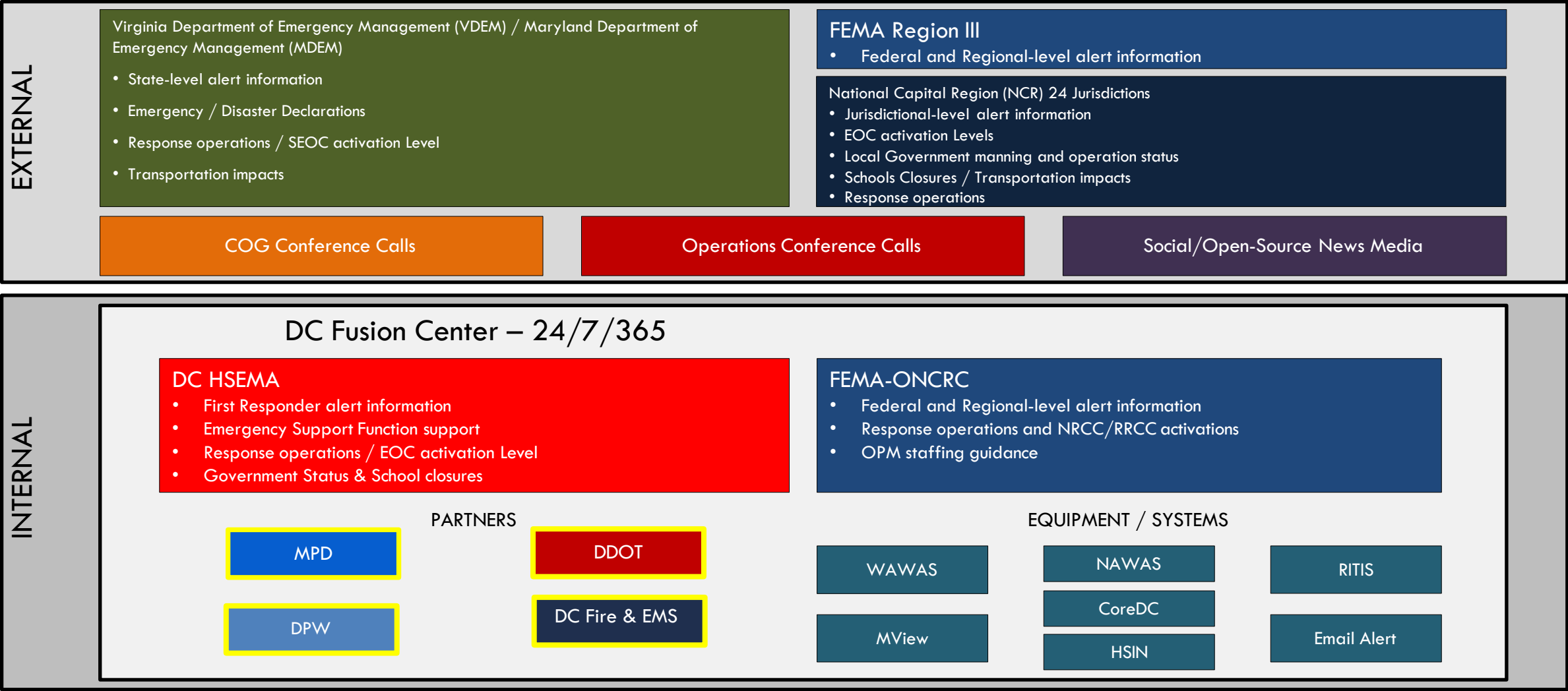




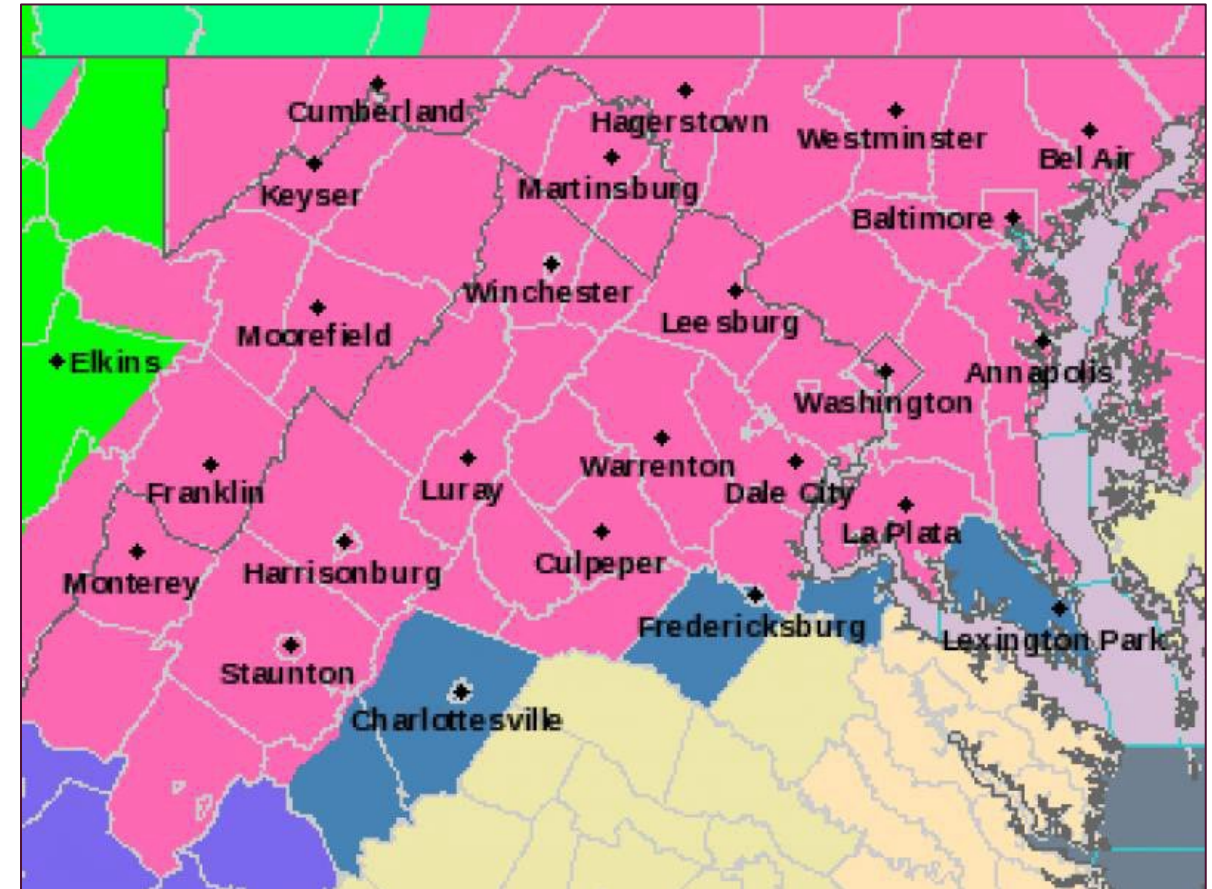
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COG Winter Weather Conference

