



What do we do?
How do we do it?

Setting up a Preparedness Team



- **The A&M and MPP Structure**
- **Mission – Keep it Simple and Clear**
- **Leadership**
 - **Bylaws**
- **Rules to follow – The POC, the CORE Team and Five Pillars**
- **Camps**
- **Objectives Leadership should set and how**

Structure



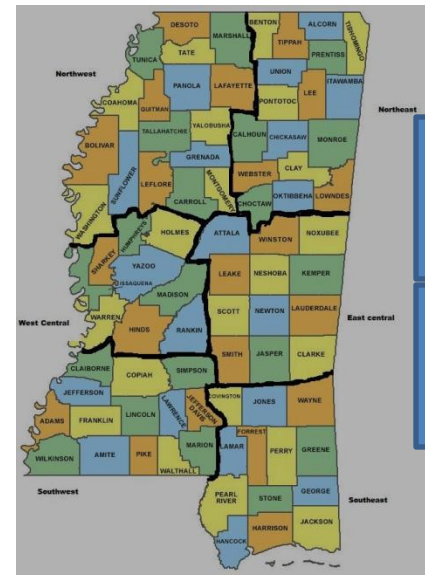
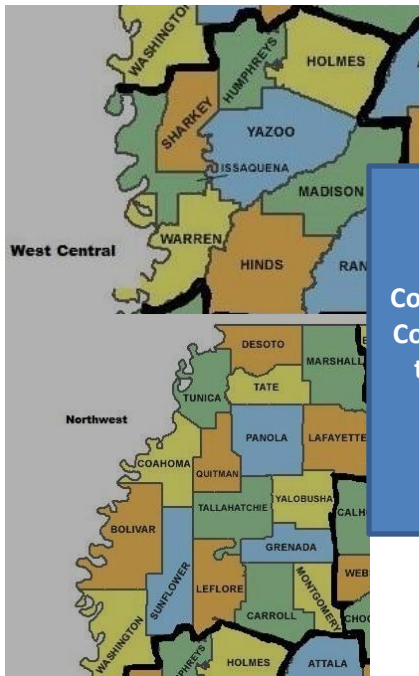
National Call Tree and Preparedness - Parent Organization

MPP - State Level Anchor Group

Counties or Camp Level - Region Comprise as little as 8 Counties to as many as 17, County or Camps have a POC

MPP - Region Level - Six Regions - Each Region has a POC and Second

Northwest, Northeast, West Central, East Central, Southwest, Southeast





- Lets break it down

- The MPP Mission is as simple as it gets. Making sure you and your family are safe in a time of crisis. More so, working with others to form a community of like minded people – **NEVER FORGET THIS**. It is **NOT** about politics, It is about survival. Working with others to elevate yours and theirs chance to survive **TOGETHER**.
- It is **NOT** about being the “**GENERAL**”, **CAPTAIN** and **Barking ORDERS**. it **IS** about leading and continually encouraging, nurturing, supporting **AND** doing by example.
- It is about **FOLLOW THROUGH**. Simply put, given the tools and methods we have developed, we have to make sure those within our ranks are improving their physical and mental resources.
 - Food Needs List
 - BOB Bags load out guide
 - Survival Kits/Vests load out guide
 - Water
 - Security

- The Mission

This accomplishes two things: 1) You develop yourself and family 2) You develop team member(s) whom you can rely upon whom you can trust to react in a predetermined manner beneficial to each other. Note) Even if someone does not become active with the MPP. At the very least, you have eliminated a threat to yourself and the Team and you have also developed another American who believes and can be a benefit long term.

No one man or a family will stand alone

Below are a number of tools we have developed over time by trial and error. They are guides designed for the individual, family and team.

If each team member is outfitted with these tools then as a team you will be able to sustain better and function in a way that may not be at the level you are used to, but you and the team as a whole will survive.

Resource References



Food Needs Per
Person



Survival/Tactical
Vest



The Bob Bag

- Tools for the POC and Core Team

Training Resources



MPP Orientation



Rocket Stove



War Wound
Treatment



Who are the leaders:

POC's are the "Doers", the people that lead the way by example. They are the most experienced in some key areas. They are NOT MICROMANAGERS, CONTROL FREAKS or EGO TRIPPERS.

