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Security



Eighth Coast Guard District

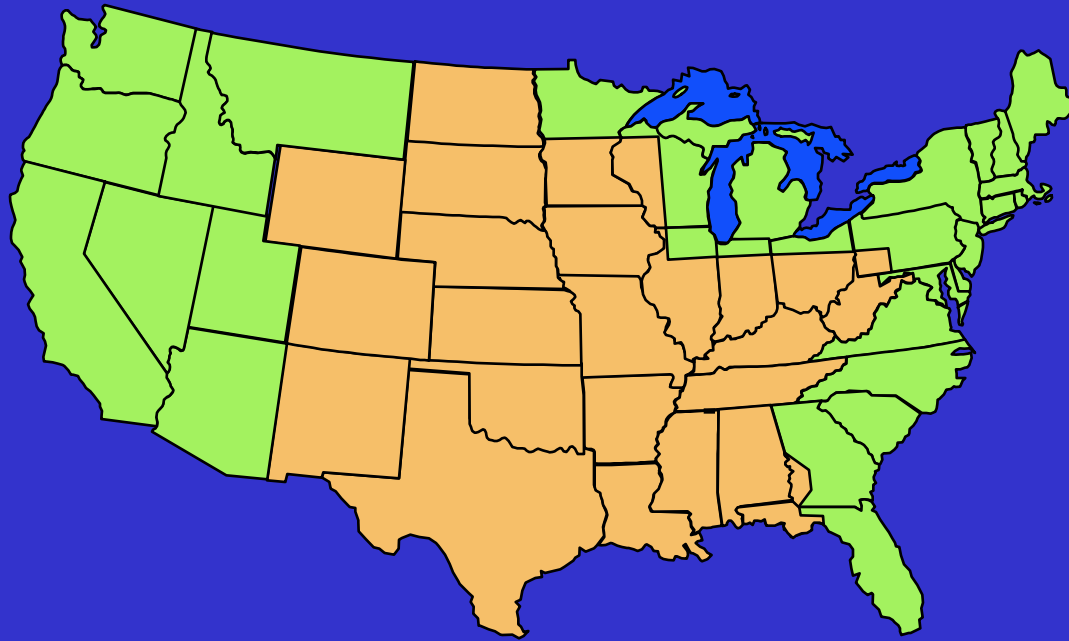
“Making Governance Work in the Face of Emergency: How are Oil Spills Different”

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Eighth Coast Guard District Boundaries

