

**MONTANA
EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM (EAS)
STATE PLAN**

January 12, 2005

**EAS OPERATIONAL AREA
INCLUDES ALL OF MONTANA**

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1. INTRODUCTION

This plan was prepared by the Montana State Emergency Response Commission (SERC) Emergency Alert System (EAS) sub-committee. It provides specific procedures for the broadcast of warnings and emergency information to the general public throughout Montana, or any portion thereof. This EAS plan may be activated by designated local, state, or federal officials in response to such emergencies as: blizzards, high winds, tornadoes, severe thunderstorms, floods, or civil emergencies like chemical accidents, earthquakes, nuclear attack, or any other events which pose a danger to life or property. This plan supersedes previous EAS Plans implemented by various counties throughout Montana.

Acceptance of/or participation in this plan shall not be deemed as a relinquishment of program control, and shall not be deemed to prohibit a broadcast licensee from exercising independent discretion and responsibility in any given situation. Stations originating EAS emergency communications shall be deemed to have conferred rebroadcast authority. FCC Rules and Regulations provide the concept of the management of each broadcast station to exercise discretion regarding the broadcast of EAS emergency information and instructions to the general public.

1.1. Summary of EAS Activation Process

- 1.1.1. Incident Commander and/or Designated Official (Annex A) identifies a risk to life and/or property that justifies immediate notification of the general public.
- 1.1.2. Incident Commander and/or Designated Official creates a message for dissemination (Annex E).
- 1.1.3. Message is provided to appropriate National Weather Service (NWS) office (Annex B).
- 1.1.4. NWS authenticates by calling back and confirming message with Designated Official (Annex A).
- 1.1.5. NWS activates EAS and broadcasts message over NOAA Weather Radio.
- 1.1.6. Broadcasters receive authenticated message from NWS and automatically broadcast message over radio and television networks. NOAA Weather Radios automatically alarm.

2. AUTHORITY

Title 47 U.S.C. 151, 154 (i) and (o), 303 (r), 527 (g) and 606; and 47 C.F.R. Part 11, FCC Rules and Regulations, Emergency Alert System (EAS).

3. DEFINITIONS

3.1. Designated Officials:

The following officials are the only “Designated Officials” who may approve activation of the EAS under this plan (Names and numbers located in Appendix A):

State Disaster and Emergency Services Duty Officer.
County DES Coordinators
County Emergency Dispatch.
National Weather Service (for weather-related events).

3.2. Civil Emergency Message (CEM):

Civil Emergency Messages are messages that provide critical and time-sensitive information that the public can use to take appropriate protective behavior in the event of a Civil Emergency.

Designated Officials should issue civil Emergency Messages when they believe there is a risk to life and property that warrants immediate notification of the general public.

Civil Emergency Messages are messages that will override all TV and Radio broadcasting and alert/activate NOAA weather radios.

3.3. Administrative Message (ADM):

Administrative Messages are messages that will be sent to TV and Radio stations but will NOT override TV and Radio broadcasting and will NOT activate NOAA weather radios.

Administrative Messages should be used by Designated Officials to provide follow on information to Civil Emergency Messages.

4. IMPLEMENTATION

4.1. Procedures for Designated Officials

4.1.1. Designated officials will request activation of the EAS through the National Weather Service (NWS) office that services the impacted county/counties via phone or other available communications. (Appendix B lists NWS office areas of responsibility and appropriate phone numbers). The Montana State Warning Point serves as backup if NWS offices are unavailable.

4.1.2. For **statewide EAS activation**, state DES coordinators will contact the NWS at Great Falls (the NWS State Forecast Office) and NWS Great Falls will forward the EAS request to all other NWS

offices throughout the state. **REDACTED VERSION**

4.1.3. Designated officials will use the following format when contacting the NWS:

“THIS IS (NAME/TITLE) OF (ORGANIZATION). I REQUEST THAT THE EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM BE ACTIVATED FOR (COUNTY (S)) BECAUSE OF (DESCRIPTION OF EMERGENCY).”

4.1.4. Designated Officials should provide emergency program material including a description of the emergency, actions being taken by local government, and instructions to the public. **Reference Annex E for sample format.** Total time allotted for the message should be less than two (2) broadcast minutes. Authentication procedures are defined in Section 5.

