

APPENDIX I: OR-TF1 CAPABILITIES

COMPOSITION

- A 37- Person team for technical search and rescue. Two Regional teams are available.
- Self sufficient for 72 hours and operates with a state Incident Management Team.
- Three Mobile equipment caches are available to support the mission of Oregon US&R

CAPABILITIES

- Capable of round-the-clock search and rescue operations if two teams are activated
- Search operation modes include physical and technical.
- Rescue capability in wood frame, steel frame, un-reinforced masonry, and pre-cast and cast in place reinforced concrete.
- Medical treatment up to the scope of practice for Paramedic for injured Task Force members, and initial care for victims encountered during search and rescue operations. OR-TF1.
- OR-TF1 has radio equipment for its own internal communications.
- Incident Management Team capabilities are available at all levels from supporting the team as a group or branch, up to setting up command for the entire incident. This function is provided by a state IMT team that is in addition to the 37- person OR- TF1 response. The IMT will perform the function the host agency requests.

OR-TF 1 SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS

Transportation needs – OR-TF 1 may need the use of pickups or vans to shuttle equipment and or personnel at the incident.

Medical needs – OR-TF 1 has no medical transport component; local EMS providers will need to be utilized for treatment and transport of victims, or injured US&R members.

Manpower needs – Requests may be made for manpower to assist in the moving of equipment, removal of debris, set up of Base of Operations, etc. in order to maximize the efforts of the task force. Liaisons with local resources will be needed for logistical needs.

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