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## Regional Emergency Partners to Gather for Safety Summit

**West Chester, OH:** The Southwest Ohio Emergency Management Agencies have joined together in a collaborative effort to offer a Regional Safety Summit on November 3, 2017 for emergency partners to learn about a variety of pressing current issues. This highly-anticipated educational seminar has already achieved maximum capacity registration numbers, and will allow partners from across the Southwest Ohio region to come together and glean knowledge from a cache of experienced speakers.

Topics of discussion at the Regional Safety Summit will include: Compassion Fatigue as related to Heroin, Business Continuity, Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) Systems and Uses for Emergency Responders, a Guide to Gas Pipelines, National Weather Service Damage Assessment, the Use of Social Media During Disasters, and Designing and Implementing Emergency Exercises to test the knowledge, skills, and abilities of emergency partners prior to a disaster.

The keynote address of this event will focus on the experiences of four local emergency partners who were recently deployed to assist in the Hurricanes Harvey and Irma disaster response.

The Regional Safety Summit will take place at Four Points by Sheraton Cincinnati North, 7500 Tylers Place Blvd. West Chester, OH 45069.

Registration opens at 7:30 a.m. with closing remarks at 4 p.m.

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