



Bay Area UASI

Public Information and Alert and Warning Exercise Series

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The Exercise Series

ACTIVITY	DATE
Public Information Critical Transportation Toolkit	08/30/2019
Public Information Exercise	09/12/2019
NOAA Weather Radio Exercise Templates	11/15/2019
Alert & Warning Toolkit	12/01/2019
Alert & Warning Exercise	12/06/2019
Alert & Warning Capability Strategy Report	12/17/2019



Public Information Exercise Overview

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
Scope	Functional virtual exercise at multiple JICs across the Bay Area
Core Capabilities	Critical Transportation and Public Information and Warning
Hazard	Wildfire, Air Quality Incident, Cyberterrorism
Scenario	Multiple complex wildfires spread across the North and South Bay Areas



Public Information - After Action Report

Exercise Objectives

1. Practice Bay Area JIS virtual coordination tools
2. Practice coordination between local JICS and the Bay Area JIS
3. Practice developing accessible public information products
4. Exercise the draft Critical Transportation Public Information Toolkit



Alert & Warning Exercise Overview

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
Scope	IPAWS functional exercise designed for alert and warning administrators to practice sending an alert in the IPAWS test environment
Core Capabilities	Operational Coordination and Public Information and Warning
Hazard	Earthquake
Scenario	Earthquake on the Hayward Fault



Alert & Warning - After Action Report

Exercise Objectives

1. Practice regional alert and warning coordination with specific emphasis on coordination between and within operation areas and FEMA
2. Evaluate operational area plans, policies, and/or protocols to send alerts
3. Evaluate the linkage between the alerting operators, authorizers, and PIO teams
4. Evaluate and validate the contents of the Alert & Warning Toolkit to include accessible alerts for people with access and functional needs

Thank You

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