

ST. CLAIR SPECIAL EMERGENCY SERVICES ASSOCIATION

HAZARDOUS MATERIAL

Response Policy

St. Clair County Emergency Services' mission is to provide information, knowledge, and technical expertise to assist and advise St. Clair County Fire or other Emergency Service in response to a HAZMAT emergency. S.C.S.E.S.A. will also provide and supervise necessary resources (human and equipment) to bring the emergency under control, if necessary. S.C.S.E.S.A. is dedicated to providing these services, when needed, to St. Clair County in a safe, effective and professional manner.

To Request Assistance

The Stricken Agency shall contact Cencom by phone **277-3500** and request assistance.

The dispatcher will contact a SCSESA Duty Officer to determine the level of response needed. The dispatcher will dispatch the level of response determined by the Duty Officer. The Duty Officer and one of several Hazmat Duty Officer Chiefs will work with the Incident Commander to jointly manager the incident.

Examples of Services Offered:

- (1) Identification of unknown materials in containers
- (2) Advice/Assistance with container handling/leak mitigation
- (3) Chemical Hazards analysis and advice
- (4) Offensive and defensive response to hazmat spills/leaks
- (5) Technical experts to advise/assist with a variety of hazardous materials situations
- (6) Specialized monitoring and leak mitigation equipment
- (7) Disposal advice