

WARNING ORDER 010-2425-006 (CERT)

1. SITUATION:

- a. Name of Event/Operation: CERT Training
- b. Dates: 1-3 Nov 2024
- c. Start and End Times: Friday, 1 Nov 2024 at 07:00 hrs. / Sunday 3 Nov 2024 at 1500 hrs.
- d. Location: Headquarters, CACC – Camp San Luis Obispo
- e. Units participating: All units in the California Cadet Corps
- f. Participation Requirements: All members in good standing in their respective units in the CACC with parental and commandant permission may attend. Students must complete Virtual Stop the Bleed Training, FEMA courses IS-100.SCA or IS-100B, and IS-317 prior to arrival to become certified.
- g. Training events planned: Classroom and field training to include CERT tasks and Stop the Bleed training.
- h. Uniform: Class C

2. MISSION:

- a. Headquarters staff will conduct Community Emergency Response Team and Stop the Bleed training which will instruct participants on the various facets of how to safely respond to manmade and natural disasters, how to organize basic disaster response and promote preparedness by participating in school and community events.

3. EXECUTION:

- a. **Commander's Intent:** HQ's will train and empower each CACC school with a qualified team of cadet and adult leaders equipped with the necessary knowledge and skill to support and play key leadership roles in school emergency response operations during common campus emergencies.

b. Concept of Operation:

(1) **PARTICIPATION:** This is a school team participation event. Interested units should apply with each unit configured in teams of five (5) cadets, and one (1) CACC adult. Teams may be composed of cadets in grades 6 - 12. Participation is limited to fifty (50) cadet's total statewide, so units are encouraged to register early.

(2) **PREREQUISITES:** Complete the following FEMA online courses and bring copies of the certificates of completion prior to arrival at CSLO for commencement of training. Either one of the following:

i. **IS-100.SCA:** "Introduction to the Incident Command System for Schools" which can be accessed at no cost at

<http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/courseOverview.aspx?code=IS-100.SCa> **OR**

ii. **IS-100.B:** "Introduction to Incident Command System, ICS-100" which can be accessed at no cost at

<http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/courseOverview.aspx?code=IS-100.b>

iii. All participants must complete **IS-317**: “Intro to Community to Emergency Response Teams” which can be accessed at no cost at <http://training.fema.gov/is/courseoverview.aspx?code=IS-317>

iv. All participants must complete the “**Stop the Bleed**” virtual course which can be accessed at no cost at <https://www.stopthebleed.org/training/>

(3) **TRAIN THE TRAINER**: Commandants who have already completed CERT training are invited and encouraged to become CERT Instructors. You can complete your instructor certification by attending this training event in November as a trainee instructor. Those interested in this should contact LTC Saba directly at paul.saba@cacadets.org to sign up and get the prerequisite requirements.

4. **SUSTAINMENT**:

a. **TRANSPORTATION**: Is not being provided by the state. Teams must arrange their own transportation at their own expense to arrive at Camp San Luis Obispo NLT 0700 on 1 November 2024 and depart CSLO by 1730 on 3 November 2024. Units may arrive beginning at 1800 on Thursday 31 October but must arrive NLT 2200 hours that day if they plan to stay overnight in barracks. Rental vans are available to schools whose CACC driver can file a CalATERS claim.

b. **LODGING**: Will be provided by HQS CACC for the evenings of 31 October-2 November 2024. Open bay barracks are the only available billeting resources, so participants should plan accordingly (bring sleeping bags or bedrolls and other items appropriate to open bay barracks situations).

c. **MEALS**: Meals for 1-3 November 2024 (breakfast, lunch and dinner each day, dinner will not be provided on 3 November) will be provided by HQS CACC. Dinner is available on 31 October if you coordinate with Operations.

d. **UNIFORM**: The uniform for this entire training event is Class C uniform for cadets and CMUs for CACC adult staff.

e. **RECOGNITION**:

(1) All participants who successfully complete the course of study will be awarded a Certification of Completion and a CACC-issued CERT Identification card.

(2) Cadets who successfully complete this training will be awarded the Disaster Preparedness Ribbon IAW CR 1-1 on state permanent orders.

(3) Cadets who successfully complete this training are eligible for wear of the CERT shoulder tab, and the School Emergency Response Team Unit Award once they complete additional activities upon return to the home unit as described in CR 1-1

(4) CACC Adult staff members who successfully complete this training are eligible for the Emergency Training Ribbon IAW CR 1-7.

(5) CACC Adult staff members who successfully complete this training may use the course completion certificate as partial fulfillment of the Military Emergency Management Specialist (MEMS) Qualification Badge as detailed at www.sgaus.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/MEMS-Student-Manual-2016.docx provided the POC is notified that

an individual is pursuing MEMS certification BEFORE the commencement of training on 15 September 2017.

f. **COST:** There is no cost for participation.

g. **REGISTRATION:** Registration for this event is accomplished by submitting a request through the online registration process at: [NOV 2024 CERT Registration](#). Registrations will be accepted beginning immediately on a first come, first served basis until 10 schools have registered. Each school will most likely be limited to a single team. If, however after 1 October 2024 there are still openings, schools will be allowed additional teams on a “space available” basis with the rosters submitted earliest considered first. So, on the respective roster(s) identify IN PRIORITY ORDER “team #1” “team #2” etcetera. Deadline for registration is 1 October 2024.

5. **COMMAND and CONTROL:**

a. Officer in Charge (OIC) for this activity is LTC Paul Saba, paul.saba@cacadets.org.

ACKNOWLEDGE:

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