So when you begin down that path to choose the POC you and your team will follow and those whom will comprise your planning/core team, consider these traits. It is NOT an election, it's a choice they make to accept.

• Leadership –
Whom will be the
leader?

Character

- People Person
- Good Listeners
- They will make good but sometimes tough decisions
- They Lead by example
- The always stay focused
- Do not panic easy
- Can organize easily

Experience

- Successful in Business
- Former Law Enforcement
- Former Military
- Doctors
- Lawyers

Their Drive

- They do not accept status quo
- It is done today, not tomorrow.
- Always finding ways
- Never a quitter
- Will find ways to motivate
- Will surround themselves with those whom make good decisions.
- They leave nothing to chance



- Leadership

The MPP Leadership is comprised of:

- State Coordinator
- 6 Region Points of Contact (Region POC"s)
- 6 "Seconds", or Lieutenants to the Region POC's, Points of Contact.

Subordinates Positions

Field Security and Safety Officer

Medical Officer

Communications Officer

Logistics Coordinator

- 1 National Liaison, State Point of Contact, Alarm and Muster

- County or Camp Points of Contact (POC'S)

Subordinates

Field Security and Safety Officer

Medical Officer

Communications Officer



The MPP operates with a set of bylaws that expressly defines how we operate. We are not a corporation, a for profit or non-profit organization. This is purely a volunteer organization.

- Bylaws

We Volunteer because we care

This NOT a POLITICAL ORGANIZATION, treat it as such



- First, let's put this into perspective:
as an individual, Family and
Community

- We MUST have a way to communicate if normal lines of communication are unavailable
- We MUST have a source or be able to create a source of water.
- We MUST have the means to find or stockpile eatable food
- We MUST have the knowledge and availability of Medical needs outside of the norm.
- We MUST have the means and knowledge to conduct viable security as a person and as a **TEAM** when called upon.
- We MUST sustain as a **TEAM** and by example continue the founding fathers intent and communicate its importance.



- You found the right person for the JOB! The POC – Point of Contact and his/her second!
- You have formed a team of people whom are willing to dedicate some of their time to help themselves and others

Ok- What's Next?

