

## Become a Volunteer

T'it'q'et is looking for community volunteers **ages 19 and older** to aid in Emergency Operation Center (EOC) response to major events. If you are a great team player, organized and good at planning, good at documenting, sourcing and tracking documents, and can take direction and commands, then our team needs you. Having training and experience in this discipline looks great on a resume and demonstrates to potential employers your commitment to volunteerism.

There are several emergency management training programs that are coming up very soon

- 1. For all EOC Volunteers: Level I EOC training Thursday, Aug. 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (9: am 4:30pm)
- 2. For EOC Management training (see attachment) Friday, Aug. 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (9: am 4: pm)
- 3. For EOC Operations Section "the Doers" Thursday, Sept 12th, 2019 (9: am 4: pm)
- 4. For EOC Planning Section "the Thinkers" Friday, Sept 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (9: am 4: pm)
- 5. For EOC Logistics Section "the Getters" Monday, Oct 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (9: am 4: pm)
- 6. For EOC Finance Section "the Payers" Tuesday, Oct 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (9: am 4: pm)

Please contact, Shawn Scotchman (EPC) with your name, phone number, and email address to register for these courses and if you have any questions (<a href="mailto:healthmanager@titqet.org">healthmanager@titqet.org</a> or 250-256-4118 Ext. 234).

Indigenous communities within BC are responsible for establishing and maintaining an emergency management organization and response, such as emergency plans and preparedness, response, and recovery measures for emergencies and disasters. T'it'q'et does have some Emergency Operations Center (EOC) trained staff and volunteers for this and Emergency Program Coordinators (EPC) to organize, coordinate, and establish the T'it'q'et Emergency Plan and team to respond to emergency of large scales.

Emergency Operations Center (EOC) are normally activated at the request of an Incident Commander or a Senior Administrative Official to provide overall jurisdictional direction and control, coordination and resource supports to a major emergency event, such as wildland fires or Earthquakes. Within an EOC (Dependent on level of activation) there are a number of Section personnel; Management, Operations, Planning, Logistics, and Finance Section. These personnel are mostly volunteers from the local area and is dependent on the size and scope of the emergency event; sometimes Emergency Management BC (EMBC) will deploy trained and experienced EOC people to communities that may need extra support, especially if they do not have enough volunteers to work an EOC.

## Holistic Emergency Preparedness & Response



## **Lillooet Emergency Management Program Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Training Agenda 2019 - 2020**

## **SESSION 1**

Instructor: Marc D'Aquino

DAY 1 – Thursday August 15<sup>th</sup>,2019 – Emergency Management Training – Level 1

Emergency Operations Centre(EOC)

0900 - 1200:

All Functions – Level 1 EOC Team Training (All EOC staff or

members)

1200 - 1300:

Lunch Break

1300 - 1630:

All Functions – Level 1 EOC Team Training Continued

DAY 2 - Friday August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019 - Emergency Management Training -

Management Staff Only (Director, Risk Management, Liaison Officer and Information Officer)

0900 - 1200:

**Target Personnel** – Leadership, management staff or community members with safety and communications or media background. These positions are overall emergency control/management. Responsible for *overall* emergency policy and coordination through the joint efforts of government agencies and private organizations

EOC Positions being covered in training:

- o Information Officer
- Liaison Officer
- o Risk Management
- EOC Director

1200 - 1300:

Lunch Break

1300 - 1600:

Management Staff – Level 2 EOC Team Training Continued

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