

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

When: September 10, 2026, 1-3pm

Where: EOC, 5200 Soquel Ave., Santa Cruz

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order/Instructions for participation**
2. **Roll Call (*Emergency Management Council Appointed Members, Districts 1-5*)**
3. **Changes to the Agenda**
4. **Approval of Minutes (*Attachment A*)**
5. **Old Business**
6. **New Business** – CRC Grant and Governance
7. **Informational Reports**
 - 7.1 OR3 – CIRP, Standby Contracts, Emergency Preparedness Outreach and Education, NWS Briefing 10/7, hiring a new staff position, EOC Section, Measure Q
 - 7.2 City of Scotts Valley – Meredith Roberts
 - 7.3 City of Santa Cruz – Robert Oatey/Meredith Albert
 - 7.4 City of Capitola – Leo Moreno
 - 7.5 City of Watsonville – Tom Avila
 - 7.6 County Office of Education – Rishi Lal
 - 7.7 Santa Cruz County Sheriff – Dee Baldwin
 - 7.8 County Fire – Sam Filson
 - 7.9 Central Fire – Nigel Miller
8. **Non-Governmental Organizations**
 - 8.1 CERT Council – Amanda Gullings
 - 8.2 CERT Auxiliary – Vacant
 - 8.3 Medical Reserve Corp – Alexandria Vingino
 - 8.4 Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES) –Dan Selling
 - 8.5 American Red Cross – Patsy Gasca

- 8.6 Watsonville Emergency Airlift Command Team (WEACT) – Tom Hail
- 8.7 UC Santa Cruz – Stephan Edgar

9. **OR3 Grant Updates**

- 9.1 FY 2022 State Homeland Security Grant Program (SHSGP) – closing 5/31/26
- 9.2 FY 2023 State Homeland Security Grant Program (SHSGP) – closing 5/31/26
- 9.3 FY 2024 State Homeland Security Grant Program (SHSGP) – IN PROGRESS
- 9.4 FY 2025 State Homeland Security Grant Program (SHSGP) – SUBMITTED
- 9.5 FY 2026 State Homeland Security Grant Program (SHSGP) – SUBMITTED
- 9.6 FY 24 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) – CLOSING 6/30/26
- 9.7 FY 25 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) – SUBMITTED
- 9.8 California Fire Safe Council – County Coordinator Grant ROUND 2 – Approved, leveraging as match for BRIC / HMGP
- 9.9 FEMA Building Resilient Infrastructure & Community Grant – Beginning Scope Development, Environmental permit scope development
- 9.10 NRCS Emergency Watershed Protection Program – In construction

10. **Announcements**

11. **Adjourn**