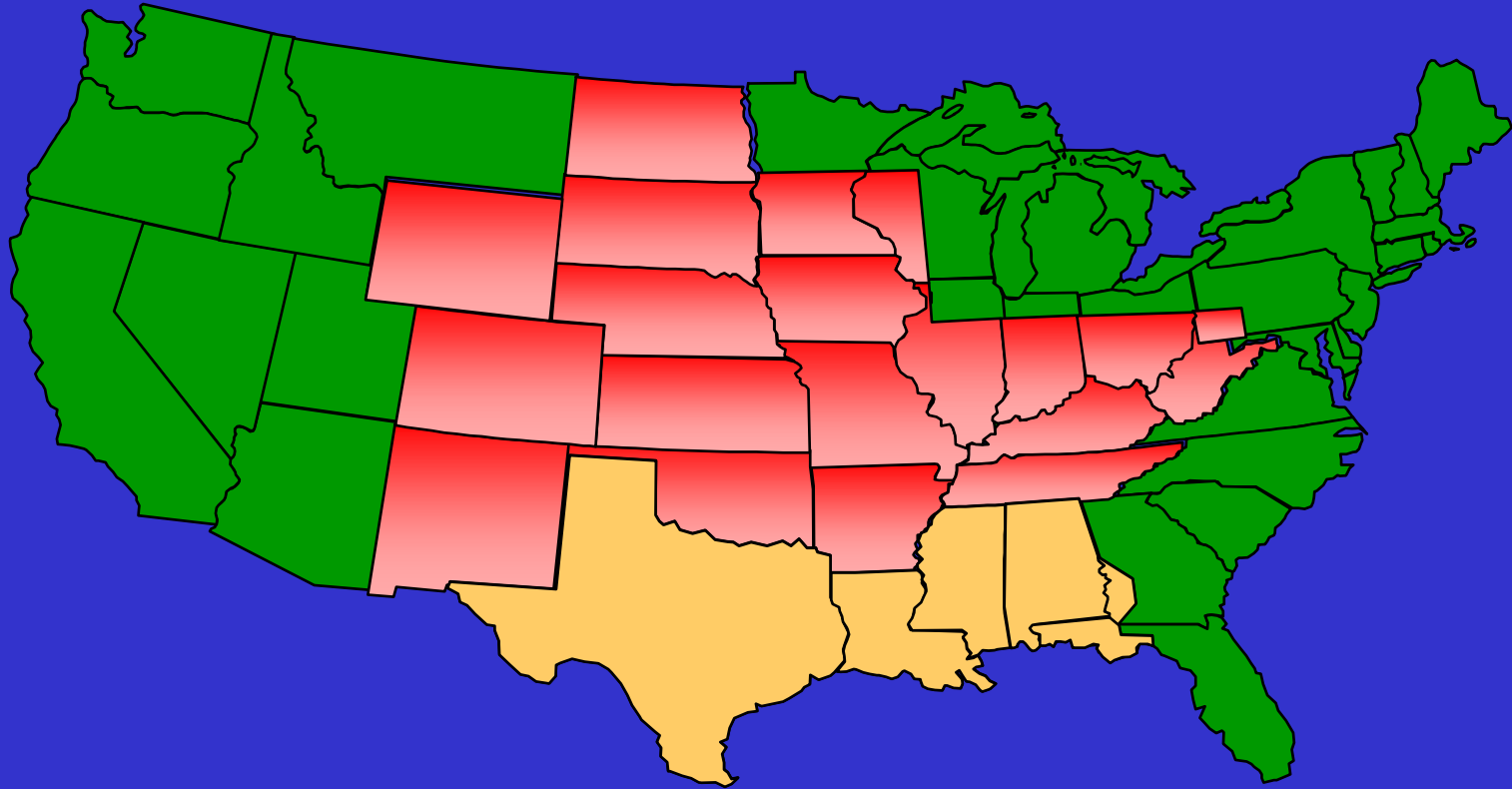


All or part of 26 states.



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One District – Three Distinct Regions

