The North Carolina National Guard Civil Support (NGCS) Hurricane Florence Response

Deputy J3 Domestic Operations

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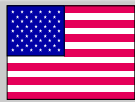
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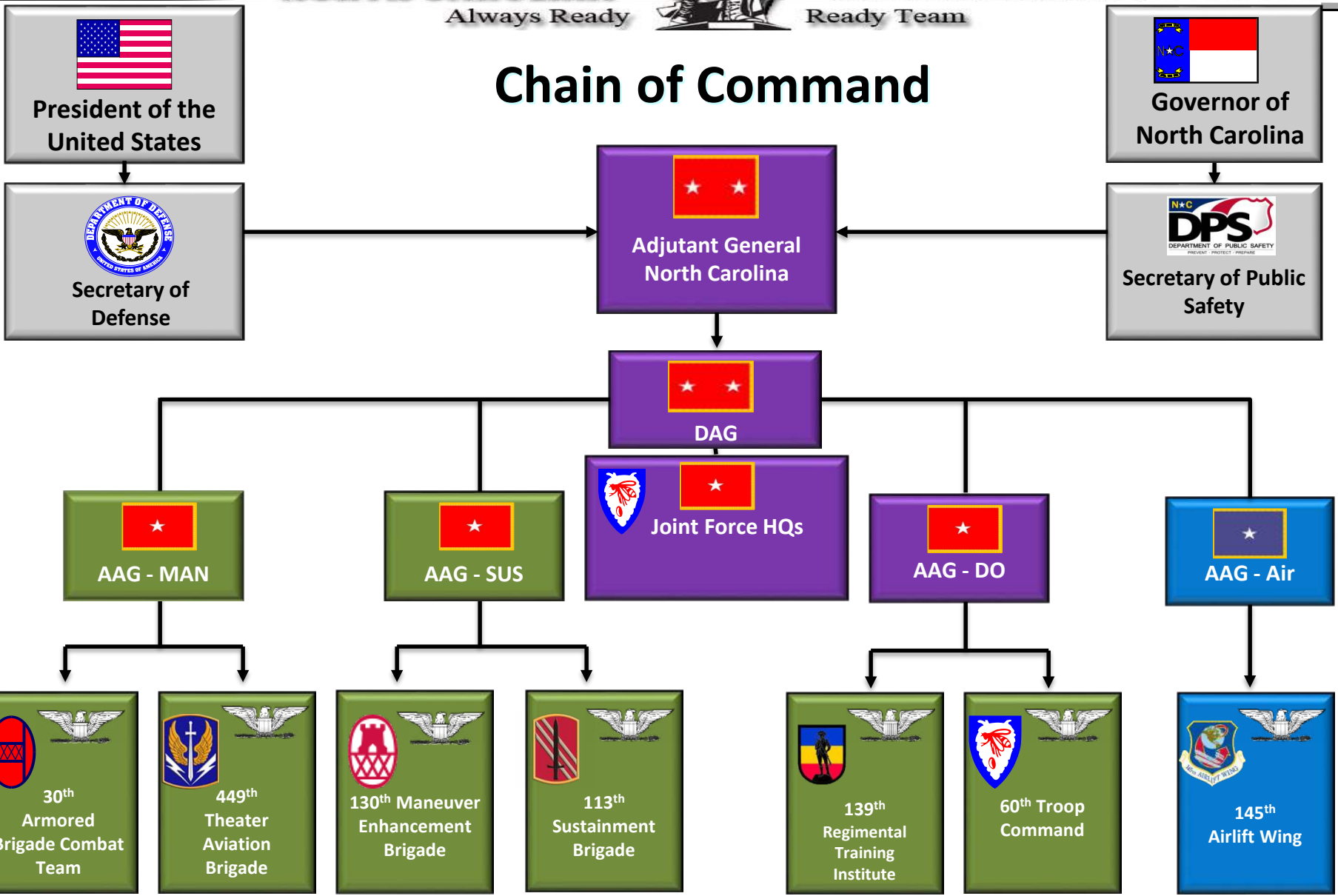
NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD
Always Ready · Ready Team

