



STATE OF OREGON
Office of the Governor
KATE BROWN

New Councils — EPAC & LGEMAC

Emergency Preparedness Advisory Council (EPAC)

This council is established within the Office of the Governor. Its mission is to facilitate policy recommendations for catastrophic disaster preparedness, mitigation, response and recovery planning, procedures, and protocols with special emphasis on outreach to representatives of designated state and federal emergency support functions. The council may research international and national best practices and make formal recommendations to the State Resilience Officer or the Governor as needed, with special emphasis given to connecting statewide policy recommendations.

The council shall advise and make policy recommendations to the Oregon Homeland Security Council regarding federal emergency support functions.

The council consist of 16 members; of those, nine will be appointed by Directors from the following agencies:

- Oregon Military Department
- Oregon Department of Emergency Management
- Office of the State Fire Marshal
- Oregon State Police
- Department of Public Safety Standards and Training
- Oregon Health Authority
- Oregon Department of Transportation
- Oregon Department of Justice
- Oregon Department of Forestry
- Oregon Department of Human Services
- Oregon Department of Energy

The remaining positions will be appointed by the Governor:

- Association of Oregon Counties
- League of Oregon Cities
- EM Preparedness Regional Organizations
- EM Preparedness Local Organizations
- Private Sector
- Nonprofit Community – EM Support Functions Responsibility
- Indian Tribes in Oregon

Local Government Emergency Management Advisory Council (LGEMAC)

This council is established within the Oregon Department of Emergency Management. Its mission is to provide advice and recommendations to the Oregon Department of Emergency Management regarding its emergency preparedness and response functions.

The council consists of 11 members, and all members will be appointed by the Governor:

- Association of Oregon Counties
- League of Oregon Cities
- EM Medical Service Providers
- Fire Departments
- Statewide Association of EM, Responders, Government Agencies, & Elected Officials
- County Sheriffs
- 9-1-1 EM Dispatchers
- Volunteer EM Medical Service Providers
- Three Public Members with Experience in EM