

Tribal Emergency Management

Emergency-management coordination that keeps Tribal authority, AOI context, governance, partners, plans, and operational work visible.

The operating problem

Tribal emergency management requires the same speed and accountability as any emergency program while respecting sovereignty, government-to-government relationships, local governance, cultural resources and information-sharing decisions.

Who it supports

Tribal emergency managers, Tribal leadership, public safety, health, public works, planning, cultural-resource staff and authorized partners.

Connected workflow

1 Confirm Tribal AOI / authority	2 Review assurance and readiness	3 Activate plan / incident	4 Coordinate partners and resources	5 Document decisions and handoffs	6 Transition to recovery / improvement
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What users can do

- Maintain Tribal AOI and governance context through workflows and reports.
- Coordinate decisions, handoffs, resources and partner actions without losing authority context.
- Activate approved plans into controlled operational actions.
- Use readiness and credential evidence without overriding Tribal qualification policy.

Vanguard VEM is a coordination platform. Configuration and sharing should follow Tribal policy, sovereignty, legal requirements and authorized information-governance decisions.

Recovery 35.6 - Connected operational

Vanguard VEM now goes beyond storing operational records. The system can surface work that needs attention and connect decisions, resources, meetings, qualifications, plans and handoffs to the same operational context.

Connected capability	Recovery 35.6 operating layer
Operational Assurance	Universal Needs Attention queue plus Executive / Command Brief from permission-visible records.
Decisions, Handoffs & Meetings	Structured decision logs, acknowledged shift/position handoffs, and meeting actions that persist until closed.
Resource Lifecycle & Readiness	Resource requests from request through closeout, plus credential/qualification evidence and readiness warnings.
Plan-to-Operation & Schedule	Activate approved plans into trackable actions; schedule routine, preparedness, training, exercise, recovery and incident meetings.
GIS/COP, Live Intelligence & ICS	Map-first COP, source-aware intelligence, position workspaces, standardized forms and automated incident documentation.
Instructions, Training & Sandbox	Affected guidance, training and practice paths are synchronized with the current build and support controlled user learning.

Operational Assurance examples

- Overdue assignments or unresolved high-priority items.
- Work without a documented owner or follow-up.
- Aging resource requests or incomplete resource closeout.
- Meeting actions that remain open after the meeting.
- Qualification/readiness warnings tied to assignments.
- Recurring corrective actions or unresolved recovery handoffs.

Built for controlled use

Operational Assurance is a decision-support and accountability layer. It links users back to source records and requires human validation. Credential Readiness reports documented evidence and warnings; it does not confer qualifications. Plan-to-Operation requires users to verify the approved source plan and activation authority before operational actions are generated.

Instructions, Training and Sandbox stay synchronized

When these program capabilities change, the affected Instructions, Training, Context Help, Demo Center, public/program overviews, brochures and business/quality materials are updated in the same release. Sandbox practice supports users before production use.