Chain of Command

President of the United States

Secretary of Defense

Governor of North Carolina

Secretary of Public Safety

Adjutant General North Carolina

DAG

Joint Force HQs

AAG - MAN

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AAG - Air

30th Armored Brigade Combat Team

449th Theater Aviation Brigade

130th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade

113th Sustainment Brigade

139th Regimental Training Institute

60th Troop Command

145th Airlift Wing

Domestic Event Chain of Command

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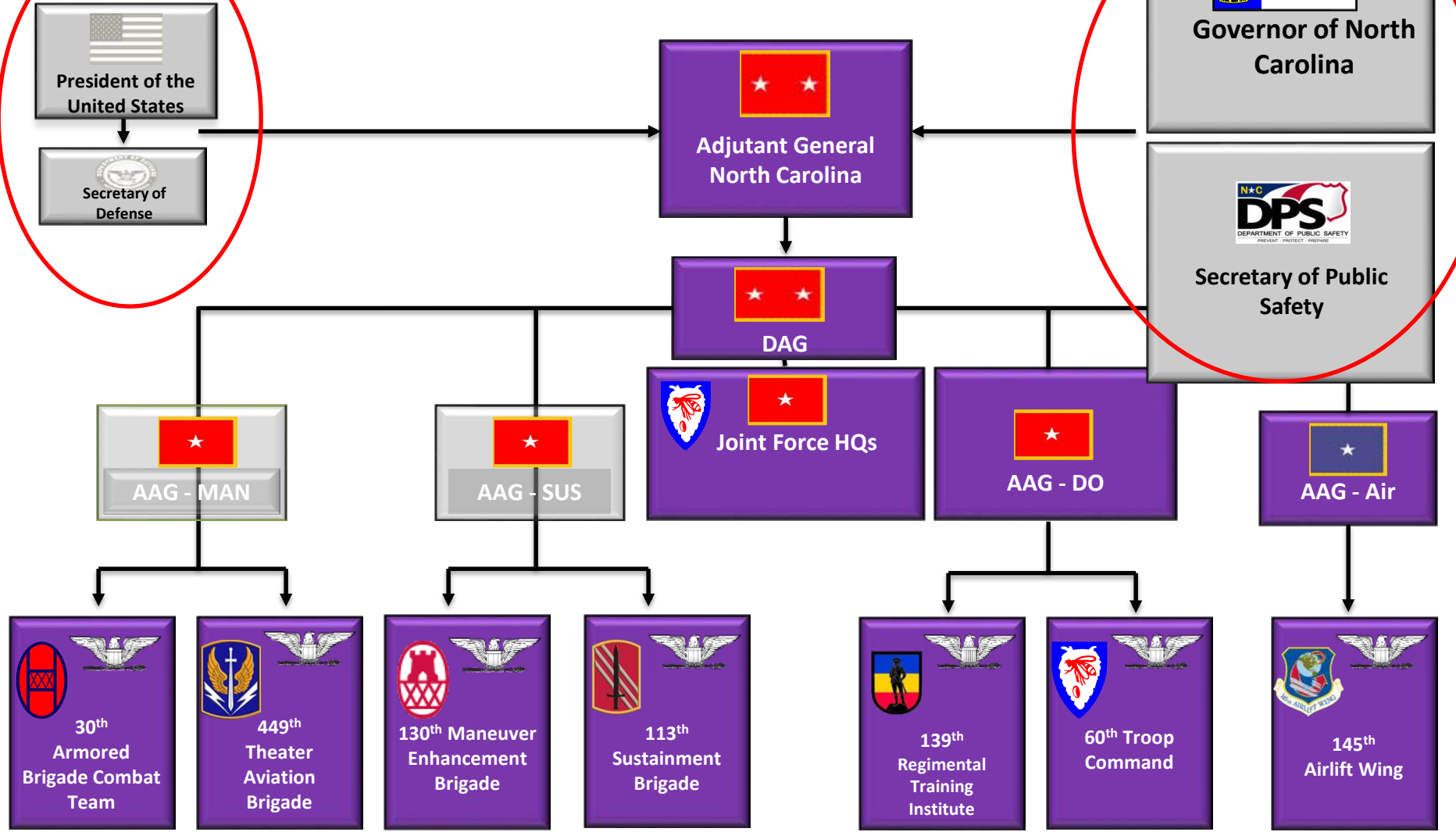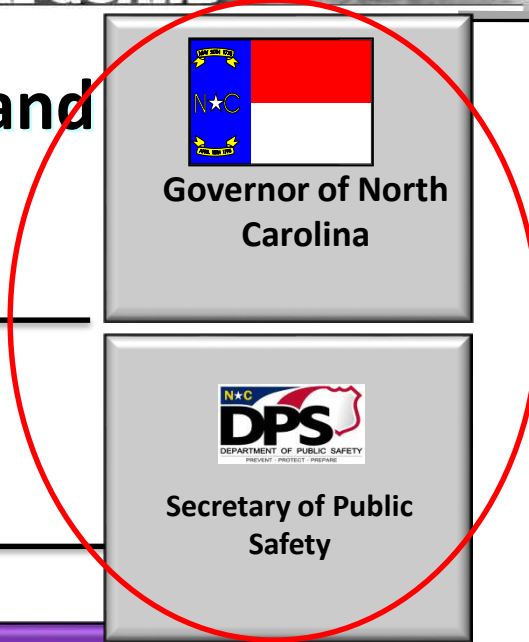- 130th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade
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Traditional Response

