



Michigan Task Force 1

Michigan Task Force 1 FY21 Goals and Objectives

The scope of work for Michigan Task Force 1 (MI-TF1) during fiscal year 2021 continues to focus on maintaining and enhancing Michigan's only Urban Search and Rescue (USAR) Type III Task Force and Type I Swiftwater/Flood Search and Rescue Team as defined by Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Standard 508-1262 (updated 9/8/2020) and Standard 508-1020 (updated 11/22/2019) respectively, while enhancing local USAR response capabilities.

Specifically, the scope of work will continue to include:

- Maintain FEMA Urban Search and Rescue Type III Task Force and Type I Swiftwater/Flood Search and Rescue Team Capabilities
 - Personnel Training Requirements
 - Equipment Readiness
- Maintain MI-TF1 Single Resource Mission Ready Packages
- Maintain and Develop Statewide Partnerships
- o Communicate MI-TF1's Capabilities to Michigan's first response community
- Validate Michigan Fire Service Special Operation Capabilities to support MI-TF1
- Create Statewide Notification Process for Fire Special Operations Resources

The increase in FY21 funding will enable MI-TF1 leadership to enhance Michigan's USAR capabilities by:

- I. Developing a statewide virtual Awareness and Position Specific training platform
- II. Provide local and regional fire departments with assistance during USAR incidents
- III. Engage local USAR leadership in quarterly meetings and participate in local exercises

MI-TF1 is a deployable intra- and interstate task force or mission specific single resource that meets the needs of local, state or federal natural or man-made disasters.