DISASTER!
How Districts Can Prepare for the Worst
Through Collaboration and Community Partnerships

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Major Issues for Schools

• When do we close?
• When do we reopen?
• How can we help?

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• Buildings
• Equipment
• Vehicles
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Preparing for the Worst

- Have a plan
- Protect and preposition assets
- Connect with local Emergency Management

Working the Plan
Getting Started – Building Relationships

- Reg. 58-1 Emergency Management
- Local Emergency Planning Committee
- School Safety Committee
Regulation 58-1

- Each county within the State shall establish a formal Emergency Preparedness organization ... comprised of all county and municipal officials, departments, local school districts ...

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- County and municipal officials, departments, employees and local school districts shall support the development and maintenance of appropriate emergency plans and procedures, and participate in necessary preparedness activities.

Local Emergency Planning Committee

- Meets quarterly
- Includes emergency responders, government agencies, non-profits, business and industries
School Safety Committee

- Meets monthly
- Includes law enforcement, fire/rescue, emergency medical services
- Executive level members

Are You Ready?

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- Train
- Evaluate

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Questions?

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