10 CORE CAPABILITIES

Command and Control
Communications
Aviation
Security
CBRNE/WMD
Logistics
Medical
Engineering
Transportation
Power Generation

Law Enforcement Support Capabilities

Counter Drug Task Force:

Direct Support for: Information Analysis, Ground Reconnaissance, Aviation Interdiction, Marijuana Eradication

Provost Marshal:

Liaison with Law Enforcement Agencies, Threat and Vulnerability Assessments, Interagency Emergency Action Planning, Chair Executive Threat Working Group

National Guard Reaction Force:

Trained security forces capable of performing a variety of security missions in order to support local law enforcement agencies. *Non-Lethal Capability *Validated Annually

Cyber Security/Information Analysis

Cyberspace Capability:
Cyberspace vulnerability assessment, Protect, Detect, Analyze, and Respond, Active Network Defense, Intrusion Analysis and Cyber Forensics

Predictive Analysis:
Military Intelligence Professionals capable of providing predictive analysis for threat identification for both **environmental** and **man-made events.**

Civil Support Team:
Rapidly deployable CBRNE (HAZMAT) response force, Capable of identifying and reacting to chemical, biological, and radiological agents, Provide WMD Detection and Support.
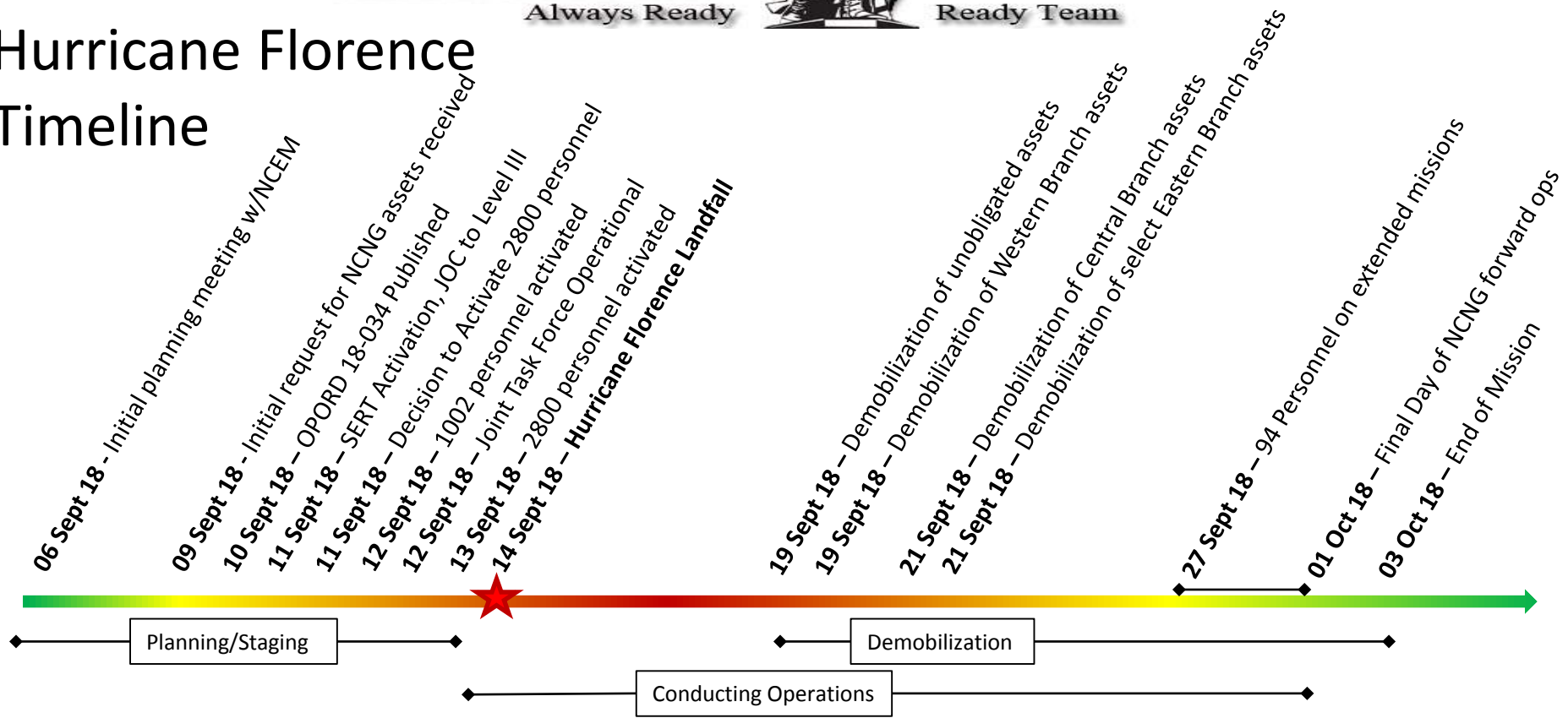
Hurricane Florence

