

# Emergency & Disaster Preparedness Symposium

## Conference Agenda Friday, September 11, 2009

<b>9:00 am to 12:00 pm</b> UTD Waterview Science & Technology Bldg. (WSTC) - <a href="#">Map</a> 17919 Waterview Parkway, Dallas, TX 75252	
9:00 am to 12:00 pm	<b>Regional Emergency &amp; Disaster Response Equipment Showcase</b> See UT Dallas Map: <a href="http://www.utdallas.edu/maps/">http://www.utdallas.edu/maps/</a>
<b>1:00 pm to 6:00 pm</b> UTD Campus, Texas Instruments Auditorium, ECSS Bldg. 800 West Campbell Road, Richardson, TX 75080	
12:30 pm to 1:00 pm	Registration
1:00 pm to 1:15 pm	Moment of Silence: 9/11 Introduction of Dignitaries – UT Dallas Welcome: Dr. Mark Spong, UT Dallas Dean of Engineering & Computer Science Introduce Mayor Elliott: Gary Slagel, Mayor of Richardson
1:15 pm to 2:15 pm	Presentation: <b>9/11 Disaster Response</b> • Mayor Claude Elliott, Gander, Newfoundland, Canada
2:15 pm to 2:45 pm	Presentation: <b>H1N1 Flu Virus</b> • Dr. Ira Nemeth, Dallas County Medical Director • Dr. Sandra Parker, Tarrant County Medical Director
2:45 pm to 3:15 pm	Break (View Booths & Displays)
3:15 pm to 3:45 pm	Presentation: <b>SafeAmerica's - 9/11 Drill Down for Safety</b> • Dennis Schrader, Former Deputy Administrator, FEMA's National Preparedness Directorate
3:45 pm to 4:30 pm	Panel: <b>North Central Texas Emergency Preparedness Panel</b> • <u>Fire</u> : Pat Ekiss, Chief, City of Forest Hill • <u>Police</u> : Lieutenant Ray Jewett, City of Frisco Police Department • <u>Communications</u> : Vanassa Joseph, Chair, North Central Texas Communicators • <u>Emergency Management</u> : Shane Stovall, Director, Emergency Management, Plano • <u>Public Health</u> : Sandra K. Parker, MD, Medical Director, Tarrant County Public Health Preparedness • <u>Moderator</u> : Melissa Patterson, Emergency Management Coordinator, Tarrant County
4:30 pm to 4:55 pm	Presentation: <b>State of Emergency &amp; Disaster Preparedness for Texas</b> • David Erinakes, Homeland Security Policy Advisor, TX Senate Committee
4:55 pm to 5:00 pm	Closing Comments
5:00 pm to 6:00 pm	Evening Reception <b>Outside UTD TI Auditorium by booths &amp; displays</b>