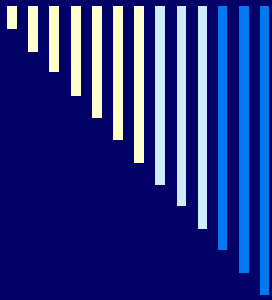


City of Dover Fire & Rescue

NIMS – An
Introduction

Deputy Chief Eric
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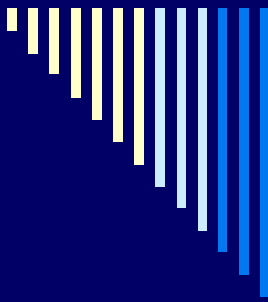




**First - thank you for
your time...**

**We will discuss what
NIMS is and how it
applies to you**





Tonight – our plan...

1. Introduce briefly NIMS
 2. Explain how it impacts Dover
 3. Explain where we are in implementing NIMS
 4. Expand on the NIMS process as time allows
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NIMS - Introduction

NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- A consistent nationwide approach for all levels of government to prepare for and respond to emergency incidents
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NIMS – A Common Language

In a nutshell, the NIMS process is a common language for all agencies to resolve problems impacting our way of life



NIMS – to be used by all

Federal

State

City

County

Tribal

- A core set of concepts, principals, and terminology for incident command and multi-agency coordination
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NIMS – Adoption Necessary

Federal Education Readiness Grants

US Department of Justice Grants

Federal Fire/Rescue S.A.F.E.R Grants

Federal Public Works Grants

Economic Development Grants

□ Federal grant
funding
contingent on
NIMS
progress in
many cases...



History: NIMS surfaced in 2003

President Bush in February of 2003 mandated that all governmental entities learn NIMS

□ Homeland Security Presidential Directive #5



NIMS Distribution Process

Curriculums developed

Distribution methods
developed – classroom
and internet



FEMA

NIMS Resource Center

NIMS Resource Center



Curriculums Now Available

Fire

Police

Schools

Public Works

Elected Officials





Where is Dover in the NIMS Process?

The City as a whole is approximately 50% along where it needs to be

- At the direction of the City Manager, the City Departments have discussed it, and are working on the requirements...



Dover and NIMS

All Fire personnel
have what is needed
today

Additional training is
in the pipeline within
the next year





Dover and NIMS

Fire Department command staff have worked toward exceeding the requirements

NIMS has been introduced to the Administration of each of Dover's Schools





Dover and NIMS

The school's are halfway along the journey for what they need

In the case of the School Department, we advised and assisted at their request

- ❑ Required for School Departments
 - ❑ ICS 100.sc
 - ❑ ICS 200
 - ❑ ICS 700
 - ❑ ICS 800
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Dover and NIMS

Community Service is
next on the list for
trainings





Dover and NIMS

The Police
Department is also
working on NIMS





Dover and NIMS

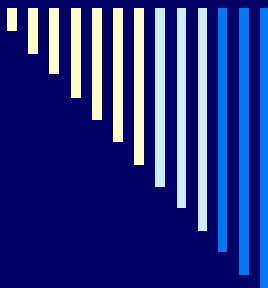
Fire/Rescue's plan is to assist any City Department's to what ever degree is needed

□ That could be advisory, or it could be in course delivery



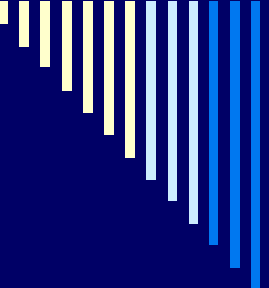
NIMS Process - 3 Primary Components

1. NIMS – National Incident Management System
 2. NRF - National Response Framework
 3. ICS – Incident Command System
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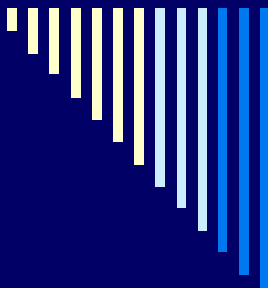
NRF – National Response Framework

- *The National Response Framework is a guide that details how the Nation conducts all-hazards response— from the smallest incident to the largest catastrophe.*
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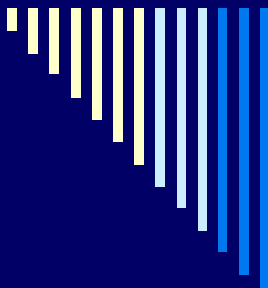
NRF – National Response Framework

- It describes how communities, States, the Federal Government and private-sector and nongovernmental partners apply these principles for a coordinated, effective national response.
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NRF – National Response Framework

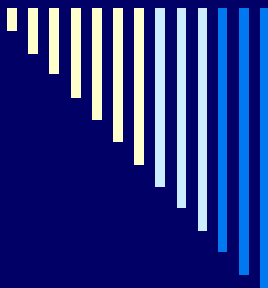
- It lays the groundwork for first responders, decision-makers and supporting entities to provide a unified national response.
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This framework applies to the private sector too

- Liberty Mutual
- Wentworth Douglass Hospital
- Any major utility or infrastructure provider like PSNH





ICS – Incident Command System

ICS is an incident management method that is expandable

Car Accidents to
Tornados





ICS used in 2008 Central Avenue Bomb Scare

1. Dover Fire
2. Dover Police
3. NH State Police Bomb Squad
4. ATF

If incident progressed, Community Service and Amtrak



NRF, NIMS, and ICS

- For example:
would be
used for mass
distribution of
flu vaccines
 - NH Homeland
Security and
Emergency
Management
uses this
process
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Dover's EOC supports the NIMS process

□ EOC or
Emergency
Operations
Center is
Currently in
City Hall

□ New one
soon to be
finished at the
North End
Fire Station



EOC – used during incidents

- EOC is where the needed City Department heads convene, and manage in a unified manner an incident impacting Dover

 - 2008 Ice Storm
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ANY Questions?



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