

TACTICAL GROUP SUPERVISOR: The Tactical Group Supervisor is responsible to organize and direct law enforcement tactical operations during the incident. Tactical Groups may include SWAT, TAC, Dive Team, Explosives Disposal Unit, Patrol Response or other special operations units.

- a. Review Common Responsibilities (Page 1-2).
- b. Review assignments for effectiveness of current operation and modify as needed.
- c. Supervise Group activities and staff with assigned personnel and request additional personnel and resources sufficient to handle the magnitude of the incident.
- d. Report to the Law Enforcement Branch Director on group activities.
- e. Provide input to the Branch Director for the Incident Action Plan.
- f. Develop a plan to utilize the Tactical Operation Group.
- g. Assemble special equipment and trained personnel.
- h. Coordinate activities with other operational elements at the incident.
- i. Determine location for response.
- j. Consider staging areas.
- k. Assess situation.
- l. Determine communication issues.
- m. Determine staffing needs.
- n. Determine equipment needs.
- o. Determine if Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) is needed.
- p. Consider tactical equipment needs (armor, vests, helmets, etc.).
- q. Determine type of tactical response resources required.
- r. Consider needs for maps and building plans.
- s. Determine support needs and location for support resources.
- t. Determine mission and projected length.
- u. Consider crowd control and riot control issues.
- v. Consider evidence issues.
- w. Consider nutrition, hydration and rest needs and coordinate with Logistics Section.
- x. Report status of mission.
- y. Maintain Unit/Activity Log (ICS Form 214).

SWAT Team Leader

Responsible for direct response to armed and/or barricaded subjects, high risk arrests and high risk search warrants.

- a. Review Common Responsibilities (Page 1-2)
- b. Obtain briefing from the Tactical Group Supervisor
- c. Identify the tactical HotZone for SWAT operations
- d. Develop plan for SWAT response to incident
- e. Assemble appropriate team and assign tasks
- f. Consider need for elements of the TAC team in that response
- g. Determine triggers for elevated responses
- h. Report status of operations

TAC Team Leader

Responsible for hostile crowd control situations, mobile field force, peaceful demonstration response, assist in SWAT operations.

- a. Review Common Responsibilities (Page 1-2)
- b. Obtain Briefing from the Tactical Group Supervisor
- c. Coordinate activities with the SWAT Team Leader if necessary
- d. Determine egress routes to move crowd elements
- e. Determine appropriate public address
- f. Determine chemical agent needs
- g. Determine arrest and detention strategies
- h. Determine equipment needs
- i. Determine need for mobile booking facility and security
- j. Assemble appropriate team and assign tasks
- k. Report status of operations

Inner Perimeter Team Leader

Responsible for the security of the inner perimeter which is the tactical HotZone. If no tactical HotZone exists the responsibility for security of the inner perimeter can be moved the Security Group Supervisor.

- a. Review Common Responsibilities (Page 1-2)
- b. Obtain briefing from Tactical Group Supervisor
- c. Coordinate activities with SWAT and TAC Team Leaders
- d. Determine appropriate equipment for security of Tactical HotZone.
- e. Report status of operations

Hostage Negotiator Team Leader

Responsible to supervise or participate in all negotiations with hostile subjects during the incident.

- a. Review Common Responsibilities (Page 1-2)
- b. Obtain briefing from the Tactical Group Supervisor
- c. Coordinate activities with the SWAT and TAC Team Leaders
- d. Determine communication needs
- e. Report status of operations

EDU Response Team Leader

Responsible for the mitigation of known and unknown explosives during an incident.

- a. Review Common Responsibilities (Page 1-2)
- b. Obtain briefing from the Tactical Group Supervisor
- c. Coordinate activities with the SWAT and TAC Team Leaders
- d. Determine type of explosives device
- e. Determine mitigation options of explosive device
- f. Report status of operations

TACTICAL GROUP ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