Hurricane Florence Timeline

06 Sept 18 - Initial planning meeting w/NCEM

09 Sept 18 - Initial request for NCNG assets received

10 Sept 18 – OPORD 18-034 Published

11 Sept 18 – SERT Activation, JOC to Level III

11 Sept 18 – Decision to Activate 2800 personnel

12 Sept 18 – 1002 personnel activated

12 Sept 18 – Joint Task Force Operational

13 Sept 18 – 2800 personnel activated

14 Sept 18 – **Hurricane Florence Landfall**

19 Sept 18 – Demobilization of unobligated assets

19 Sept 18 – Demobilization of Western Branch assets

21 Sept 18 – Demobilization of Central Branch assets

21 Sept 18 – Demobilization of select Eastern Branch assets

27 Sept 18 – 94 Personnel on extended missions

01 Oct 18 – Final Day of NCNG forward ops

03 Oct 18 – End of Mission

Planning/Staging

Demobilization

Conducting Operations

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65 Force Packages
258 Personnel
143 Vehicles
- Command and Control
- Logistics Support
- High-Water Clearance
- HMMWV Teams
- Engineering Teams
- Off-Road Ambulances

106 Force Packages
2800 Personnel
~250 Vehicles
- All Hazards Teams
- Security Teams
- Ambulance Teams
- Logistics Teams
- Maintenance Teams
- Command and Control
- Route Clearance
- Communications
- NG Reaction Force
- Search and Rescue

TOTALS:
- 11 Sept – 03 Oct (23 Day Mission)
- 3303 Personnel on State Active Duty
- 3133 Army / 170 Air Force
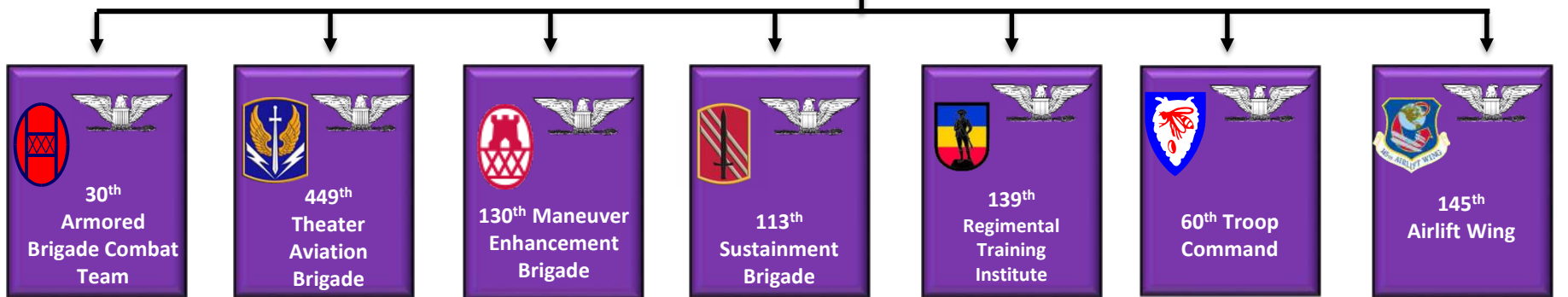- ~250 Vehicles & 72 Aircraft
- 34,549 Man-days

