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## Chapter Resource

# APWA Emergency Management Committee

One of the goals of the APWA Emergency Management Committee is to support APWA chapters in the education of emergency management and homeland security topics. Providing this support is achieved primarily by connecting local chapter conference and educational planning committees with emergency management-related resources in their community. The connections established may be utilized for presentations at a chapter event or public works institute, to facilitate potential tours as chapter events, or to simply open a line of communication for future collaboration.

The APWA Emergency Management Committee is well connected with many associations and government agencies at the national level. These connections can be used to connect local homeland security/emergency management contacts with local APWA members.

Potential sources:

- [National Weather Service](#)
- [DHS Protective Security Advisors](#)
- [DHS Cybersecurity Assessments](#)
- [FirstNet](#)
- [American Meteorological Society](#)
- [DHS National Threat Evaluation and Reporting \(NTER\) Program](#)
- [National Fusion Center Association](#)
- [International Emergency Managers Association](#)
- [Emergency Management Assistance Compact](#)

The Emergency Management Committee is available to help you make connections. For assistance connecting with these resources, contact Rita Cassida at [rcassida@apwa.org](mailto:rcassida@apwa.org).

Visit the [Emergency Management Committee's webpage](#) to learn more.