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	Volcano Incident Checklist			
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PRE-INCIDENT PHASE				
	Arrange for personnel to participate in necessary training and			
	develop exercises relative to volcanic events. Provide information and training on volcano-hazard response to			
	emergency workers and the public.			
	■ Implement a public outreach program on volcano hazards.			
	Review public education and awareness requirements.			
	Participate in local and County preparedness activities, seeking understanding of interactions with participating agencies in a volcano scenario.			
	Ensure that contact lists are current and establish a pre-event duty roster allowing for 24/7 operational support to the Shasta County Operational Area Emergency Operations Center.			
	Familiarize staff with requirements for requesting State and federal Disaster Assistance.	Stafford Act, Federal Emergency Management Act guidance, and California Emergency Plan		
	Inform County Emergency Management of any major developments that could adversely affect response operations (e.g., personnel shortages, loss of firefighting equipment, etc.).			
RE	SPONSE PHASE			
	Activate the Emergency Operations Center and establish Incident Command or Unified Command, as appropriate. Contact appropriate private partners to assign liaisons to the Emergency Operations Center for coordination of specific response activities. Staffing levels vary with the complexity and needs of the response.			
	Implement the County Emergency Operations Plan. Notify supporting agencies.			
	 Identify local, regional, and State agencies that may be able to mobilize resources and staff to the Emergency Operations Center for support 			
	Provide local warnings and information and activate appropriate warning/alert systems.	Emergency Function 15 Public Information Annex of the County Emergency Operations Plan		
	Support the Emergency Operations Center as necessary.			
	Establish a Joint Information Center.	Emergency Function 15 Public		
	Provide a Public Information Officer for the Joint Information Center.	Information Annex of the County Emergency Operations Plan		
	Formulate emergency public information messages and media responses utilizing "one message, many voices" concepts (recurring).			
	Initiate and coordinate local emergency declarations or requests for assistance from mutual aid partners, State, and/or federal resources. If applicable, submit request for local disaster/emergency declaration following established County procedures.			

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	Estimate emergency staffing levels and request personnel support.	•	
	Develop work assignments for Incident Command System positions (recurring).	ICS Form 203 – Organization Assignment List	
	Develop and initiate shift rotation plans, including briefing of replacements during shift changes.	ICS Form 209 – Incident Status Summary	
	Dedicate time during each shift to prepare for shift change briefings.		
	Confirm or establish communications links among primary and support agencies, the Shasta County Operational Area Emergency Operations Center, the local city Emergency Operations Centers, and State Operations Center; confirm operable phone numbers and backup communication links.		
	Ensure that all required notifications have been completed. Consider other local, regional, State, and federal agencies that may be affected by the incident. Notify them of the status.	Incident Action Plan	
	Manage and coordinate interagency functions. Providing multi- agency coordination is the primary goal. Assimilate into a Unified Command structure if scope of response increases.		
	Obtain current and forecasted weather to project potential spread of ash, fires, and/or gases (<i>recurring</i>).		
	Determine need to conduct evacuations and sheltering activities (recurring). Request that the American Red Cross activate and implement local sheltering plans.	Emergency Function 6 Care and Shelter Annex of the County Emergency Operations Plan and American Red Cross Shelter Plans	
	Coordinate evacuation of affected areas, if necessary. Assign appropriate Emergency Function liaisons to the Emergency Operations Centers, as the situation requires. The following emergency functions may provide lead roles during various phases of evacuation:		
	■ Emergency Function 1 – Transportation		
	Emergency Function 2 – Communications		
	■ Emergency Function 13 – Law Enforcement		
	 Emergency Function 15 – Public Information 		
	Determine the need for additional resources and request them as necessary through the Emergency Operations Center (<i>recurring</i>).	Emergency Function 7 Resources Annex of the County Emergency Operations Plan	
	Activate mutual aid agreements. Activation includes placing backup teams on standby and alerting resource suppliers of both potential and current needs.		
	Coordinate resource access, deployment, and storage in the operational area. Resources to coordinate include equipment, personnel, facilities, supplies, procedures, and communications. Track resources as they are dispatched and/or used.	Emergency Function 7 Resources Annex of the County Emergency Operations Plan	
u	Develop plans and procedures for registration of task forces/strike teams as they arrive on scene and receive deployment orders.		

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	Record all Emergency Operations Center activity and completion of individual personnel tasks (<i>recurring</i>). All assignments, person(s) responsible, and significant actions taken should be documented in logbooks.	ICS Resource Tracking forms and Emergency Operations Center forms		
	Record all incoming and outgoing messages (<i>recurring</i>). All messages, and the names of those sending /receiving, them should be documented as part of the Emergency Operations Center log.	Existing Emergency Operations Center forms/templates		
	Produce situation reports (<i>recurring</i>). At regular intervals, the Emergency Operations Center Director and staff will assemble a situation report.	Emergency Operations Center Planning Section Position Checklist, ICS Form 214 – Unit Log		
	Develop an Incident Action Plan (<i>recurring</i>). This document is developed by the Planning Section and approved by the Incident Commander. The Incident Action Plan should be discussed at periodic intervals and modified as the situation changes.	ICS Form 202 – Incident Objectives, ICS Form 203 – Organization Assignment List, ICS Form 204 – Assignment List, ICS Form 205 – Incident Radio Communications Plan, ICS Form 206 – Medical Plan, Safety Message, Incident Map		
	Implement elements of the Incident Action Plan (recurring).			
	Coordinate with private sector partners as needed.	ICS Form 202 – Incident Objectives		
	Ensure that all reports of injuries, deaths, and major equipment damage due to volcano/earthquake response are communicated to the Incident Commander and/or Safety Officer.			
RECOVERY/DEMOBILIZATION PHASE				
	Activate and implement applicable mitigation plans, community recovery procedures, and continuity of operations/government plans until normal daily operations can be completely restored. Deactivate/demobilize the Emergency Operations Center.	Emergency Function 14 Long- term Recovery Annex of the County Emergency Operations Plan and agency-specific recovery		
	Release mutual aid resources as soon as possible. Monitor secondary hazards associated with volcano eruption and/or significant activity (e.g. landslides, fires, contamination, damage to infrastructure, impacts to utility lines/facilities, and air quality issues) and maintain on-call personnel to support potential response to these types of hazards.			
	Conduct post-event debriefing to identify success stories, opportunities for improvement, and development of the After Action Report/Improvement Plan.			
	Correct any response deficiencies reflected in the Improvement Plan.			
	Submit valuable success stories and/or lessons learned to the Lessons Learned Information Sharing website (www.llis.gov)			