

IAFSM Plenary 031010
Illinois State Floodplain Programs

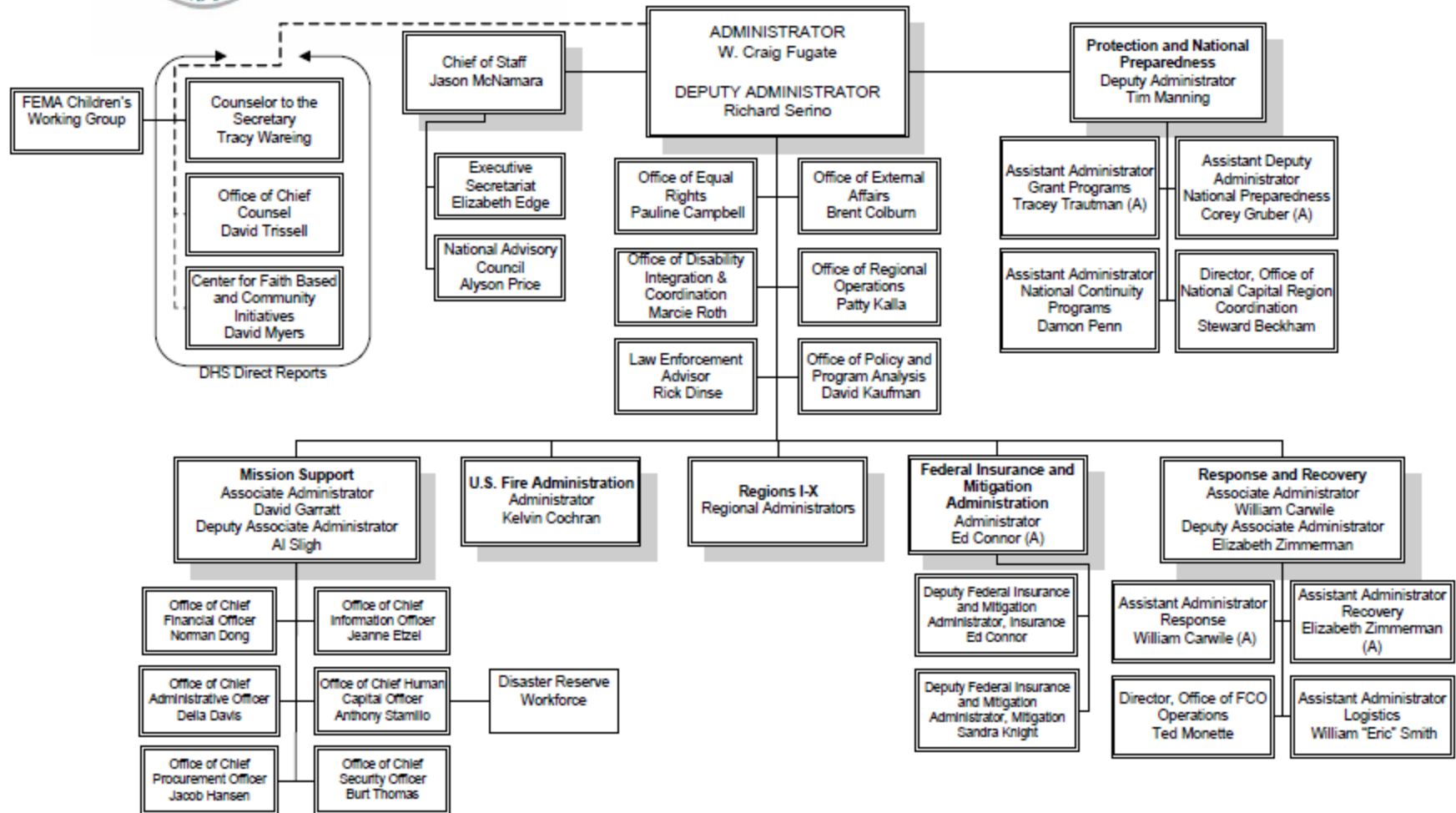
Patrick Glithero
Chief, RV-MT-FMI

FEMA News

- Welcome on behalf of Administrator Craig Fugate
- Undersecretary for Mitigation Dr. Sandra Knight
- Acting Regional Administrator Janet Odeshoo
- Mitigation Division Director Norbert Schwartz