4.1.5. Upon authentication, NWS officials will transmit the message provided by designated officials.

4.1.6. Keep a line of communication open, if necessary.

4.2. Procedures for the National Weather Service

4.2.1. The NWS will authenticate all requests for EAS activation according to procedures outlined in Section 5.

4.2.2. When directed to do so by designated officials, the NWS will broadcast EAS coded messages for all relevant counties in the operational area and transmit the message over the NOAA weather radio.

4.3. Procedures for Broadcast and Cable System Personnel

4.3.1. Upon receipt of a request to activate the local EAS from appropriate authority the LP-1 (or alternate LP-2) may proceed as follows:

4.3.1.1. Broadcast the following announcement:

“WE INTERRUPT THIS PROGRAM BECAUSE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY. IMPORTANT INFORMATION WILL FOLLOW.”

4.3.1.2. Transmit the EAS header codes and Attention Signal.

4.3.1.3. Transmit the following announcement:

“WE INTERRUPT THIS PROGRAM TO ACTIVATE THE EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM FOR THE (COUNTY (S)) BECAUSE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS WILL FOLLOW.”

*****Follow with emergency program*****

4.3.1.4. To terminate the EAS message (immediately or later), make the following announcement:

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“THIS CONCLUDES EAS PROGRAMMING. ALL BROADCAST STATIONS AND CABLE SYSTEMS MAY NOW RESUME NORMAL OPERATIONS.”

4.3.1.5. Transmit the EAS End of Message (EOM) code.

Important Note: For State and local emergencies, broadcasters and cable operators have the option of transmitting only the EAS header and EOM codes without the Attention Signal and emergency message. This is acceptable so that EAS coded messages can be quickly relayed through areas unaffected by the emergency.

All other broadcast stations and cable systems that are monitoring their EAS receiver/decoders will be alerted by the header codes and attention signal. Each station and cable system upon receipt of the signal will, at the discretion of management, perform the same procedures listed above by retransmitting the emergency message from the LP-1 or LP-2.

4.3.1.6. All broadcast and cable system stations are requested to rebroadcast the following EAS coded messages.

<u>Message</u>	<u>EAS PIL's</u>
Civil Emergency Message	CEM
Administrative Message	ADR
<u>Weather-Related</u>	
Blizzard Warning	BZW
Flash Flood Watch	FFA
Flash Flood Warning	FFW
High Wind Warning	HWW
Severe Thunderstorm Watch	SVA
Severe Thunderstorm Warning	SVR
Tornado Watch	TOA
Tornado Warning	TOR

4.3.2. To avoid unnecessary escalation of public confusion, all stations and cable systems must be cautious in providing news and information pertaining to the emergency. All messages must be based on definite and confirmed facts. The public must not be left to decide what is or is not fact.

4.3.3. Upon completion of the above transmission procedures, resume normal programming. Appropriate notations should be made in the station and cable system records. A very brief summary may be sent to the FCC for information purposes only.

5. AUTHENTICATION

The NWS will verify the authenticity of any EAS activation request initiated by individuals outside the NWS by calling back and receiving confirmation from one of the Designated Officials listed in Annex A.

Broadcasters who received the EAS activation signal from the NWS will not need further authorization, as authentication is inherent within the electronics of the EAS system between the NWS and broadcasters.

6. TESTS

6.1. Required Monthly Test (RMT) of these EAS procedures shall be conducted on a random or scheduled basis from a point that would originate the common emergency message. Unless a scheduled State test is received from the State Primary, the Local Primary will originate the Required Monthly Test (RMT).

6.1.1. Routine RMT Schedule:

Odd months (Jan., Mar., May, July, Sept., Nov.) – 8:30 a.m. to sunset.

Even months (Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct., Dec.) – Sunset to 8:30a.m.

The test will be scheduled in advance by the LP-1.

