



Managing Spontaneous Disaster Volunteers: Opening a Volunteer Reception Center

Training for Local Governments, Volunteer Centers, Citizen Corps Councils, VOAD members and others

This training session, conducted by North Carolina State Volunteer & Donations Management Coordinator Faye Stone, prepares participants to staff Volunteer Reception Centers which process, screen, and manage spontaneous volunteers in times of disaster. These centers insure that volunteers are given meaningful and constructive opportunities to satisfy their desire to assist in time of need, while not overwhelming affected communities in their response and recovery process. Having staff trained in advance allows them to integrate into this critical disaster response role quickly. The training includes a simulated Volunteer Reception Center where participants experience the VRC model and practice how to manage spontaneous volunteers.

Thursday, October 1

OR

Saturday, October 3

9:00am – 3:00pm either day

**Salem Conference Center
220 Commercial Street SE
Salem OR 97301**

Registration Fee:

\$80 on October 1 (includes other conference events)

\$25 on October 3

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