



South Bay ECS

South Bay Emergency Communications Service, Inc.

Operational Protocols

All South Bay ECS operational protocols and training follow the National Response Framework (NRF), the National Disaster Recovery Framework (NDRF), and the National Emergency Communications Plan (SAFECOM), while utilizing ICS forms.

The NRF Resource Center can be found at:

<http://www.fema.gov/emergency/nrf/> which site includes the NRF Documents, Support Annexes, Stafford Act Support to States and other key source documents.

The National Disaster Recovery Framework Initiative can be found at:

<http://www.fema.gov/recoveryframework/>

The National Emergency Communications Plan can be found at:

<http://www.safecomprogram.gov/SAFECOM/natlemergencycommplan/>

The ICS forms can be found at:

http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/ICSResource/ICSResCntr_Forms.htm

SBECS uses many frequencies, scribes, and data communications methods.

SBECS limits who we send messages for and to.

SBECS use voice and data nets and subnets with strong emphasis on keeping the SBECS volunteers properly hydrated, fed and mentally alert.