



# Board of Supervisors Public Safety Committee Meeting

*the value of one ... the power of many*



# We connect communities in emergency situations

## Emergency Response

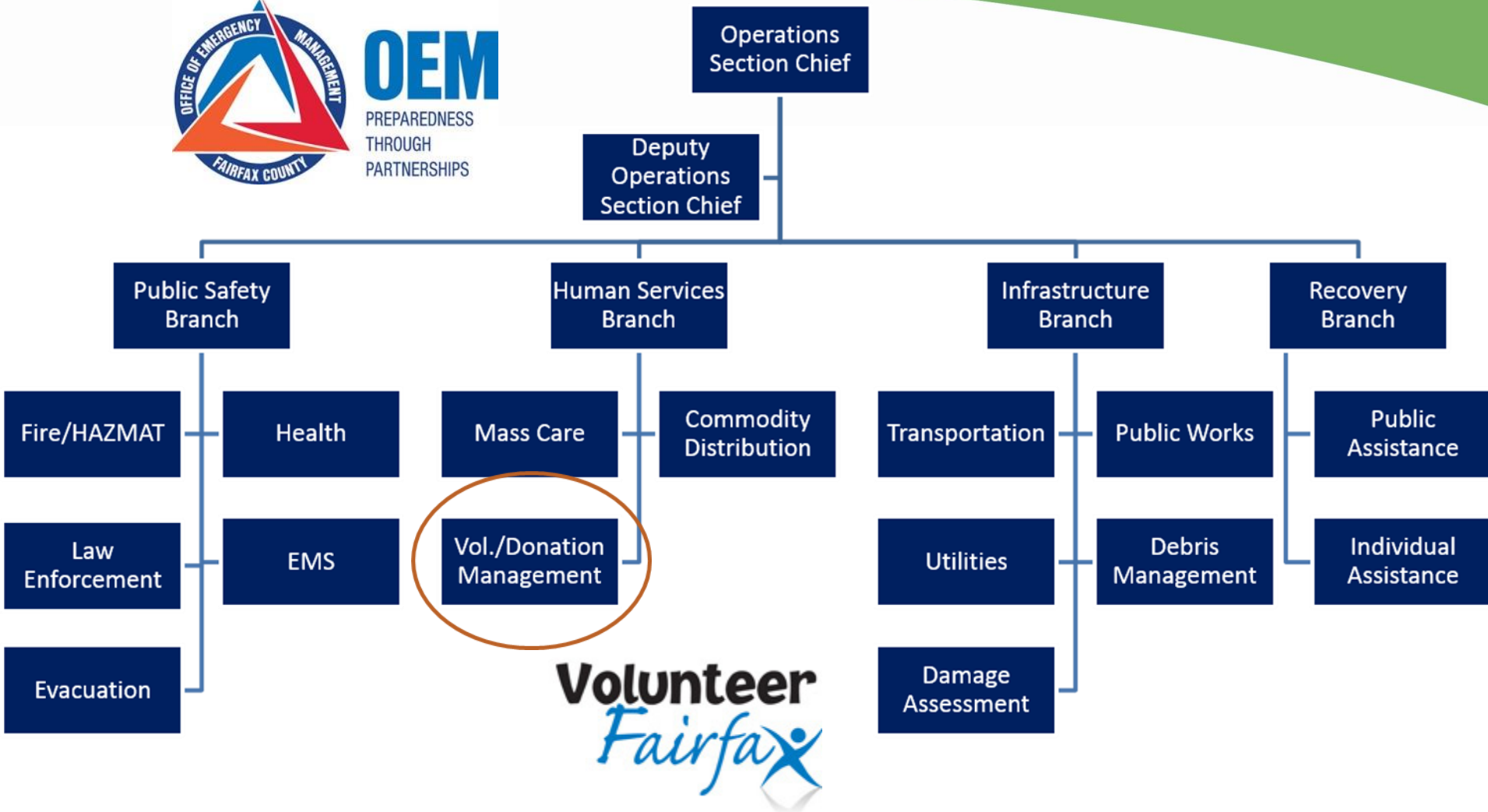
- Volunteer and Donations Management during emergencies
- Advocate for regional coordination
- Leader in disaster volunteerism
- Recent Activations:
  - Snowzilla (February 2016)
  - Derecho Storm (July 2012)
  - Huntington (Sept. 2011)
  - Halifax County (April 2011)
  - Snowmagedon (Jan. 2010)



# Emergency Operations



**OEM**  
PREPAREDNESS  
THROUGH  
PARTNERSHIPS



# Volunteer Fairfax's role



# What we do!



# Community Resiliency Group



- Organizations that work together to support each other in disaster and non-disaster times
- Joint effort between the County and the Community
- Network of community partners from varying organizations

# Volunteer Emergency Team

This group of dedicated individuals assists in an emergency by organizing and deploying volunteers to agencies through a clearing house known as a Volunteer Reception Center (VRC).



# (VRC) Volunteer Reception Center



A VRC is used to screen and assign spontaneous volunteers. The VRC is managed by Volunteer Fairfax (by activation of Fairfax County) and supported by VET members.





# Questions?

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