6.1.2. All stations shall schedule Required Weekly Test (RWT). These tests are not forwarded or rebroadcast.

ANNEX A: DESIGNATED OFFICIALS FOR THIS EAS PLAN

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January 12, 2005
MT DISASTER & EMERGENCY SERVICES TELEPHONE DIRECTORY
PO Box 4789, Helena, MT 59604-4789
24/7 HOUR PHONE: [REDACTED] 24/7 HOUR. Fax: [REDACTED]
Operations E-mail: [REDACTED]

ADMINISTRATION

DAN MCGOWAN	ADMINISTRATOR
DAN LIEBERG	DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR
STEVE KNECHT	RESPONSE COORDINATOR
BUD REVIOUS	DEPUTY RESPONSE COORDINATOR
DAVE MASER	PLANNING MANAGER
SHERI LANZ	HOMELAND SECURITY COORDINATOR
JOHN ILGENFRITZ TERRY YOUNG	ASST TO HOMELAND SECURITY FEMA ASSISTANT
JIM ANDERSON	RECOVERY COORDINATOR
TIM THENNIS	PUBLIC ASSISTANCE OFFICER
FRED NAEHER	TRAINING & EXERCISE MANAGER

ADMINISTRATIVE (FINANCE & LOGISTICS) BUREAU

JEFF LUSTGRAAF	ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER
HOMER YOUNG	COMM./COMPUTER SPECIALIST
MARY ANN GREGORY	OFFICE MANAGER
JENS BOLSTAD	GIS COORDINATOR

PLANNING BUREAU

LARRY AKERS	HAZARD MITIGATION OFFICER
DAN POORE	EMERGENCY MGMT. TECHICIAN
MONIQUE LAY	PIO/EARTHQUAKE PROG. MANAGER

MT DISASTER & AND EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVES

<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>	<u>PHONES</u>	<u>COUNTIES</u>
MARTHA JO SMITH 9 SILCOX LANE THOMPSON FALLS MT 59873 District 1	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	Deer Lodge, Flathead, Granite, Lake, Lincoln, Mineral, Missoula, Powell, Ravalli, Sanders, Butte-Silver Bow Flathead Reservation
ED GIERKE 20 4 TH AVE S.W. CONRAD, MT 59425 District 2	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX & INTERNET LINE: [REDACTED]	Blaine, Cascade, Chouteau, Glacier, Hill, Liberty, Pondera, Teton, Toole, Blackfeet, Rocky Boy, and Fort Belknap Reservations
BOB FRY 24 FLESHMAN CREEK, STE 1 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047 District 3	OFF: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	Beaverhead, Broadwater, Gallatin, Jefferson, Lewis & Clark, Madison, Meagher, Park, Sweet Grass
NORMAN R. PARRENT PO BOX 782 MILES CITY MT 59301 District 4	OFF: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	Carter, Custer, Dawson, Fallon, Garfield, McCone, Powder River, Prairie, Richland, Wibaux
CHARLIE HANSON 702 CENTRAL AVENUE BILLINGS, MT 59102 District 5	OFF: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	Big Horn, Carbon, Golden Valley, Musselshell, Rosebud, Stillwater, Treasure, Wheatland, Yellowstone, Crow No. Cheyenne Reservations
MARK GRUENER RT 2 BOX 2366 LEWISTOWN MT 59457 District 6	OFF: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	Daniels, Fergus, Judith Basin, Petroleum, Phillips, Roosevelt, Sheridan, Valley, Fort Peck - Reservation

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MONTANA DISASTER AND EMERGENCY SERVICES
COUNTY COORDINATORS

<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>COORDINATOR & ADDRESS</u>	<u>PHONES</u>	<u>24 HOUR PHONES</u>
(18) BEAVERHEAD	LARRY G. LAKNAR 2 SO. PACIFIC DILLON MT 59725-2713	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED] (8 to 5 p.m.)	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(22) BIG HORN	ED AUKER PO BOX 908 126 W 3 rd HARDIN MT 59034	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(24) BLAINE	HALEY GUSTITIS P.O. BOX 576 400 OHIO STREET CHINOOK MT 59523	OFF: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(43) BROADWATER	BILL FLEINER 515 BROADWAY ST TOWNSEND MT 59644-0506	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(10) CARBON	DARREL KRUM PO BOX 887 RED LODGE MT 59068	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
(42) CARTER	CANDY LOEHDING PO BOX 42 EKALAKA MT 59324	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
(2) CASCADE & CITY OF GREAT FALLS	VINCE KOLAR PO BOX 3127 415 3RD STREET N.W. GREAT FALLS MT 59403	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(19) CHOUTEAU	LINDA WILLIAMS PO BOX 1204 FORT BENTON MT 59442	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
(14) CUSTER	JAMES ZABROCKI 1010 MAIN MILES CITY MT 59301	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
37) DANIELS	CHARLIE CAHILL PO BOX 1172 SCOBAY MT 59263	OFFICE: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]

