



**To: Bay Area UASI Advisory Group**

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**RE: The Bay Area UASI Multi-Year Regional Training and Exercise Plan**

**Recommendation:**

It is recommended that the Advisory Group (serving in its capacity as the Regional Training and Exercise Steering Committee) review the Bay Area UASI Multi-Year Regional Training and Exercise Plan (2013-2015).

**Action and Discussion Item:**

Review of the Bay Area UASI Multi-Year Regional Training and Exercise Plan.

**Background:**

In July 2011, the Bay Area UASI Training and Exercise Program was funded by the Bay Area UASI. The regional program was developed and is currently managed by the Alameda County Sheriff's Office. As part of managing the Regional Training and Exercise Program, the Alameda County Sheriff's Office was tasked with developing a multi-year regional training and exercise plan. The Alameda County Sheriff's Office contracted with Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC), to facilitate a regional workshop, conduct a series of meetings and to produce a multi-year regional training and exercise plan.

The process was initiated with a kickoff meeting on June 27, 2012 and was followed by a series of meetings and conference calls designed to solicit input from the region. On July 17, 2012, a regional Training and Exercise Planning Working was conducted. The workshop was multi-disciplinary and included members from across the region. Approximately 100 regional representatives attended the workshop. The Regional Training and Exercise Team worked very closely with SAIC during all steps of this process.

The manual was reviewed and vetted by the UASI CBRNE/Training and Exercise Workgroup during their regular monthly meetings in July and August 2012. Input from the workgroup was incorporated in the final draft. A final draft of the plan was accepted by the Regional Training and Exercise Team on August 31, 2012.

**Discussion/Description:**

The Bay Area UASI Multi-Year Regional Training and Exercise Plan is attached for review.