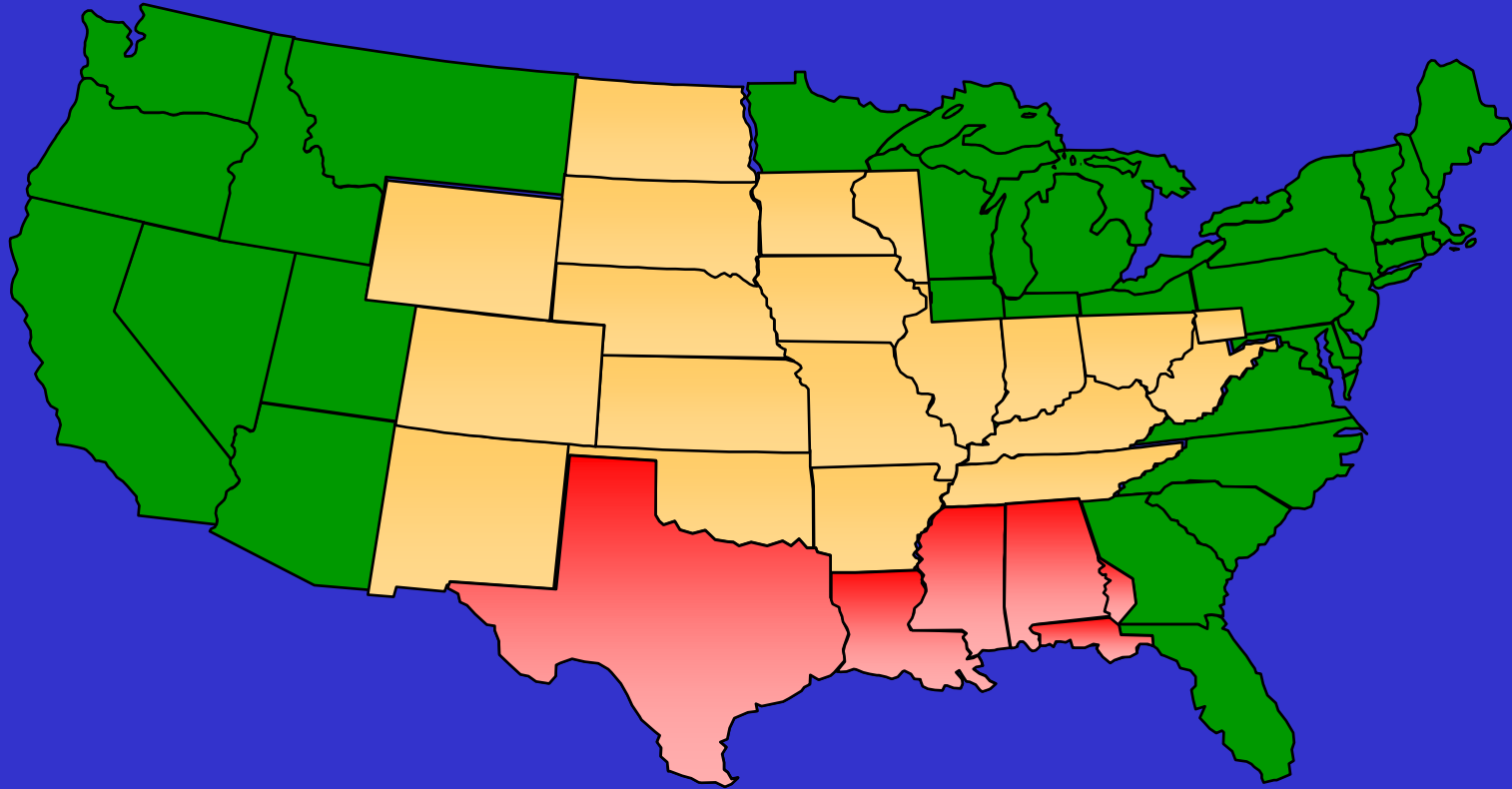


Western Rivers



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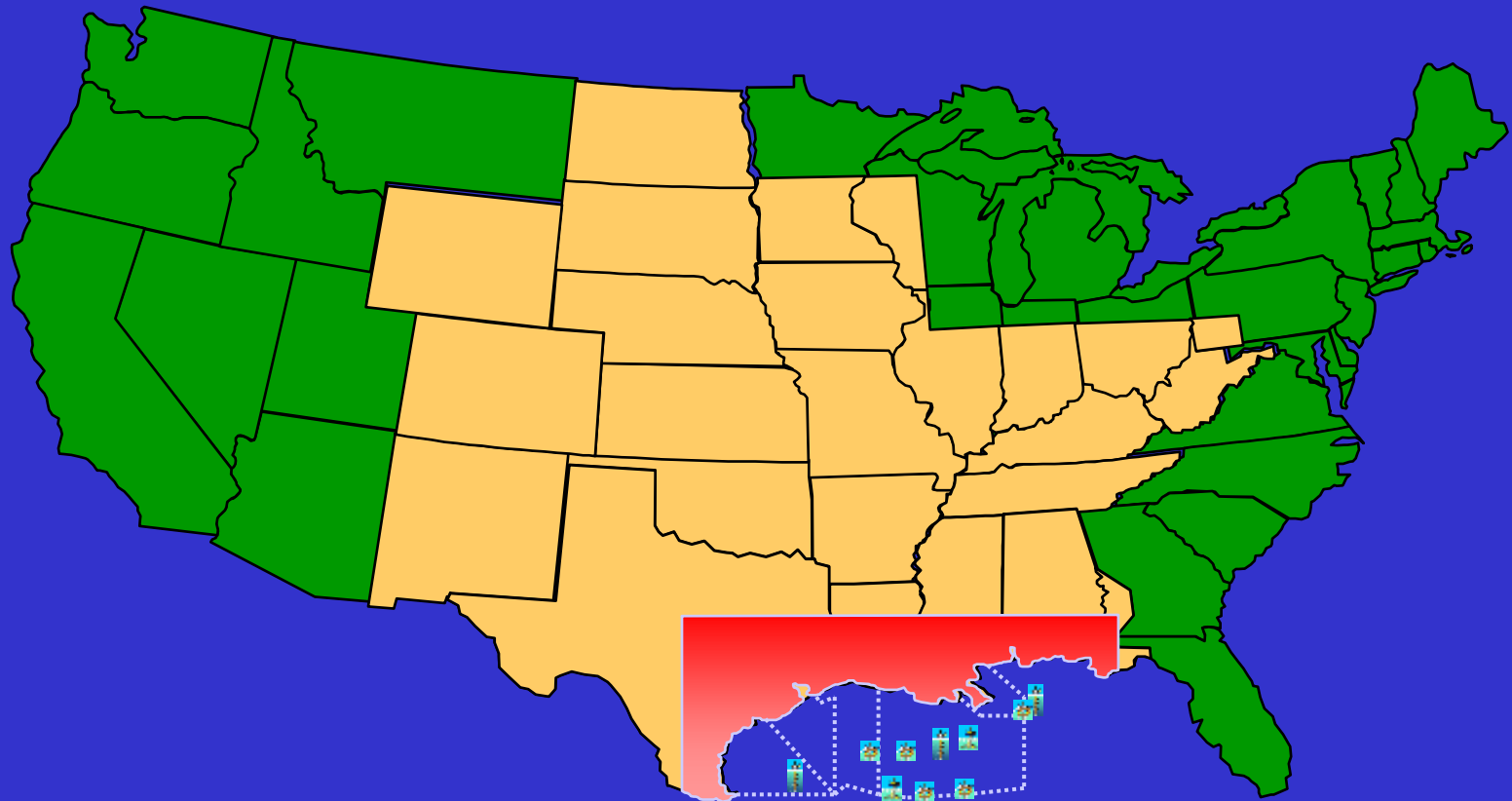