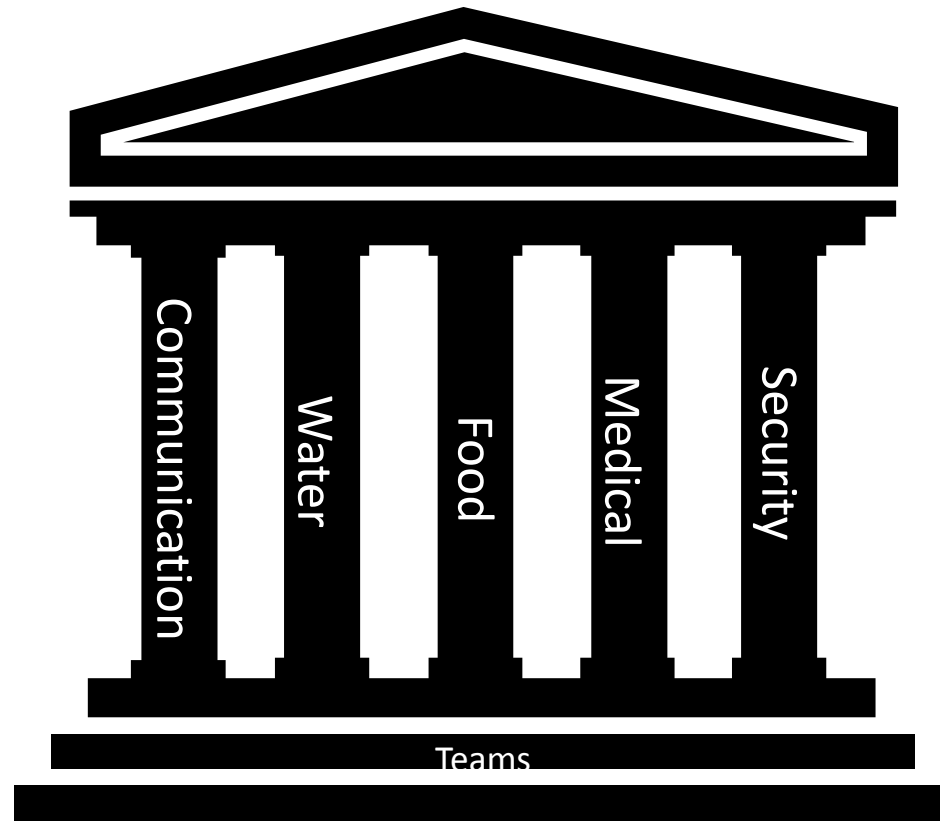


- **The Five Pillars**

This is where you start as a POC and team – individually, family and then team. This is where you lead everyone else to.

You Implement these pillars at those different levels – Individual, Family and Team

Find Content (Core Team) experts in those area's to teach others.





The Core Team

The Core Team is the planning and execution team.

This is the group of people derived from all of those whom join your team that comprise content experts.

Based on the Five Pillars, your goal as a POC is to have one or two individuals with possibly up to three people, whom will help develop your teams agenda.

That agenda consists of :

1. Deploying requirements for individual and family gear and equipment needs.
2. Developing Training Objectives
3. Developing Training Methods
4. Deploying and conducting that training.
5. Developing and Finding Resources
6. Finding Training and Safe Locations
7. Continually Setting Schedules and Executing Training in the Field and in Class.
8. Being Responsible for managing that activity and content.



The Core Team will consist of content experts in the following:

- Communications expert in Amateur, Ham, UHF-VHF and Citizens Band.

- Water Purification

- Food Preparation, Preservation and Foraging

- Medical Services, Nursing, Surgery, Surgical, Triage and Trauma

- Security Development, Training and Deployment in Personnel, Area or Operation and Parameter Security.

- Legal – Having an attorney as a member is a BIG plus.

- The Core Team



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- Communications – (Core Team Member) Find the Expert
- He/She will be the Communications Officer – They will be proactive in interaction and teaching , define the resources others will need so others can acquire the correct equipment.
- He/She is the direct link to POC’s to “get the word out” in case of an situation
- They are responsible for making sure all team members are functional.
- They are responsible for setting up and confirming communications at all training events or activities.
 - He/She will develop baseline standards that will be used and adhered to.
 - Amateur
 - Ham
 - CB
 - FRS/GMRS
 - Protocol, Setting Primary Channels and Security





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- Water – (Core Team Member) Find the Expert
- He/She will be the “Go To Person”– They will be proactive in interaction and teaching others to develop their resources.
- They are responsible for making sure all team members are functional and literate in all aspects of storage, acquisition and purification.
- Working with other team members in developing stores at safe locations.
- They are responsible for finding suitable resources to convey to other team members such as proper storage containers, chemicals and their use.
 - He/She will develop baseline standards that will be used and adhered to.





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- Food – (Core Team Member) Find the Expert
- He/She will be the “Go To Person”– They will be proactive in interaction and teaching others, define the resources others will need so others can acquire the Food Stuffs, equipment or materials to supplement the creation of food stores.
- They are responsible for making sure all team members are functional and literate in all aspects of storage, preparation and foraging.
- Working with other team members in developing stores at safe locations.
- They are responsible for finding, developing and deploying training on plant and animal identification, safe processing and storage .
 - He/She will develop baseline standards that will be used and adhered to.





- The Core Team

- Medical – (Core Team Member) Find the Expert
- He/She will be the “Medical Officer”– This person at minimal must be a Doctor, Nurse or Emergency Medical Technician.
- They will develop:
 - Develop a baseline standard for contents of field and team medical kits carried by personnel with the exception of special medical or medicines required on a case by case basis
 - Develop baseline training for personnel whom will be identified or volunteer to be field medic’s
 - Work with other team members to find resources to develop the area of which will be the “Infirmarium, Hospital etc” that will be utilized in field Training Area’s or Safe Area’s.
 - Define geographic responsibilities of knowledge based on county/camp teams as to whom will receive the required training in the absence of a Medical Officer.
 - Confirm and assure all security team members have baseline field medical training.





