



**FEMA**

# Training Opportunity



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- Class Title:** MGT405 Mobilizing Faith-Based Community Organizations in Preparing for Disaster (POST Certified) (DHS Approved)
- Class Date:** November 9, 2016
- Sponsor(s):** Missouri State Emergency Management Agency, Cape Girardeau County Public Health
- Course Description:** This planning and management-level course trains FBCO representatives, management-level emergency managers, and first responders from rural and small communities to strategically mobilize and engage members of faith-based community organizations, including religious charities, nonprofits such as the Salvation Army, the American Red Cross, churches (both affiliated and unaffiliated), temples, synagogues, mosques, and NGOs etc., in a reciprocal approach to disaster planning that is integrated into current local and statewide emergency management efforts. This course emphasizes grassroots mobilization and coordination efforts as a means of engaging all faith communities, thereby reaching those marginalized communities most vulnerable to disaster, most frequently excluded from the planning process, and ultimately, most difficult to aid in recovery. This course introduces vital emergency management concepts to FBCO leaders, many of whom will have had no prior experience with emergency management and also seeks to educate emergency managers and first responders about the critical role FBCOs can play in strengthening preparedness.
- Prerequisites:** ICS 100 Introduction to the Incident Command System
- Target Audience:** Emergency Management, Governmental Administrative, Citizen/Community Volunteer
- Location:** Cape Girardeau County Public Health Center  
Conference Room B  
1121 Linden St  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63702
- Class Limit:** 35 Participants
- Class Time:** 8:00 am– 4:30 pm
- Enroll online at:** <http://training.dps.mo.gov>
- Questions or Issues With Registration:** Jack Raetz – Training Officer  
Phone: (573) 526-9016 Fax: (573) 526-9262
- If you need assistance or special accommodations for this training, please contact Jack Raetz at (573) 526-9016 [jack.raetz@sema.dps.mo.gov](mailto:jack.raetz@sema.dps.mo.gov) prior to the training date.**