Coastal Zone



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One District – Three Distinct Regions



Offshore

30,000 workers



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Agenda

- Domestic U.S. response requirements
 - All-Hazard: National Response Framework (NRF)
 - Oil & HAZMAT: National Oil & Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP)
- Implementation of these incident management models
- Oil spill and natural disaster response implications



National Contingency Plan (NCP)

- Created in 1968
- To protect the public health & welfare, property and the environment from the release of oil or hazardous substances
- FOSC directs - executes authority side by side with the States
- Several revisions
 - FWPCA 1972
 - CERCLA 1980
 - OPA 1990



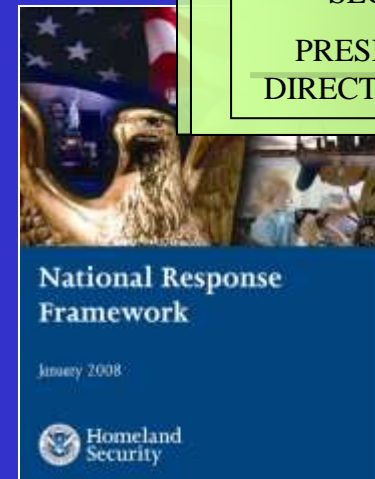
Domestic Mandate

Homeland Security Act of 2002 and HSPD-5 required a comprehensive national approach to domestic incident management through the development of a National Response Plan (revised as the National Response Framework (NRF) in 2008) & National Incident Management System (NIMS).

NRP: Established...

- Federal coordination structures/mechanisms
- Direction for incorporation of existing plans
- Consistent approach to managing incidents

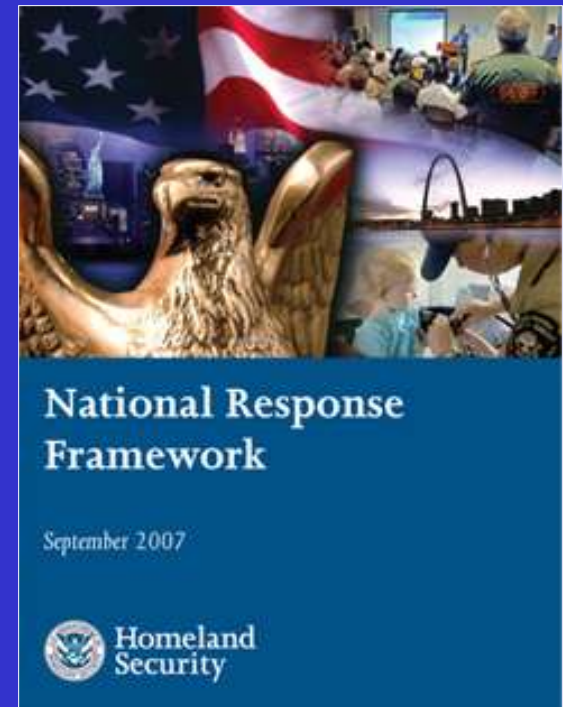
NIMS: Standardizes incident management processes, protocols, and procedures for use by all responders.



