



MONTEREY COUNTY DISASTER COUNCIL

Code Changes/Updates



Monterey County Code

Chapter 2.68

- Defines authorities to proclaim a local emergency and emergency planning
- Empowers the Director of Emergency Services (CAO) and Deputy Director (EOC Manager)
- Establishes the Operational Area Disaster Council



Chapter 2.68 Code Changes



- Updates Membership of the Disaster Council
- Establishes Emergency Management Advisory Committee
- Makes minor non-substantive changes for grammar, etc.

Disaster Council Duties



- Meet at least annually to
 - Consider and recommend for adoption by the Board of Supervisors:
 - Emergency and mutual aid plans and agreements.
 - Ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations as are necessary to implement such plans and agreements.

Disaster Council Membership

Updated

1. County Administrative Officer
2. Deputy Director of Emergency Services
3. County Sheriff-Coroner
4. County Health Officer
5. County Director of Public Works, Facilities and Parks
6. County Director of Social Services
7. General Manager of the Monterey County Water Resources Agency
8. Unit Chief for San Benito-Monterey CAL FIRE
9. Officer in charge of the CHP in Monterey County
10. A representative from the Monterey County Operational Area Emergency Management Advisory Committee.

Previous

1. County Administrative Officer
2. Deputy Emergency Services Director
3. County Sheriff-Coroner
4. County Health Officer
5. County Director of Public Works
6. County Director of Social Services
7. District Engineer of the Monterey County Flood Control and Water Conservation District
8. Chief Unit Ranger, San Benito-Monterey Ranger Unit, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
9. Officer in charge of the California Highway Patrol in Monterey County
10. * Representative of the American Red Cross selected by the chapters thereof within Monterey County
11. * District Ranger, Monterey District of Los Padres National Forest, United States Forest Service
12. * Such additional representation from any other service, support, volunteer, veterans, business, industry, or assistance organization deemed appropriate by the Director.

Emergency Management Advisory Committee Duties



- Meet quarterly to
 - Discuss and consider countywide emergency management plans, procedures, and issues to make recommendations thereon to the Disaster Council through the Office of Emergency Services.

Emergency Management Advisory Committee Membership

1. Emergency managers from the **incorporated cities, special districts, and educational institutions** within Monterey County
2. Emergency managers from **the key utilities** operating within Monterey County
3. County staff positions as identified by the Deputy Director of Emergency Services
4. Members of the Office of Emergency Services
5. Others as identified by the Deputy Director of Emergency Services;

Requested Board Action



1. Waive reading of an ordinance amending Chapter 2.68 of the Monterey County Code
2. Set July 27, 2021, to consider adoption of the ordinance amending Chapter 2.68 of the Monterey County Code to:
 1. Clarify membership of the Monterey County Disaster Council
 2. Establish a Monterey County Operational Area Emergency Management Advisory Committee
 3. Make minor non-substantive changes in language.