Hurricane Florence Response

Joint Force HQs

Mission Priorities
- Mission Command
- Resource Management
- SERT Integration
- Staff Support

30th Armored Brigade Combat Team

Mission Priorities
- All-Hazards Response
- Security Teams
- Ambulance Teams
- Unmanned Aerial

449th Theater Aviation Brigade

Mission Priorities
- HART
- State Aviation Office Support
- Aviation Support

130th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade

Mission Priorities
- Route Clearance
- Communications Support
- NGRF

113th Sustainment Brigade

Mission Priorities
- Bulk Logistics Support
- Maintenance Support

139th Regimental Training Institute

Mission Priorities
- Personnel Staging
- Staff Support

60th Troop Command

Mission Priorities
- Joint Task Force
- Search & Rescue
- Communications Support
- Sheltering Support
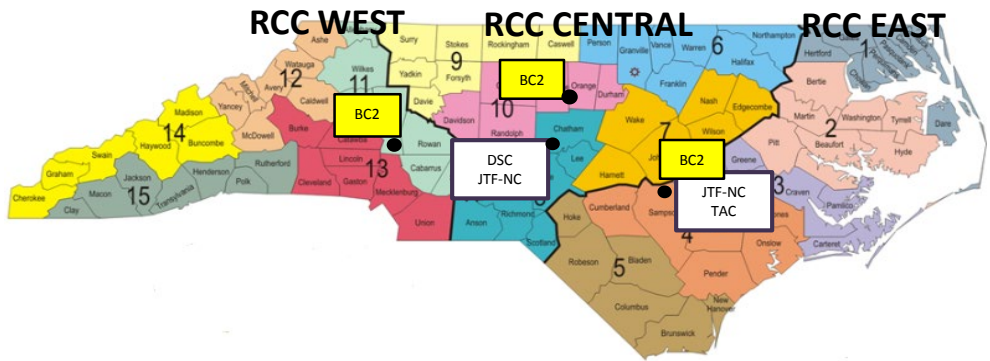- Security Support

145th Airlift Wing

Mission Priorities
- Communications Support
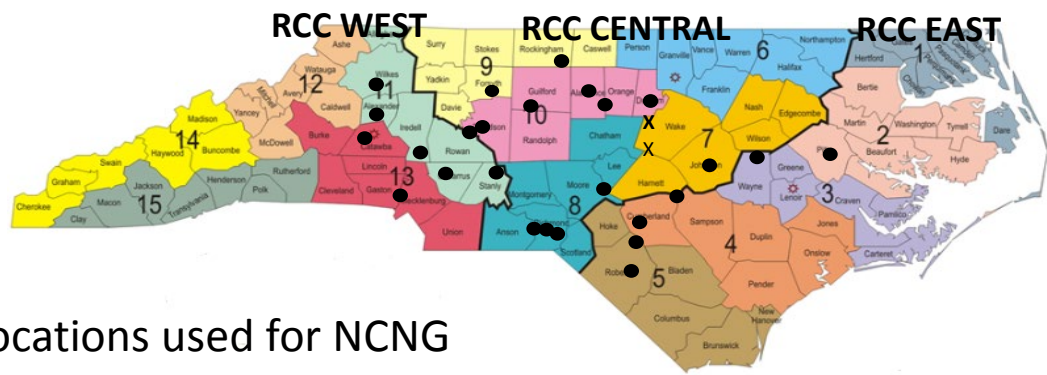- Cyber Support
- Engineer Support
- Service Support