- The Core Team

- Security – (Core Team Member) Find the Expert
- He/She will be the “Field Security Officer”– This person at minimal must have experience in Law Enforcement and preferably be former military : Army or Marines.
- They will develop:
 - Develop a baseline standard for tools and equipment stored, used and carried by personnel.
 - Develop and conduct baseline training for personnel whom will be identified or volunteer to be apart of, involved directly or indirectly with field security and safety. This will include:
 - Safe and Efficient use of firearms use as an individual
 - Safe and Efficient use of firearms use as a team.
 - Security as an Individual
 - Security, reconnaissance and observation as a team
 - Train and work with other team members in the development of security in area’s of which will be considered and identified as the “tactical training area’s and Safe Area’s or Bug Out Locations”.
 - Development of parameter security and assignment of security details and teams to function as security for those area’s
 - Assist in development of needed supplies and resources considered crucial to security needs.
 - Be totally responsible for field safety when field events and activities are in process.



- Logistics (Core Team Member Addition) Find the Expert
 - Find that person whom is plugged into the system. Knows all the websites, knows where to go to find that one thing that someone may not know where to go.
 - Having a “Radar O Riley” in your midst will save you an immense amount of time and headache.
 - Have that person be a single point of contact for all members for equipment needs. Have that individual put together the needs list each individual will need along with the best place to find it. Example, Seeds! The list along with it would be coop’s he or she could drive to along with quantities.

- The Core Team



- Camps

Camps by definition are both a physical and personnel structure.

Camps are subordinate to Regions only in the sense that a camp is related to a county within the region in question.

A “Camp” shall be developed ONLY when multiple counties within a region become capable of supporting such camps. This shall be determination by the Region POC. However, members within said camps shall remain apart of that region they reside in for organizational purposes.

In this definition we are speaking to camps of people, not a camp in its true physical form.



• Objectives Leadership should set and How

Setting objectives for an organization can be confusing, however using the five pillars we have developed is in essence the simplest way for a team to begin down the path. With that being said, here is a simple method based on priorities.

- Setting goals for everyone to be “Prepared” individually should be the first goal. Delegate this responsibility to the individual themselves and the core team member over that portion of the five pillars. Setting time lines can be good, but not all people will reach that “deadline” It is imperative that all members be at a minimal, at a level prepared to weather a natural, manmade disaster or Martial Law. Monthly meetings of the group are warranted to find out their progress. Find the basic and define them for everyone.
- Setting goals on three facets of meeting or training area’s.
 - A general under roof meeting area to conduct meetings. Find something central but private.
 - A Field Training Area, within the region or as designated at camp level where by all outside training would be conducted. As a rule of thumb, an urban or suburban site will not be conducive. Find an area that will allow the discharge of firearms and the conducting of field navigation courses. This in itself should tell you that at minimal, 100 acres may be a good start.
 - Bug out or safe location. This site is one born of necessity. These sites will only be used in the event the team **MUST** be completely out of harms way, be hidden and have limited access to the general population or routes in the event of a major catastrophe. These sites locations are kept confidential to the leadership as to location. Locations are only disclosed when the need arises.
- Setting tasks assignments to those whom have volunteered to be apart of the Core Team/Content Experts/Five Pillar. These task will include their creation of or deployed and execution of training activities. The POC and his Second **MUST** continually follow through to find out the status and intended scheduling of these training events.

You are done with the goal setting! Now it is a matter of follow through. Do not become discouraged if one of your core team bows out. Find another! The core team should encompass others whom can assist the assigned content experts to accomplish the goals. Two Nurses developing and deploying a training curriculum is much better than one doing it.



Setting up a team takes time and finding the right people. As a side note, set your level of acceptance of those you include in your team knowing if they join what they do will affect everyone.

The First Step
is Easy

Most of all, ego's, personalities and politics are checked at the door.

Learning to Survive is PRIORITY
NUMBER 1, TEAMWORK SUSTAINS IT.

Good luck!