(16) DAWSON	HELEN CONRADSEN 207 WEST BELL GLENDDIVE MT 59330	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED] (O)	24 HR: [REDACTED] SHERIFF'S FAX: [REDACTED]
(30) DEER LODGE	ELMER "BUZZY" PETERSON 2011 HAMBURG ANACONDA MT 59711	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(39) FALLON	SAMUEL J. THIELEN PO BOX 6 PLEVNA MT 59344	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(8) FERGUS	KAREN MARKS PO BOX 180 LEWISTOWN MT 59457	EOC: [REDACTED] BACK-UP PHONE: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(7) FLATHEAD	ALAN MARBLE 920 SO. MAIN KALISPELL MT 59901	BUS: [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] (24 Hrs) FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(6) GALLATIN	JASON SHRAUGER PO BOX 1240 BOZEMAN MT 59771-0240	EOC: [REDACTED] BUS: [REDACTED] CELL: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(50) GARFIELD	CAROL L. HELLYER PO BOX 364 JORDAN MT 59337	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(38) GLACIER	JIM KING COURTHOUSE ANNEX 1210 E. MAIN CUT BANK MT 59427	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(53) GOLDEN VALLEY	FLOYD FISHER PO BOX 10 RYEGATE MT 59074	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(46) GRANITE	JAMES MINOR PO BOX 395 PHILIPSBURG MT 59858	BUS: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(12) HILL	RON KNUDSON HILL CNTY COURTHOUSE 315 4 TH ST HAVRE MT 59501	BUS: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(51) JEFFERSON	SALLY BUCKLES PO BOX H BOULDER MT 59632	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
(36) JUDITH BASIN	CHARLIE KOLAR PO BOX 427 STANFORD MT 59479	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]

(15) LAKE	STEVE STANLEY COURTHOUSE 105 4 TH AVE E POLSON 59860-2173	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(5) LEWIS & CLARK	PAUL SPENGLER 221 BRECKENRIDGE HELENA MT 59601-4230	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(48) LIBERTY	DARRELL STAFFORD BOX 631 EAST MARIAS RD CUT BANK MT 59427	BUS: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(56) LINCOLN	MARC MCGILL 952 E. SPRUCE STE 205 LIBBY MT 59923	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(25) MADISON	FRANK R. FORD PO BOX 278 VIRGINIA CITY MT 59755	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(41) MCCONE	ALAN STEMPEL 208 BEAUTY CRK RD BROCKWAY MT 59214	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(47) MEAGHER	RICHARD E. SEIDLITZ PO BOX 355 WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS MT 59645	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(54) MINERAL	GEORGE M. GUPTON PO BOX 870 110 SECOND AVE E SUPERIOR MT 59872	BUS: [REDACTED] OTHER: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(4) MISSOULA	JANE ELLIS 200 WEST BROADWAY MISSOULA MT 59802	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(23) MUSSELSHELL	CHERI KILBY 506 MAIN STREET ROUNDUP MT 59072	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(49) PARK	BELINDA VAN NURDEN 414 E. CALLENDER LIVINGSTON MT 59047	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]

(55) PETROLEUM	PO BOX 226 WINNETT MT 59087	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(11) PHILLIPS	SCOTT MORAN PO BOX 1090 MALTA MT 59538-1090	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(26) PONDERA	CINDY MULLANEY 20 4TH AVENUE SW CONRAD MT 59425	EOC: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(9) POWDER RIVER	DAVID LANCASTER PO BOX 191 BROADUS MT 59317	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(28) POWELL	BERNARD K. BARTON 409 MISSOURI DEER LODGE MT 59722	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(45) PRAIRIE	JOHN PISK PO BOX 126 TERRY MT 59349	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: SO [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(13) RAVALLI	RON NICHOLAS 205 BEDFORD ST., PO BOX 5022 HAMILTON MT 59840	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(27) RICHLAND	WM "BUTCH" C. RENDERS 121 3RD AVE. N.W. SIDNEY MT 59270	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(17) ROOSEVELT	DENNIS BROCKMEYER 416-1/2 2 ND AVE SO. WOLF POINT MT 59201	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(29) ROSEBUD	CAROLE RAYMOND 1165 FRONT STREET FORSYTH MT 59327	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(35) SANDERS	BILL NAEGELI PO BOX 519 THOMPSON FALLS MT 59873-0519	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(34) SHERIDAN	CURTIS PETRIK 100 W. LAUREL AVE SHERIDAN CRTHSE PLENTYWOOD MT 59254	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]