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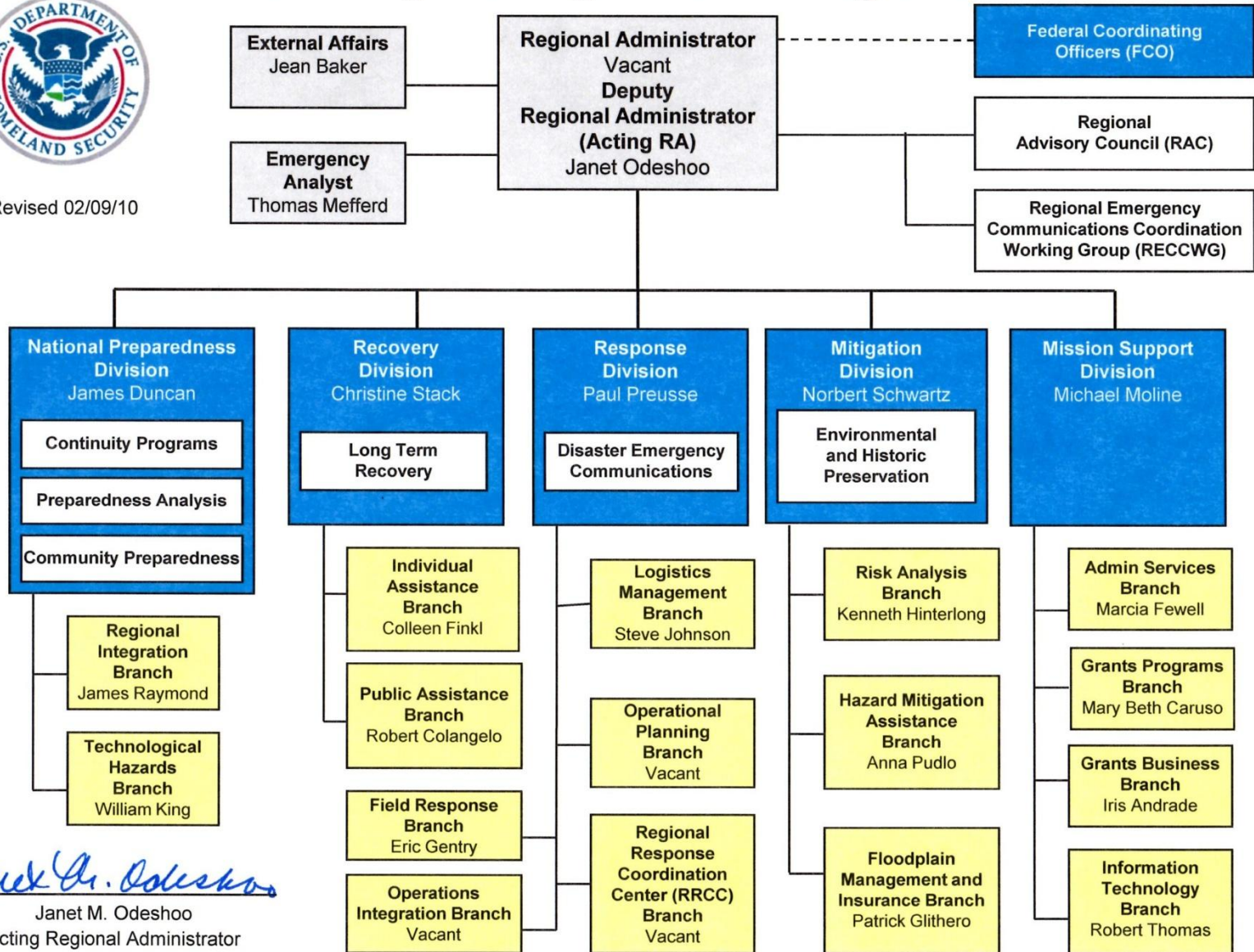
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(A) denotes acting incumbent



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FEMA Regional Organization – Region V



