?
  David Brook, J.D., Ed.D., Director, Division of Historical Resources
  North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources

9:25 am  Triangle Cultural and Historical Treasures
  Dr. Marty Matthews, Curator of Research, North Carolina Historic Sites

9:40 am  The Power of Partnerships: National Alliance for Response
  Jane Long, Vice President of Emergency Programs, Heritage Preservation

  Joshua Creighton, Director, Wake County Emergency Management
  John McGrath, Chief, Raleigh Fire Department
  April Cummings, Environmental Historic Preservation Team Lead
  DHS/FEMA Region IV

10:50 am  Break

11:05 am  Keys to Successful Response for Cultural Heritage: Teamwork, Safety, and Training
  Martha Battle Jackson, Curator, North Carolina Historical Sites
  Bill Gentry, Program Director, Community Preparedness and Disaster Management
  School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
  Elaine Wathen, Assistant Director of Information and Planning
  North Carolina Emergency Management
12:00 pm  Lunch

1:00 pm  Preparedness Efforts in North Carolina: Resources for Mutual Aid Models, Training, and Security Concerns  
Sarah Koonts, Head of Collection Management, North Carolina State Archives  
Darryl Aspey, NC Protective Security Agent, Department of Homeland Security  
Carolyn Freitag, EMAC Coordinator  
(Emergency Management Assistance Compact Coordinator)

2:00 pm  Break

2:15 pm  Model Networks for Cooperation and Response  
David Goist, Conservator and Member, AIC-CERT  
(American Institute for Conservation - Collections Emergency Response Team)  
Frank Thomson, Curator, Asheville Art Museum and member, MACREN  
(Mountain Area Cultural Resources Emergency Network)  
Andrew Hart, Preservation Librarian, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and member, Triangle Research Libraries Network Disaster Team

3:15 pm  Triangle Alliance for Response Next Steps  
A facilitated discussion moderated by Robert James, NCPC Executive Director

4:00 pm  Adjournment