

I am honored to submit my candidacy for the position of IAEM Region 3 Virginia State Representative. Over the past several years, I have had the privilege of serving in various leadership roles that reflect my commitment to advancing the field of emergency management and supporting our professional community.

As the most recent past Chair of the IAEM Membership Committee, serving two years and one of the current Co-Chairs of the Community Membership Engagement Committee, I have worked collaboratively to strengthen engagement across all regions and elevate the value of IAEM membership. Additionally, I have actively supported Region 3 by helping to organize and lead two successful Membership Spotlight webinars this year, providing a platform for connection and knowledge sharing.

My service extends beyond IAEM through my role as Secretary of the Emergency Management Alliance of Central Virginia and as Chair of the Ad-Hoc Professional Development Committee for the Virginia Emergency Management Association (VEMA), where I've served for two years. These roles have allowed me to advocate for ongoing training, mentorship, and the professional growth of emergency managers across the Commonwealth.

I am passionate about continuing to serve and represent the dedicated emergency management professionals of Virginia. If elected, I will bring a collaborative spirit, strategic insight, and strong commitment to amplifying our region's voice within IAEM. I look forward to the opportunity to continue contributing to Region 3's growth and success.

Thank you for your consideration.

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