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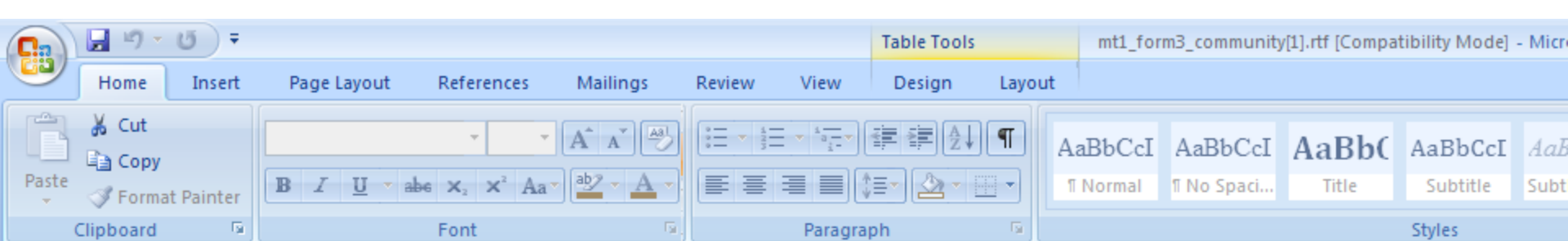
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Acting Regional Administrator

Build safely and solidly

- Floodplain management starts with locals
- IL DNR and your State Coordinator process state permits and support local communities.
- FEMA identifies risk, provides insurance, and supports local and state floodplain management. FEMA is not the way around local regulations!
- MITIGATE – State Hazard Mitigation Officer

What's Your Risk

- Water does not read maps and obey a line of a map.
- Flood risk is everywhere
- Your home is three times more likely to flood than burn over 30 years – buy flood insurance
- www.floodsmart.gov



Community Number: Property Name or Address:

A. REQUESTS INVOLVING THE PLACEMENT OF FILL

As the community official responsible for floodplain management, I hereby acknowledge that we have received and reviewed this Letter of Map Revision Based on Fill (LOMR-F) or Conditional LOMR-F request. Based upon the community's review, we find the completed or proposed project meets or is designed to meet all of the community floodplain management requirements, including the requirement that no fill be placed in the regulatory floodway and that all necessary Federal, State, and local permits have been, or in the case of a Conditional LOMR-F, will be obtained. In addition, we have determined that the land and any existing or proposed structures to be removed from the SFHA are or will be reasonably safe from flooding as defined in 44CFR 65.2(c), and that we have available upon request by DHS-FEMA, all analyses and documentation used to make this determination. For LOMR-F requests, we understand that this request is being forwarded to DHS-FEMA for a possible map revision. For LOMR-F or Conditional LOMR-F requests that have the potential to impact an endangered species, documentation will be submitted to show that we have complied with Sections 9 and 10 of the Endangered Species Act (ESA). Section 9 of the ESA prohibits anyone from "taking" or harming an endangered species. If an action might harm an endangered species, a permit is required from U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service or National Marine Fisheries Service under Section 10 of the ESA. If actions authorized, funded, or being carried out by Federal or State agencies, documentation from the agency showing its compliance with Section 7(a)(2) of the ESA will be submitted.

Community Comments:

Community Official's Name and Title: <i>(Please Print or Type)</i>		Telephone No.:
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Community Name:	Community Official's Signature: (required)	Date:
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B. PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE REGULATORY FLOODWAY

As the community official responsible for floodplain management, I hereby acknowledge that we have received and reviewed this request for a Letter of Map Revision. We understand that this request is being forwarded to DHS-FEMA to determine if this property has been inadvertently included in the regulatory floodway. We acknowledge that no fill on this property has been or will be placed within the designated regulatory floodway. We find that the completed or proposed project meets or is designed to meet all of the community floodplain management requirements.

Community Comments:

MT-1 Community Acknowledgement

- Based on review, we find:
 - Meets all fpm requirements with no floodway fill
 - All Federal, State, and local permits obtained
 - Reasonably safe from flooding 44CFR 65.2(c)
 - All documentation on file and available
 - LOMR-F and CLOMR-F meets Sections 9 & 10 of Endangered Species Act (no harm and permit)

NFIP Insurance Points to Remember

- NFIP Reauthorized until March 28
- Between December 2008 and December 2009, IL policies in force declined 1309 total
- Everyone is at risk. Insurance is your safeguard day in, day out, disaster declaration or not, whatever zone
- Effective floodplain management is living with risk, not denying your risk! Plan to live safely.

FEMA Partners Here Today

- Pat Glithero – FMI Branch Chief
- Jennifer Scholl – FEMA Floodplain Management Specialist
- Suzanne Vermeer – Civil Engineer
- David Schein – Regional Flood Insurance Liaison