(1) BUTTE/SILVER BOW	WILMA PUICH PO BOX 4046 BUTTE MT 59701	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(32) STILLWATER	THOMAS KELLY 33 CENTENNIAL RD COLUMBUS MT 59019	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(40) SWEET GRASS	DAN TRONRUD PO BOX 567 BIG TIMBER MT 59011	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR: [REDACTED]
(31) TETON	SUE BANIS PO BOX 610 1 SOUTH MAIN AVE CHOTEAU MT 59422	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED] (Courthouse)	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(21) TOOLE	DARRELL STAFFORD BOX 631 EAST MARIAS RD CUT BANK MT 59427	BUS: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(33) TREASURE	STEVEN J. WILKINS 38 BENCH RD HYSHAM MT 59038	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(20) VALLEY	VERNON BUERKLE 501 COURT SQUARE #10 GLASGOW MT 59230-2405	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(44) WHEATLAND	LES CHRISTENSON PO BOX 757 HARLOWTON MT 59036	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
(52) WIBAUX (CD)	FRANK V. DATTA PO BOX 218 WIBAUX MT 59353	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED] / [REDACTED]
(3) YELLOWSTONE	JAMES L. KRAFT PO BOX 35004 BILLINGS MT 59107	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]

NAVY EPLO	ROBERT SWANEKAMP PO BOX 1054 BOZEMAN MT 59771	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
AIR FORCE EPLO	COL. DAVID J. PARKER 803B CAMELOT CRT HELENA MT 59601	BUS: [REDACTED]

ARMY	COL. STEPHEN J. GARRISON 6 FOREST PARK DR CLANCY MT 59634	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
MONTANA AIR NATIONAL GUARD	DAN ZENT DISASTER PREP MGR 2800 AIRPORT AVE B GREAT FALLS MT 59404-5570	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
MALMSTROM AFB	ROYCE SHIPLEY 341 CES/CEX 105 80 TH ST N MALMSTROM AFB 59402-7546	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
LIBBY DAM PROJECT	CHARLIE COMER SAFETY OFFICER 17115 US HWY 37 LIBBY MT 59923	BUS: [REDACTED] x [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED] (Seattle Office Fax #)

INDIAN NATION	TERC COORDINATOR	PHONE	24 HOUR DISPATCH
FLATHEAD PABLO	JOLENE JACOBSON, DES COORDINATOR, CSKT PO BOX 278 Pablo MT 59855	BUS: [REDACTED] EXT: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
ROCKY BOY CHIPPEWA-CREE	TERC COORDINATOR (VACANT) RR 1 BOX 544 BOX ELDER MT 59521	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED] Or [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED]
CROW CROW AGENCY	WILLIAM DRIFTWOOD, SR CROW TERC COORD. RR 1 Box 159 CROW AGENCY MT 59022	BUS: [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
FORT PECK POPLAR	ARLYN HEADDRESS PO BOX 1027 603 INDIAN AVE POPLAR MT 59255	BUS: [REDACTED] Ext: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]
BLACKFEET BROWNING	MARK KELLER, DES PO BOX 850 BROWNING MT 59417	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED]
NORTHERN CHEYENNE/ LAME DEER	ERNESTINE SPANG NORTHERN CHEYENNE BOARD OF HEALTH PO BOX 128 LAME DEER MT 59043	Bus: [REDACTED] Or [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] Or [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]

