

## Exercise 9

# Communication Nets

## Unit 9

### Purpose

The purpose of this exercise is to create an ICS Form 205 to address Command and tactical channel assignments. Consider assigning tactical channels for current and potential responders.

### Objectives

Students will:

- Recognize the significant information received and draw conclusions to create a communications system.
- Recognize any incomplete information and ask questions accordingly.
- Students will complete an ICS Form 205 Radio Communications Plan.

### Exercise Structure

This exercise is a continuation of the previous ICS 205 Radio Communications Plan exercises. It is based upon the receipt of new incident information that requires revision of the ICS 205 Radio Communications Plan. The exercise is scheduled to last approximately 45 minutes. The instructor will read an updated script from the City of Central City scenario (see Exercise Scenario Update). Based on this information, the students will discuss the significance of the information received and what conclusions to draw as they create an ICS 205 Radio Communications Plan.

### Rules, Roles, and Responsibilities

Students will in small groups.

Following are the specific activities / instructions for your participation in the exercise:

1. Review the information provided.
2. Complete the attached ICS Form 205 based on the Form 217A located in the Central City tab, Tanker Accident Organization Chart, Harbor Division Map and updated information.
3. Make corrections according to the Instructor's feedback.

Instructors moderate discussions, answer questions, and provide additional information as required.

### Exercise Scenario Update

Central City has experienced an event where a large marine tanker delivering crude oil to the refinery has impacted the pier. The tanker was significantly damaged and is leaking crude oil

into the harbor. There is no fire currently, but there is significant potential. The crude flammable vapors are all around the harbor and generally heading toward the downtown area.

The agencies involved are: Central City Fire, Police, Public Works, State Police, State DNR, State Fire, Coast Guard and the Refinery. Mutual Aid is en route or on-scene from the State Law and Fire agencies as well as mutual aid from North, East, and West Cities.

Using the 217A Communications Resource Availability Form, participants will create an ICS Form 205 Radio Communications Plan that addresses a Command Channel, at least one Law Enforcement Tac, a DNR Tac, at least one Fire Tac, including the refinery security and the Coast Guard. They will plan for the NTSB, EPA, Spill Control companies and any other responders they think would attend.

### Suggested Question

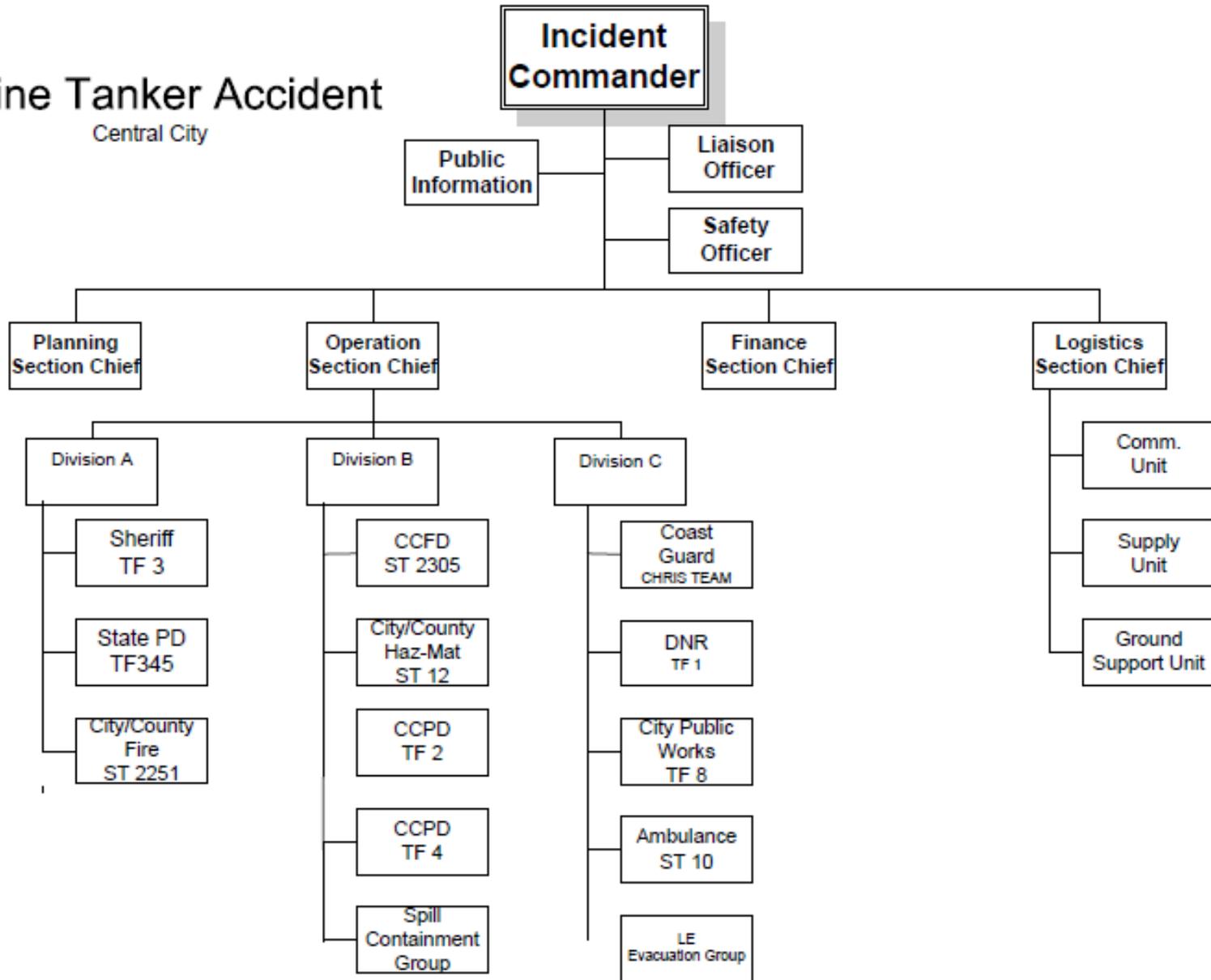
This is planning for the second operational period; all agencies have at least some assets at the scene. How would you design the communications systems to be used?

## Exercise 9 Schedule

Activity	Duration	Participation Type
Exercise Introduction	5 minutes	Classroom
Instructor Briefing	5 minutes	Classroom
Complete ICS Form 205	20 minutes	Individually
Review with Instructor	15 minutes	Classroom

# Marine Tanker Accident

Central City



ALL HAZARDS COMMUNICATIONS UNIT LEADER



## INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN (ICS 205)

<b>1. Incident Name:</b>	<b>2. Date/Time Prepared:</b> Date: <input type="text"/> Time: <input type="text"/>	<b>3. Operational Period:</b> Date From: <input type="text"/> Date To: <input type="text"/> Time From: <input type="text"/> Time To: <input type="text"/>
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<b>4. Basic Radio Channel Use:</b>										
Zone Grp.	Ch #	Function	Channel Name/Trunked Radio System Talkgroup	Assignment	RX Freq N or W	RX Tone/NAC	TX Freq N or W	TX Tone/NAC	Mode (A, D, or M)	Remarks

<b>5. Special Instructions:</b>
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<b>6. Prepared by</b> (Communications Unit Leader): Name: <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	Signature: _____
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