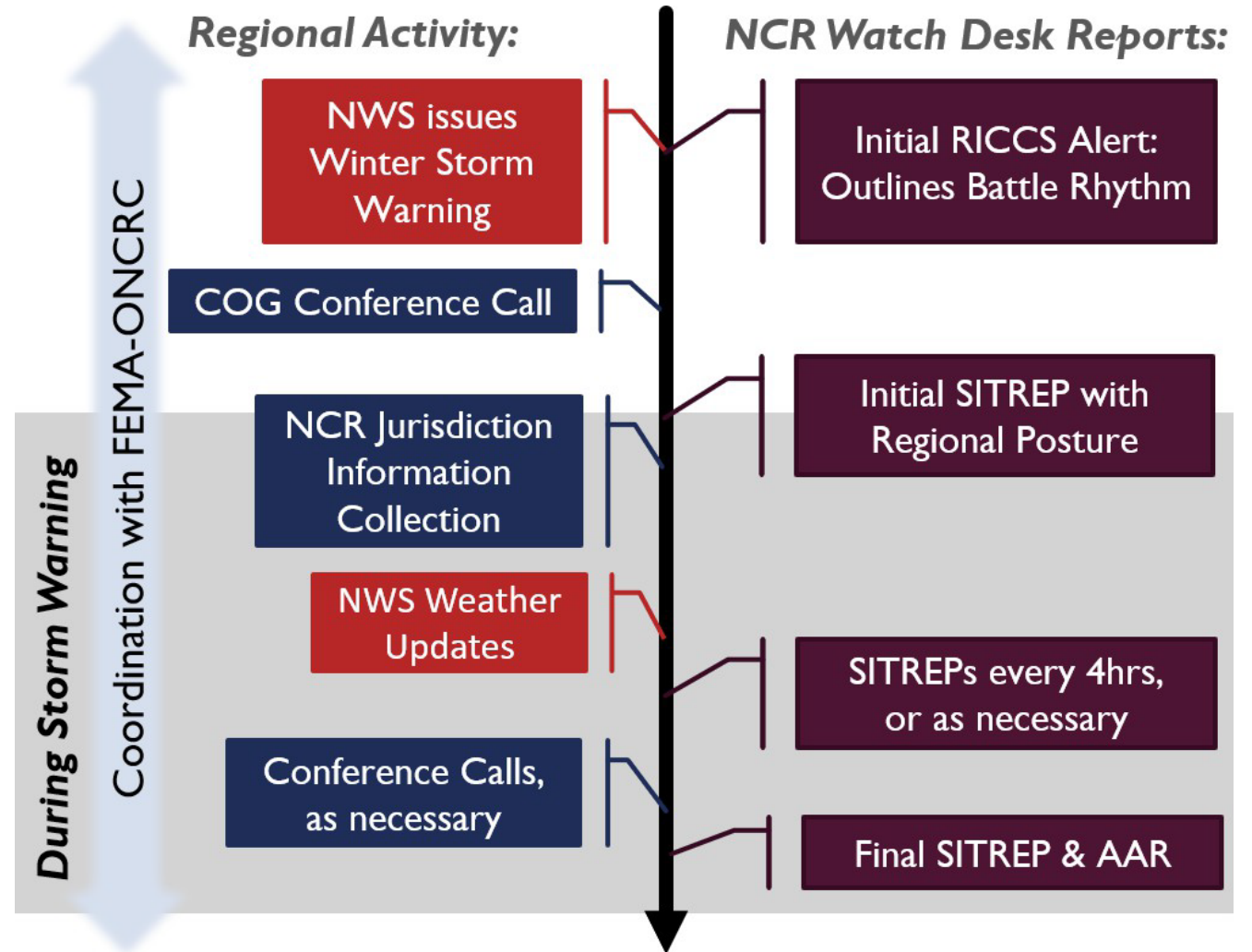
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- Primary Thresholds:
 - National Weather Service (NWS)-issued Winter Storm Warning
 - State of Emergency or Disaster Declaration
- Secondary or Cascading Impacts:
 - Critical Infrastructure impacts with consequences expected to last or lasting longer than one (1) hour or requiring significant human services support
 - Significant regional consequences that trigger additional CIRs (Transportation, COOP/COG, Emergency Declaration)
- Types of Winter Weather:
 - Snow or Ice Storms
 - Flooding, Freezing Rain, High Winds
 - Severe Cold Closings (Schools)