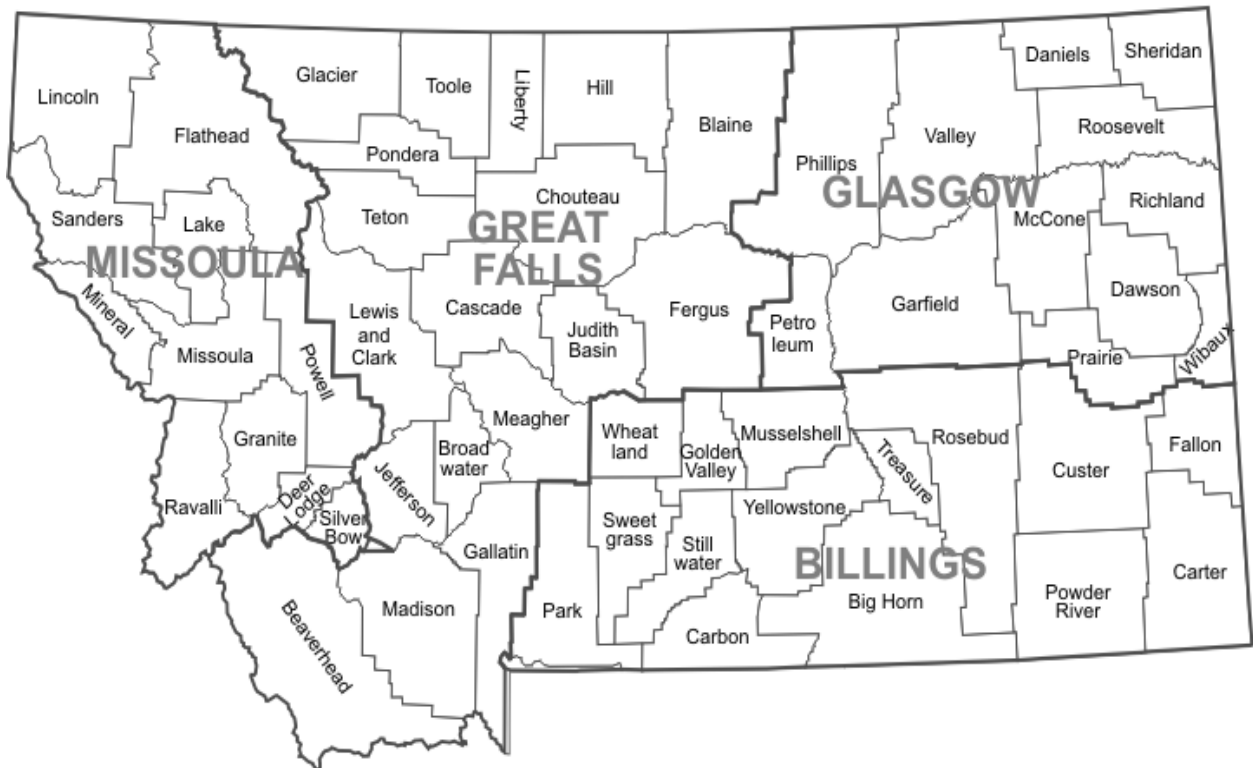
FORT BELKNAP HARLEM	JOHN ALLEN RR 1 BOX 66 HARLEM MT 59526	BUS: [REDACTED] FAX: [REDACTED]	24 HR: [REDACTED] 24 HR FAX: [REDACTED]
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ANNEX B: NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE MONTANA OFFICES

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>FAX</u>
Missoula: National Weather Service Forecast Office PO BOX 9350 Missoula, MT 59807-9350	(406) [REDACTED]	(406) [REDACTED]
Great Falls: National Weather Service Forecast Office 5324 Tri-Hill Frontage Road Great Falls, MT 59404-4933	(406) [REDACTED]	(406) [REDACTED]
Billings: National Weather Service Forecast Office 2170 Overland Ave Billings, MT 59102-6455	(406) [REDACTED]	(406) [REDACTED]
Glasgow: National Weather Service Forecast Office 101 Airport Road Glasgow, MT 59230-2843	(406) [REDACTED]	(406) [REDACTED]

