

## RUMOR CONTROL



- Riots, Looting, Rapes, Kidnapping, Murders
- Downtown Closures
- Civilian Gun Sales
- Talk Radio/Internet/Email



## RED CROSS

- Know their policies and procedures
- Communicate
- Identification of Shelter Residents Important
- Have Shelter Security Plan



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Establish a Joint Information Center
- Law Enforcement Unified Command
- Administration and Elected Officials
- Coordinate with Service Entities and Utilities



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Establish a State Mutual Aid Agreement
  - Unaffected Areas Send Help
  - Help Must Be Self Sustained



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Communications
  - Have a plan
  - Have a backup plan
  - Identify systems for call-out
  - Exercise the plans in advance



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Critical Incident Stress Management
  - Officers' mental state must be cared for



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Supplies – must be able to sustain department for seven days
  - MRE's/Water
  - Dorm With Showers and Cots
  - Uniforms
  - Pre Arrange Food Vendors



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Volunteers In Police Service (VIPS)
  - Establish and utilize volunteers
  - Retired officers



## LESSONS LEARNED

- Public Information Officer (PIO)
  - Coordinate and monitor media
  - If possible, monitor Internet

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