



Iowa Disaster Human Resource Council (Iowa VOAD) Statement of Understanding

The Iowa Disaster Human Resource Council (IDHRC) is the Iowa VOAD and state representative to National VOAD. As such, we prescribe to certain commonalities.

As an IDHRC member, we agree to work cooperatively, rather than competitively, to assist persons and families who have been adversely affected by a disaster. We agree to regularly attend IDHRC meetings, openly communicate, and share best practices. We agree that all disaster survivors should be served in a manner that is as simple, uncomplicated and stress-free as possible. In addition, whenever possible, we will rely on each other's assessments and recommendations. We agree to prescribe to the 4 C's of National VOAD; Cooperation, Communication, Coordination, and Collaboration. We agree and consent to the mutual use of pictures and video taken in the course of our efforts to be used as a way of marketing what we have come together to accomplish.

In return, members will have a conduit into both the government response as well as easy access to the resources of National VOAD. Members will receive information from our mailing list, website, & be better networked into the state VOAD which has a wealth of experience and knowledge, to better plan for, prepare for, respond to and recover from a disaster.

This SOU will be reviewed or resigned every three years by both the IDHRC and Member Agency.

Name of Agency: _____ Website: _____

Type of Agency: Voluntary ____ Faith-based ____ Governmental ____ Non-Profit ____

Address of Agency (City/State/Zip: _____

Agency Program Description (attach second page if needed):

Role your agency/organization can assist in before, during or after a disaster:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Counseling/mental health | <input type="checkbox"/> Debris removal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer/Donations management | <input type="checkbox"/> Clean-up, gutting, and mucking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sheltering and mass care | <input type="checkbox"/> Long-term recovery (rebuilding, etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Functional needs resources | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial assistance program |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing assistance | <input type="checkbox"/> Child care for victims/workers families |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Employment programs | <input type="checkbox"/> Immediate needs (food, shelter, clothing, etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preparedness planning | <input type="checkbox"/> Spiritual Care |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disaster Case Management | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Information and referral | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Assistance for Pets/animals | |

IDHRC Committees your agency/organization is interested in joining/supporting:

- COAD Community Relations
- Communications, Marketing & Training
- Emotional & Spiritual Care
- Finance

- Functional Needs/ESF 6
- Unmet Needs
- Volunteer and Donations Management

Contact Information

Primary Contact Name:	Secondary Contact Name:	Third Contact Name:
E-mail address:	E-mail address:	E-mail address:
Work Phone:	Work Phone:	Work Phone:
Cell Phone:	Cell Phone:	Cell Phone:

Additional representatives are welcome to receive listserv emails, participate in meetings, attend trainings, and provide updates and needs.

Name

Email

Signature:

Member Agency Representative

Title

Date

Please email your agency's logo to idhrc01@gmail.com if you would like your logo to be shared as an IDHRC partner in IDHRC marketing and communication materials.