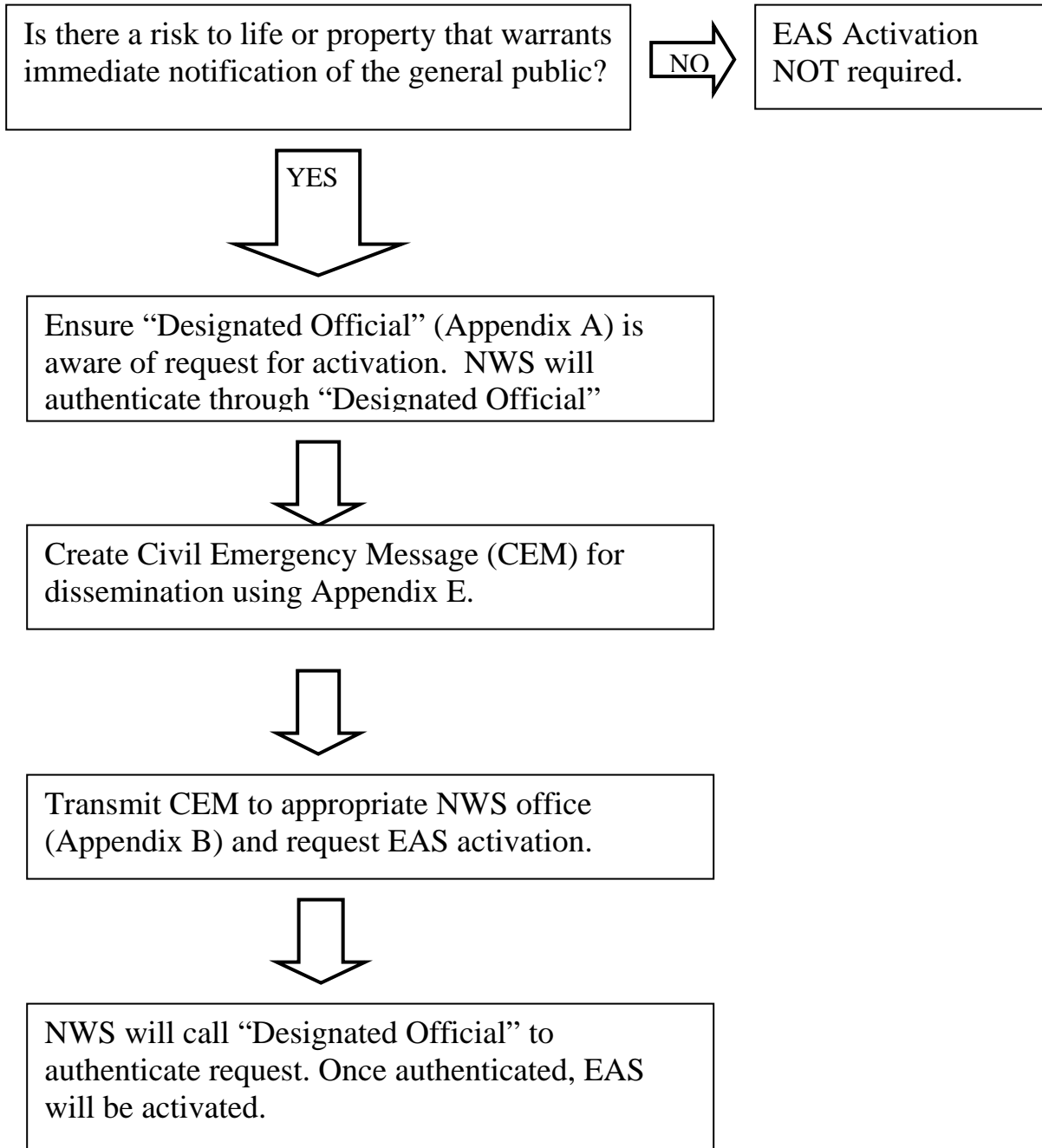
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ANNEX C: BROADCAST STATIONS IN THE MONTANA EAS PLAN

For a complete directory of Montana broadcasters see the following website sponsored by the Montana Broadcasters Association: <http://www.mtbroadcasters.org/>

**ANNEX D: INCIDENT COMMANDER/DESIGNATED OFFICIAL
DECISION TREE**



ANNEX F: APPROVAL

This Montana EAS Local Plan was developed and approved by:

Administrator, Montana Disaster and Emergency Services

Date

National Weather Service, Meteorologist-in-Charge,
State Liaison Office for Montana (Great Falls)

Date

Montana Broadcasters Association, President

Date