

# Washington State Emergency Management Council

Thursday, February 13, 2025

0900 - 1100

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## Agenda

Topic	Time	Presenter	Notes
<b>Call to Order</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Welcome Remarks</li><li>○ Approval of Minutes</li></ul>	0900	<b>Kirk Holmes, Chair</b>	
<b>Opening Comments</b>	0905	<b>Major General Gent Welsh, The Adjutant General, Washington Military Department</b>  <b>Robert Ezelle, Director, Emergency Management Division</b>	
<b>Regional Issues Impacting Washington</b>	0910	<b>Vince Maykovich, Acting Regional Administrator, FEMA Region 10</b>	
<b>Reports</b> Legislative Update	0920	<b>Jim Baumgart, Washington Military Department, Intergovernmental Affairs and Policy Director</b>	Information sharing.
Health and Wellness Task Force	0925	<b>Kirk Holmes, Chair</b>	Information sharing.
<b>Work Session</b> EMC Annual Report	0930	<b>Kirk Holmes, Chair</b>	Obtain approval of topic list.
<b>Work Session</b> EMC Planning Team	0940	<b>Kirk Holmes, Chair</b>	Obtain approval of 2025 work plan.

<b>Work Session</b> State Alert and Warning Systems Overview	0945	<b>Kevin Wickersham</b> , Response Section Manager, Emergency Management Division	Information sharing for awareness and potential future needs, plus Q&A.
<b>Work Session</b> Public Safety Power Shut-Offs (PSPS)	1000	<b>Eli King</b> , Energy Resilience & Emergency Management Director, State Department of Commerce	Information sharing for awareness and potential future needs, plus Q&A.
<b>Senior Advisory Committee</b> ○ Adjourn EMC Meeting  ○ Call the SAC Meeting to Order  ○ Grant Allocation Process Review Update  ○ 2025 SPR Results  ○ FY24 Preparedness Grants Funding	1015    1020   1025  1040	<b>Kirk Holmes</b> , Chair    <b>Sharon Wallace</b> , Deputy Director, EMD   <b>David Broussard</b> , Preparedness Assessment, EMD   <b>Sierra Wardell</b> , Financial Operations Section Manager	
<b>Open Public Forum</b> Please keep comments to two minutes to allow opportunity for others.	1050	<b>Kirk Holmes</b> , Chair	An opportunity for interested people to ask questions of, or share comments with, the EMC.
<b>Closing Remarks and Adjourn</b>	1100	<b>Kirk Holmes</b> , Chair	