Out of State DSW Training

Coverage Request Guidance

Submit your request on official letterhead or agency stationary either in a letter or memo format to the CalEMA State SAR Coordinator. An e-mail will suffice if all the sections below are answered and it contains your agency signature line.

- 1. A description of the training activity and location
- 2. Number of volunteer personnel or teams needing to travel to and participate in the training
- 3. Justification as to why the training needs to occur out of state or the benefit to volunteers travelling out of state for the training

Example:

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office requests DSW coverage for a training exercise to occur on April, 1, 2013 in Silver County, Nevada.

The training exercise consists of high angle rope rescue hosted by Silver County SAR Team and Jefferson County Sheriff's SAR Technical Rescue Team consisting of 34 volunteers that need to attend this training.

The Jefferson County Sheriff's SAR Team has a unique situation in that there are ski resorts and other public lands/parks that lie both in California and Nevada, divided by the state line. The Jefferson SAR Team routinely responds to SAR emergencies on either side of the state line and routinely operates in unified command with the Silver County SAR Team. As a result, unified training between the two teams is imperative for proper and safe emergency response operations. This training is hosted by Silver County SAR Team at a location near the state line, which is conducive to the training topic and is one that both agencies respond to during emergencies.

Please advise if DSW coverage is approved for the Jefferson County SAR Volunteers during this out of state training exercise.

Signed:

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