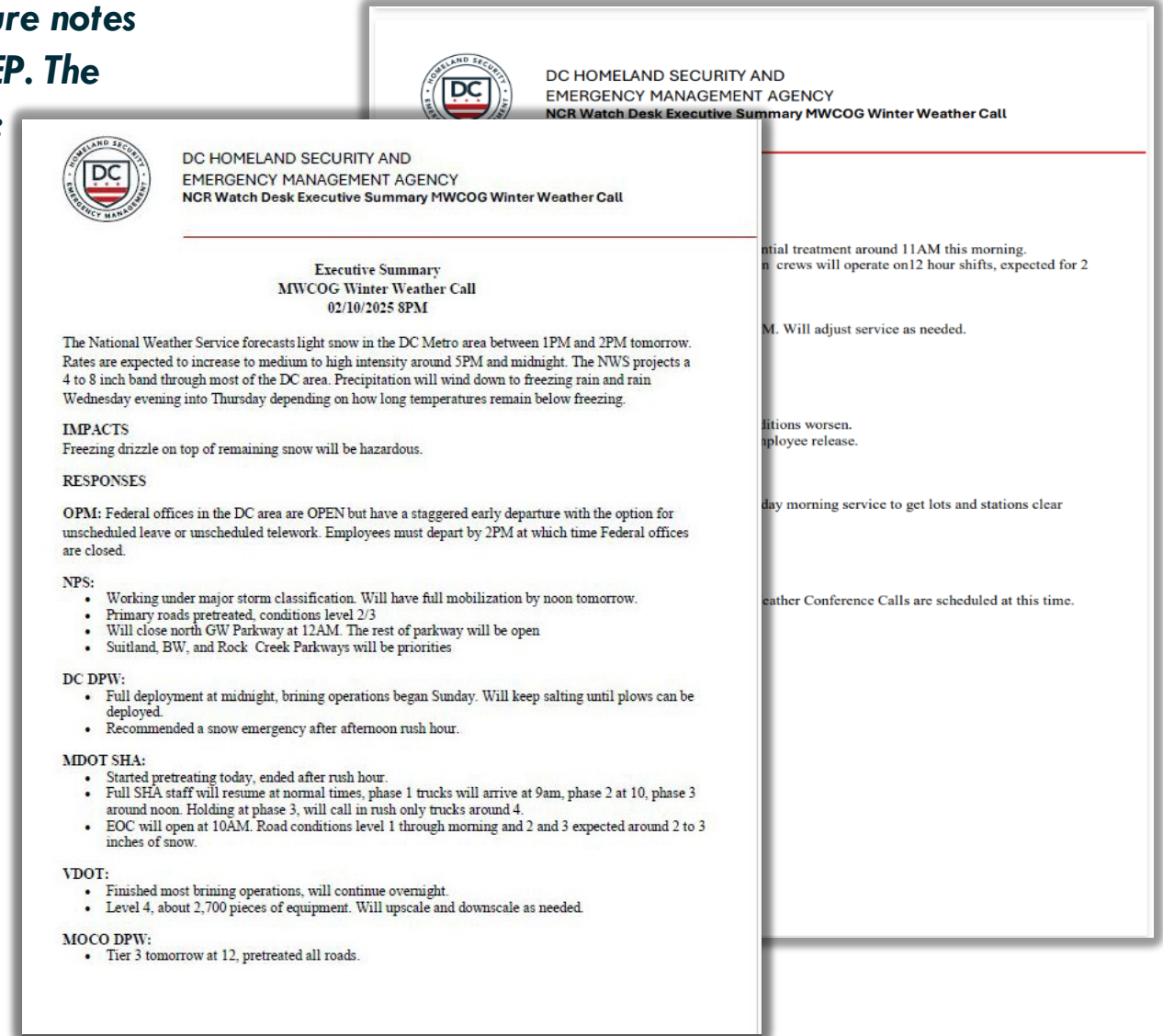


- Pre-Incident Planning and Posture:
 - 72 / 48 / 24-hr storm pre-incident notice from National Weather Service (NWS)
 - Initial RICCS Alert released after NWS issues Winter Storm Warning
 - Outlines the Battle Rhythm
 - Participation in Conference Calls
 - Initial SITREP release
- Incident Posture:
 - Leverage information from NCR Jurisdictions, MATOC, VDEM Region VII, and MJOC
 - Issuance of SITREPs (4hr, or as necessary)
 - Continued participation in Conference Calls
 - Coordination with FEMA-ONCRC
- Post-Incident:
 - Closeout of SITREPs
 - After-Action Review



During the COG Conference Call, the NCR Watch Desk will capture notes called an Executive Summary, that are utilized to produce a SITREP. The Executive Summary typically consists of the following information:

- Overall Summary of Events
- Impacts
- Responses
 - OPM
 - DPW
 - MDOT SHA
 - VDOT
 - NPS
 - WMATA
 - AMTRAK
 - MARC
 - VRE
- Moving Forward



- The NCR HSIN Operations Connect Situational Awareness Chat Room, operated by the NCR Watch Desk, is open during significant events to share real-time information and situational awareness among homeland security partners in the NCR.
- Individuals with a signed non-disclosure agreement on file with the DC Fusion Center may be granted access by emailing the NCR Watch Desk at ncric3.hsema@dc.gov.
- Most effective – Request a HSIN Chat Room User account

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