



Emergency Management Operations for Tribal Governments

November 28 – December 1, 2011

PILOT OF NEW MATERIAL PARTICIPANTS NEEDED!

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) is requesting your assistance in validating newly revised course materials designed for Tribal members who have emergency management responsibilities, have already completed the Emergency Management Framework for Tribal Governments, E/L580, and are interested in taking their skills to the next level to help protect their tribal members, lands and culture.

This is a pilot offering of the newly revised course Emergency Management Operations for Tribal Governments (E581). FEMA training staff, in conjunction with representatives from tribal nations, developed this revised course with focus on:

- Providing tribal governments with new skills and strategies for improving overall emergency operations
- Making tribal governments more capable and self-sufficient during emergency operations
- Promoting the integration of emergency operations across all functional agency lines
- Enhancing the tribes' overall response for all emergencies, regardless of hazard, size, or complexity

The course includes many activities that help participants build even more skills for implementing successful emergency operations for their tribal community.

This course is being offered **November 28 – December 1– 28, 2011** at **FEMA's Emergency Management Institute in Emmitsburg, MD.**

Please note that completion of E/L 580, Emergency Management Framework for Tribal Governments, is a mandatory prerequisite for this class.

All instruction, course materials, and housing are provided at no cost. FEMA will also reimburse participants for a 21-day pre-purchased nonrefundable ticket for round-trip transportation by common carrier (economy, coach class, or less). First class and business class airline tickets will not be reimbursed. If participants choose to drive, they will be reimbursed the current federal privately owned vehicle mileage rate not to exceed the allowable airfare cost. Participants must purchase an on-campus meal ticket for \$100 that includes breakfast, lunch, dinner and morning/afternoon breaks for the week.

To enroll in the course, simply complete FEMA Form 119-25-1, Admissions Application (available online at www.training.fema.gov, Emergency Management Institute) and fax it to EMI Admissions Office, 301-447-1658 on or before November 4, 2011.

If you have questions concerning the admissions process, contact the NETC Admissions Office at 301 447-1035. If you have questions regarding the course content, please contact Katie Hirt at katie.hirt@dhs.gov, or 301-447-1164.