



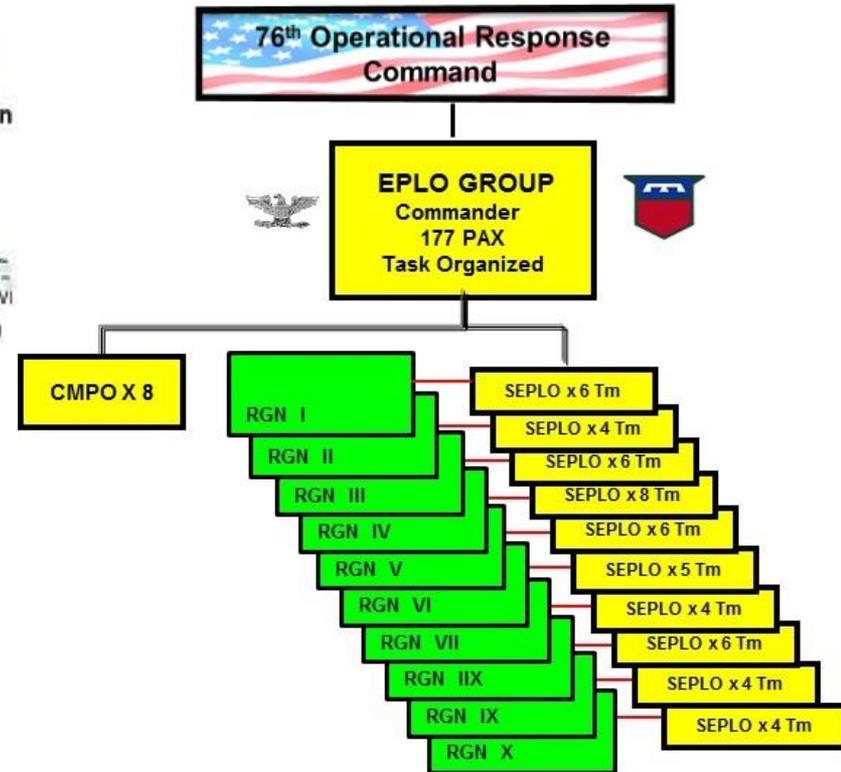
- **Emergency Preparedness Liaison Officer (EPLO) Group**
  - 10 Regional EPLO Offices aligned with ARNORTH Defense Coordinating Officers (DCOs) and the 10 FEMA Regions
  - 53 State/Territorial EPLO Teams in every NORTHCOM state/territory supporting DCO/FEMA as the lead Title 10 coordinating element



- **What We Do:** Provide ARNORTH/NORTHCOM with USAR EPLOs that coordinate, facilitate, and integrate Army Reserve units into a Defense Support of Civil Authorities (DSCA) manmade or natural event in support of federal lead agency requested Title 10 capabilities.
- **Example DSCA Training TY14:**
  - Alaskan Shield
  - Vigilant Guard
  - Vibrant Response
  - Hurricane ROC Drills



- **Recent DSCA Events/Disasters TY14:**
  - West Virginia Elk River Oil Spill
  - Pennsylvania Power Outages
  - Mississippi Tornados / Tropical Storm Arthur
  - New York/New Jersey Super Bowl
  - Central America Unaccompanied Children (UC) Mission (currently 7 Federal military installations)
  
- **Relevance to You:**
  - Any USAR Command can be sourced to provide DoD capabilities in support of federal lead agency through:
    - Immediate Response Authority (IRA) from authorized local officials
    - Mission Assignment (MA) request from federal lead agency (i.e.: DHS, FEMA) vetted through DCO, NORTHCOM, SECDEF and sourced through CJCS/FORSCOM
  
- **76<sup>th</sup> ORC Assets Available to USAR Commands:**
  - Direct coordination of your units with local EPLO
  - Education: 76ORC “DSCA Educate the Force Training” Mobile Training Team covering:
    - Army Reserve Defense Support to Civil Authorities (DSCA) overview
    - NDAA 2012 Authority
    - Mission Assignment (MA) Process, JRSOI, and USAR Mobilization Response
    - Immediate Response Authority (IRA)
    - Mutual Aid Agreements (MAA)
    - Public Affairs. Legal, and Media Considerations
    - DSCA Resources
    - Feedback / Evaluation– How ready is your unit for DSCA operations?



### EPLO Group, 76<sup>th</sup> ORC USAR TPU EPLO Teams:

- 52 State EPLO (SEPLO) Teams (0-6 and E-7): drill at 52 unique state locations
- 10 Regional EPLO (REPLO) Teams (0-6; 2x 0-5; 2x 0-4; 1 x E-8): drill at Regional DCO/DCE (located at FEMA Regional HQ)
- Command Element (0-6 Commander and Staff): drill at Salt Lake City, UT

**Note:** (10) Deputy DCOs (AGRs) assigned to Army North (ARNORTH) at the DCEs.

DCO = Defense Coordinating Officer (assigned to ARNORTH)

DCE = Defense Coordinating Element (assigned to ARNORTH)



