

OHIO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

FALL CONFERENCE

October 10, 2019



**OHIO DEPARTMENT
OF PUBLIC SAFETY**
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Fall Conference Information

Time:

8:30a.m. – 12:30p.m.

Location:

Wigwam Conference Center, 10190 Blacklick Eastern Rd., Pickerington, OH 43147

Registration:

County Directors and all other individuals planning to attend should register [HERE](#)

You can find the conference by searching “200” in the catalog ID.

If you don't have an account, or need assistance please call the Help Desk at (614) 752-6487

Lodging for General Attendees:

If you are not a County Director or designee, you will be required to fund your own lodging arrangements. Please **DO NOT** register under the Ohio EMA room block.

Lodging for County Directors or Designee:

County EMA's more than 45 miles from the conference location will receive one complimentary night of lodging on October 9, 2019.

To register for lodging email David Nunley at dbnunley@dps.ohio.gov. Please provide; name, position and county you are representing in the email. Also, please indicate which of the hotels listed below you would prefer (40 rooms available at each location). You will be required to provide a credit card for incidental expenses when checking in at the hotel.

Holiday Inn Express & Suites 2806 Taylor Rd Ext. Reynoldsburg, OH 43068 (614) 861-8888	Fairfield Inn & Suites 2826 Taylor Rd. Ext. Reynoldsburg, OH 43068 (614) 864-4555
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Cut off for emailing David for a room reservation is noon on Monday October 1st. The hotels will accept cancellations through October 8th but after that rooms cannot be canceled and if the person requesting a room does not attend the conference they will be billed directly.

Parking:

There is free parking on site

Additional:

- The Ohio EMA mobile POD kit will be set up in the WIGWAM parking lot for tours and information purposes.
- There will be open Wi-Fi available during the conference.



FALL CONFERENCE AGENDA

Thursday, October 10

8:00 – 8:30 AM	Registration/Sign-In	Ohio EMA Training Section Staff
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General Session

8:30 – 8:45 AM	Opening Remarks & Pledge of Allegiance	Sima Merick, Executive Director, Ohio Emergency Management Agency
8:45 – 9:00 AM	Opening Comments	Thomas J. Stickrath, J.D. Director, Ohio Department of Public Safety
9:00 – 9:45 AM	Points of Distribution (POD) Planning	Phil Johnson, Logistics Branch Chief, Ohio Emergency Management Agency & County Partner
9:45 – 10:20 AM	Community Lifelines	Andrew Elder, Operations Administrator, Ohio Emergency Management Agency
10:20 – 10:30 AM	Break	
10:30 – 11:30 AM	2019 Disasters in Review Panel Discussion	Josh Sigmon, Regional Operations Branch Chief, Ohio Emergency Management Agency & County Partners
11:30 – 11:40 AM	Break	
11:40 – 12:20 PM	Ohio EMA Updates	Operations, Preparedness , Administration & Communications
12:20 – 12:30PM	Executive Director Closing	Sima Merick, Executive Director, Ohio Emergency Management Agency

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Mission Statement

“To coordinate activities to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from disasters.”