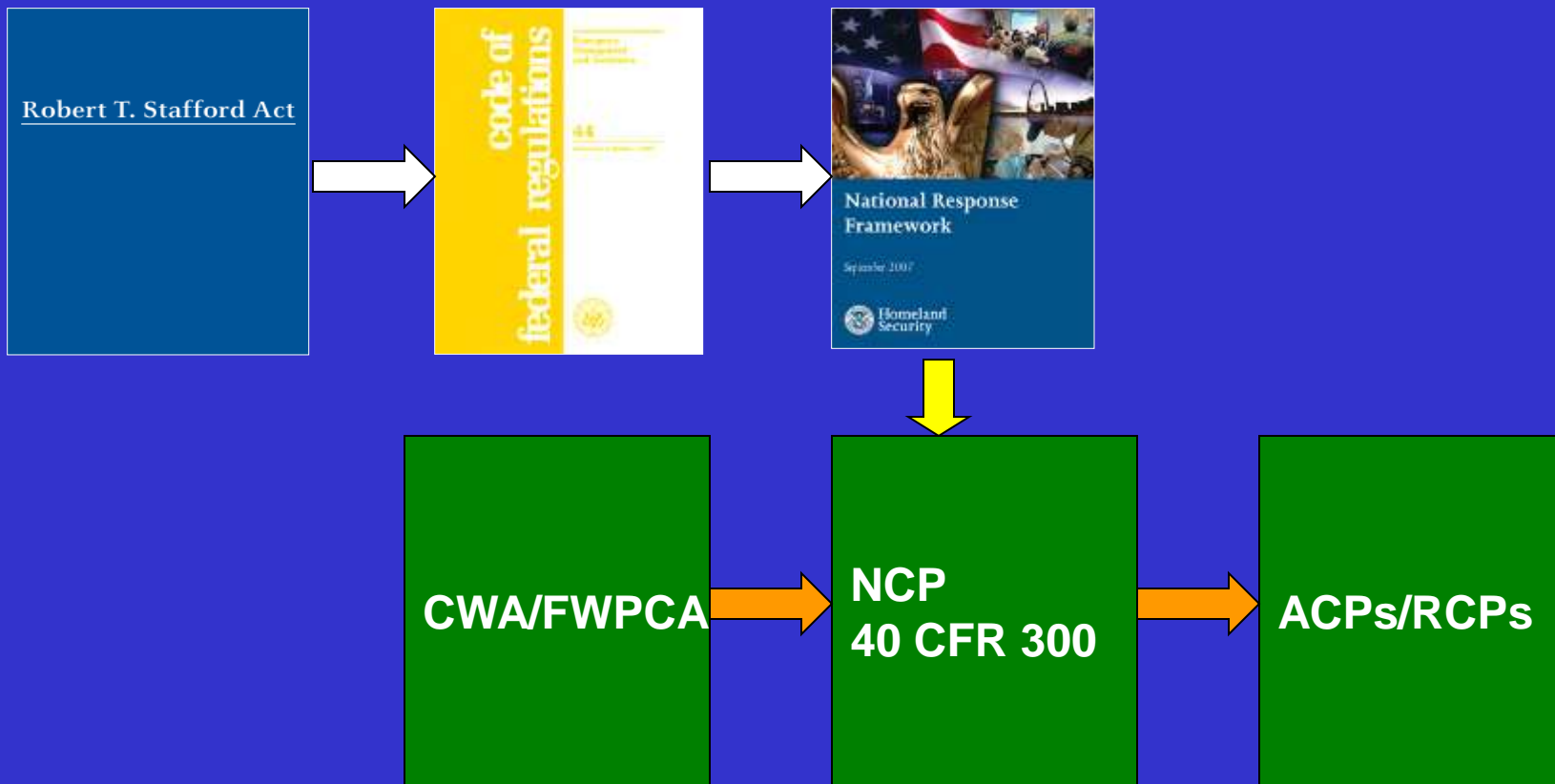
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Disaster Response Plans

