Municipal Emergency Management Caucus

**Purpose**
The purpose of the IAEM-USA Municipal EM Caucus is to represent and advocate for municipal emergency management agencies and programs at the state, federal and international levels.

**Caucus Leadership**
- Chair: Dave Donnelly
- Vice-Chair: Shari Holbert Lipner
- Secretary: Derek Smith
- Board Liaison: Carolyn Harshman
- Staff Liaison: Chelsea Steadman

**Caucus Efforts**
- **Main goals and objectives**
  - Provide enhanced networking opportunities by creating a national forum for municipal emergency managers to meet, discuss, and collaborate on issues that are unique to municipalities;
  - Provide a mechanism to bring forward needs of these professionals to the IAEM USA Council
  - Provide visibility on emerging issues and events that affect all IAEM members.
- **Meets:** Last Tuesday of month, 11 AM
- **Conference Meeting:** 11/15, 5 PM

**Membership**
Cities, towns, boroughs (except in Alaska), villages, and townships, any related special districts, and sub-units thereof.

**Accomplishments and Photos**
Caucus was formed August of 2022.

**Future Goals**
- Develop a baseline municipal emergency management program model
- Develop best practices library for members to utilize in program development
- Engage allied partners to further goals