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Below is some brief information about our involvement with EMD.

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Darryl- the Lt. Governor's staff had a nice post on Facebook today praising the National Guard and State Emergency Management. I am not sure if they know that the LGOA staff partners with EMD - before, during, and after declared emergencies LGOA staff is placed at EMD headquarters for 12 hour shifts working in ESF-7 Mass Care. We are assigned to EMD by an executive order from the Governor. In addition, ACL requires that we have an emergency plan to coordinate emergencies in our 10 AAA regions. Our partners in ESF-7 include the Salvation Army and the Red Cross and we help set up shelters. In addition, we work with those groups to provide meals for seniors. During the flood and hurricane Matthew our partnership helped feed seniors in multiple counties who were isolated by floods/damage. We also utilized the National Guard to make welfare checks on seniors in the Santee Lynches region during the 2015 flood. Another EMD function assigned by ACL is that the Ombudsman has to be notified when facilities are evacuated and must keep track of the residents until they are returned.

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