- **Federal Response Plan**
 - **Stafford Act authorized the Director of FEMA to prepare a Federal Response Plan**
 - **Created 1988**
 - **Emergency Support Functions (ESFs)**
 - **1994 - the Stafford Act was amended to incorporate most of the former Civil Defense Act of 1950**
- **National Response Plan**
 - **2004**
- **National Response Framework**
 - **2008**



Authorities & Guidance



Emergency Support Function (ESF) 10 Annex

- Acknowledges that NRF does not have to be activated for hazmat & oil responses
- Is an operational supplement to the NRF
- NRS remains in place and RRTs can be used by the FOSC
- Has linkages to Terrorism LE & BRN Annexes
- Allows for NIC for SONS



HSPD-5 and the National Contingency Plan

HSPD-5

National Response Framework

ESF support structure

ESF #10

Relies on the NCP

NIMS

Incident Command System (ICS)

NCP

Federal oversight authority (40 CFR 300.120)

Response Organization

Federal On-Scene Coordinator

Unified Command

Responsible Party

State

USCG

Unified Area Command

National Response System

Area Committees

Regional Response Teams

National Response Team

Spill of National Significance (SONS)
classification (40 CFR 300.323)

National Incident Commander



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NCP or NRF Response

National Contingency Plan

**National Incident Commander
NIC Support Staff serves as the
Unified Coord Group (NRT and other
senior officials)**

**Unified Area Command/Unified
Incident Commands
(USCG Federal OSC, State OSC(s)
Responsible Party)**

**Funding source Oil Spill Liability
Trust Fund (OSLTF) / Responsible
