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Grant Administration:

2014 State Homeland Security Grant Program: Warm Springs was approved for a \$80,000 grant to support a standby generator for the Tribal administration building.

The 2014 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) which is a 50/50 match grant to support emergency management staff and preparedness activities:

- Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs was approved for a grant in the amount of \$62,500.
- The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde was approved for a grant in the amount of \$62,500.

Training and Public Education:

4/2014 –Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde requested and received in-person RAPTOR training from an OEM staff member, including integration of tribal GIS data.

4/2014—Nine individuals from five tribes attended the inaugural OregonPrepared workshop in Sunriver; all nine tribes were invited, and all have again been invited to OregonPrepared 2015.

5/2014 – OEM staff member attended training session titled ‘Working Effectively with Tribal Governments,’ hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.

6/2014 – Multiple OEM staff attended and presented at the 2014 Tribal Public Health Emergency Preparedness Conference.

8/2014—OEM identifies a new tribal liaison, to replace an outgoing staff member.

8/2014—OEM tribal liaison coordinated with Oregon Health Authority tribal liaison to deliver public education materials to Burns Paiute Tribe.

9/2014—OEM tribal liaison attended Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Emergency Management Advisory Committee meeting.

9/2014—One tribal representative attended a Mitigation Planning course hosted and taught by OEM and FEMA

10/2014 –Staff from Umatilla County and Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation requested and received in-person RAPTOR training from OEM staff.

12/2014—Two OEM staff attended active shooter tabletop exercise hosted by Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde.



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Planning, Policy, and Technical Assistance:

All tribes are invited to participate in monthly local and tribal emergency management update calls. An invitation letter was sent to all tribes to encourage participation in 2014.

The statewide Threat and Hazard Identification Assessment (THIRA) and State Preparedness Report (SPR) are federal requirements to participate in the annual Homeland Security Grant Program. OEM invited all tribes to participate in statewide data collection effort to inform these reports to FEMA and DHS. The reports are due to FEMA by December 31, 2014.

OEM provides technical assistance to all communities throughout Oregon to include the tribes on the implementation of the National Incident Management System (NIMS). NIMS is also a part of the above SPR reporting effort.

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians participated in Oregon Coast Visitor Tsunami Awareness project, coordinated by OEM staff member

Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde participated in testing of new electronic damage assessment tools, coordinated by an OEM staff member.

OEM has engaged all tribes in the State Recovery Plan development project.

OEM staff connected directly to Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs to comment and assist in the change and development of OAR 104.