Party**

National Response Framework

**Joint Field Office and Unified Coord
Group (FEMA FCO, State SCO,
other senior officials)**

**State resources and capabilities are
exceeded
Federal support to the States cost
share coordinated through FEMA
FCO**

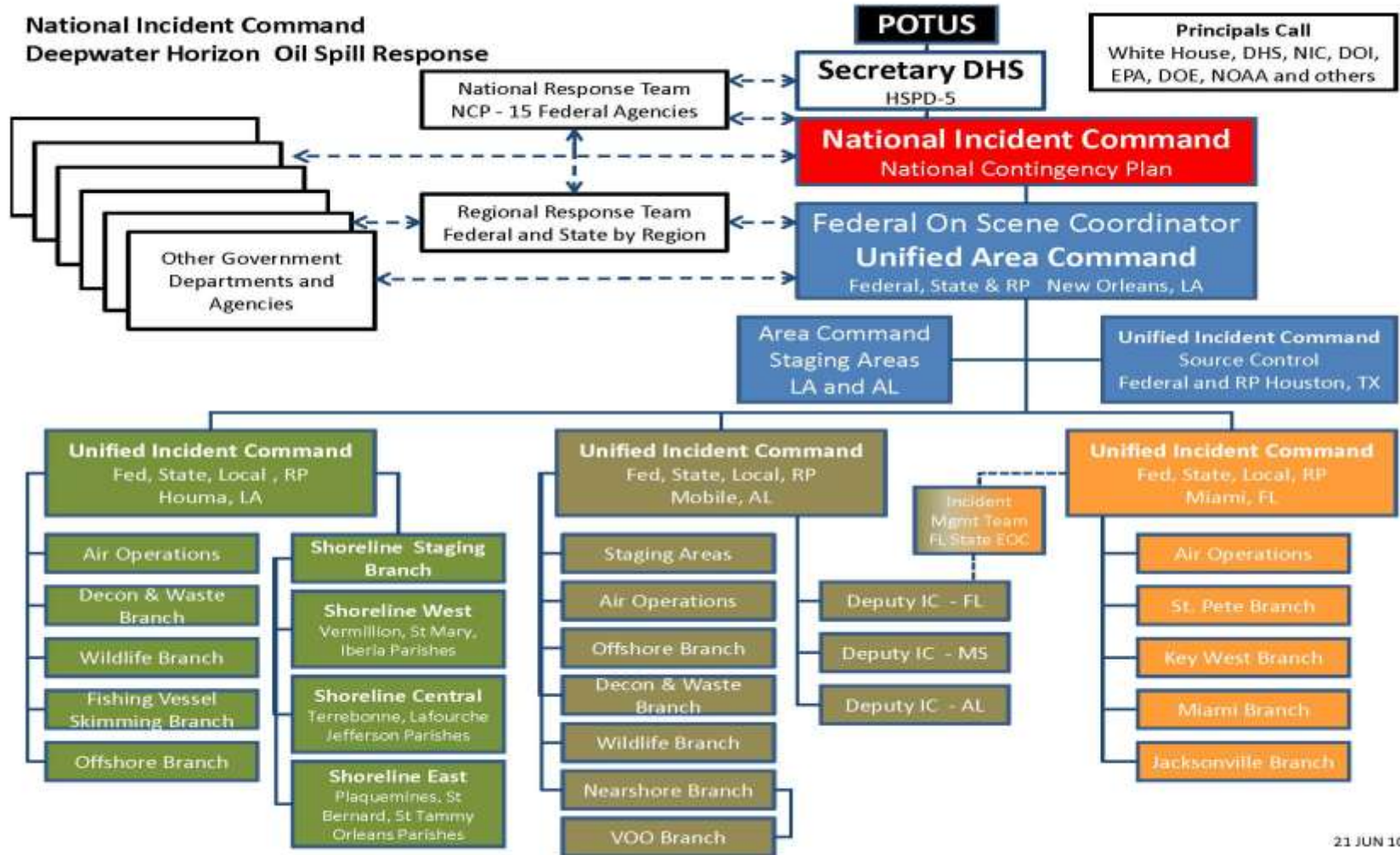
Funding source Stafford Act



National Response Framework (NRF) & NCP Preparedness



DEEP WATER HORIZON COMMAND AND CONTROL



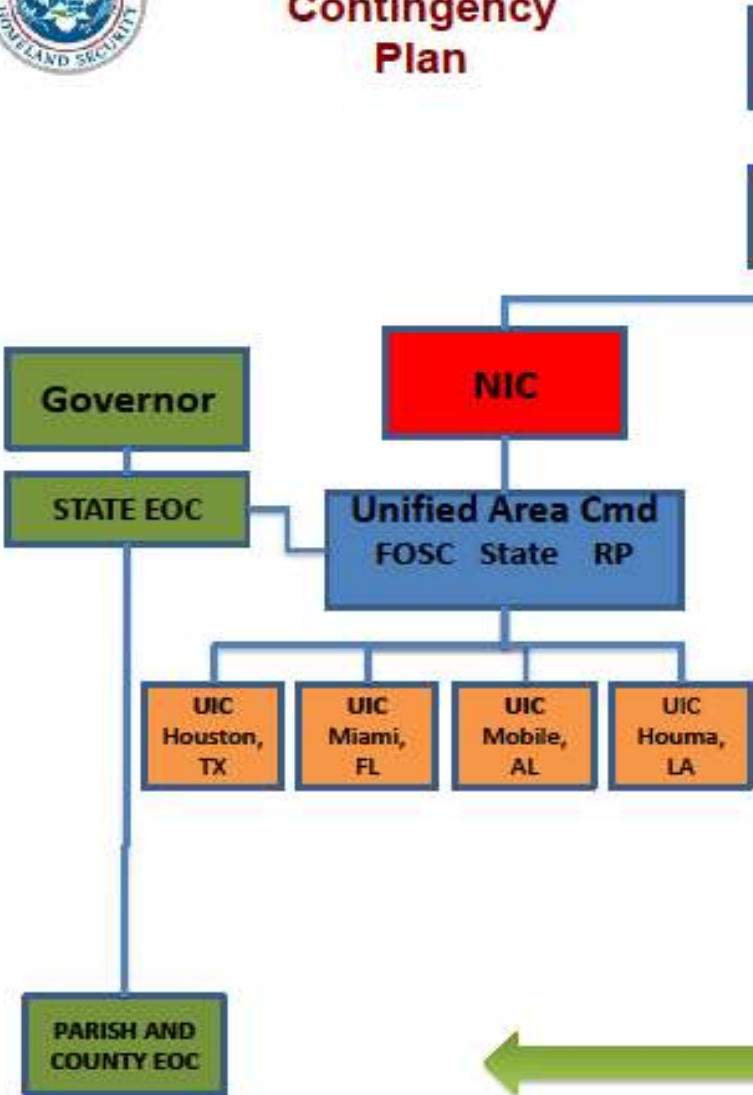
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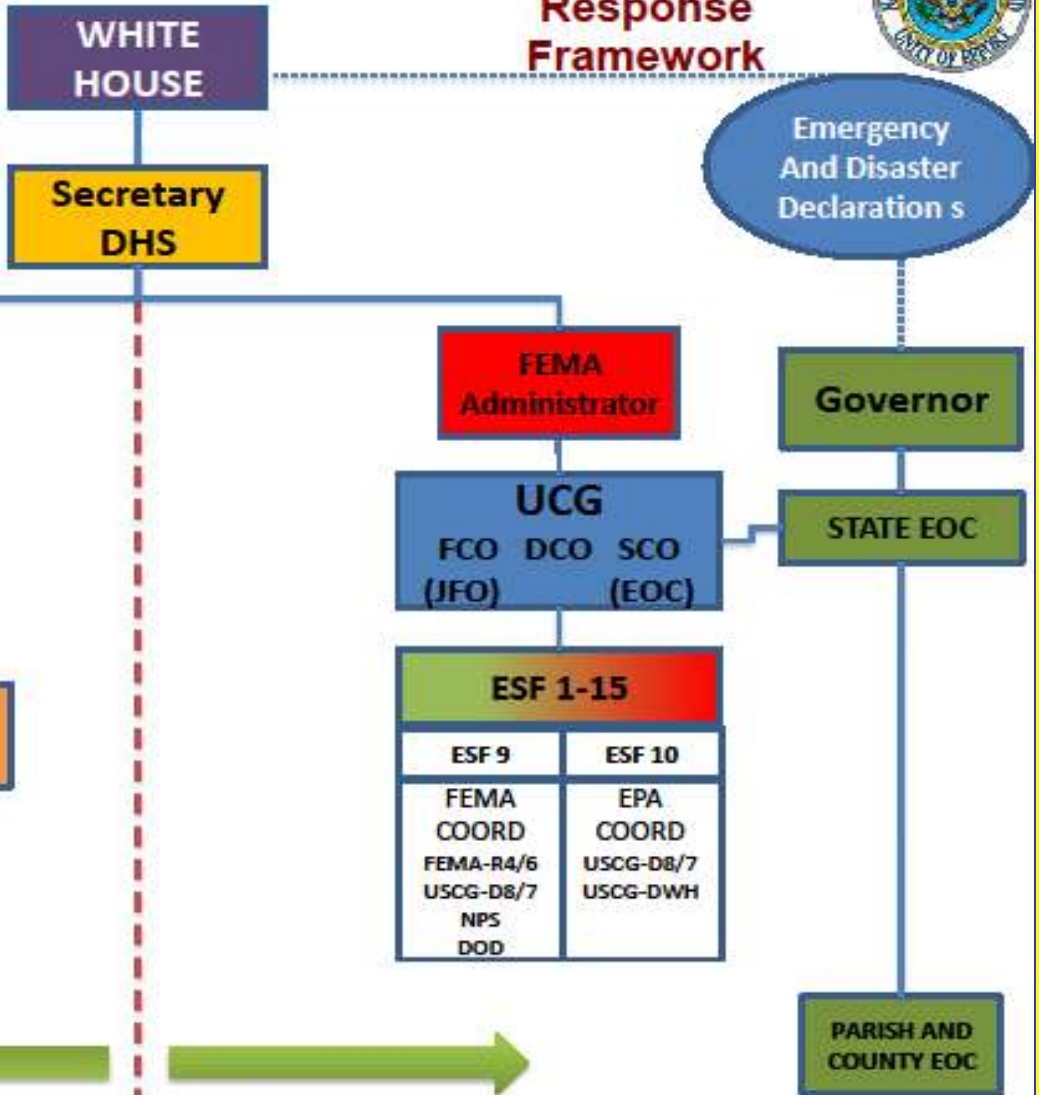


National Contingency Plan



NCP = Federal Command/Control

National Response Framework



NRF = Federal Support to State/Local





Thank You



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