Hurricane Florence Operations/Staging Locations
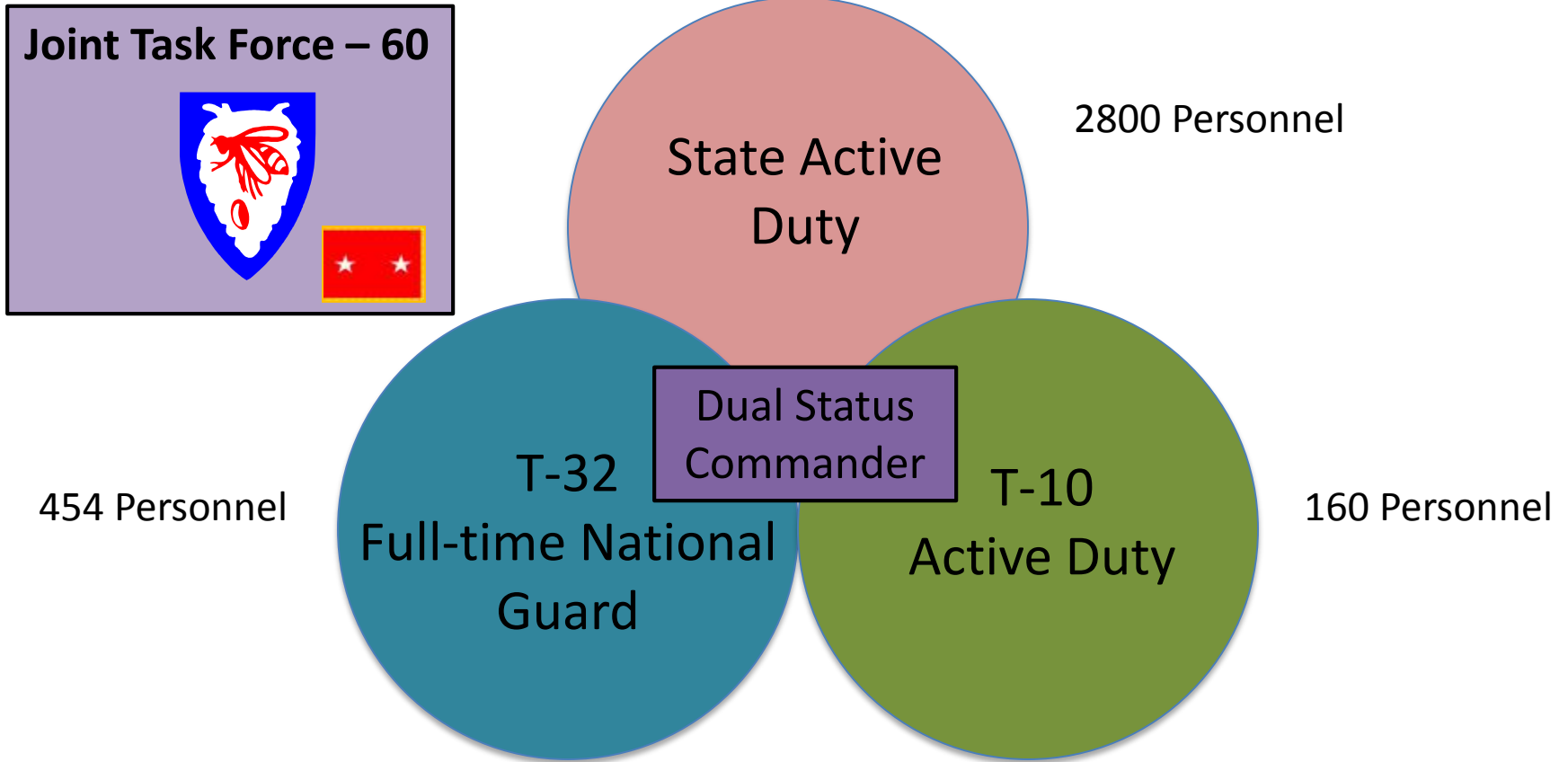
NCNG Command and Control

NCNG Force Projection/ Staging Locations

*30 Locations used for NCNG Staging and Operating

Hurricane Florence Response

Joint Task Force – 60

State Active Duty

2800 Personnel

Dual Status Commander

T-32 Full-time National Guard

T-10 Active Duty

454 Personnel

160 Personnel

Hurricane Florence Response

An Event of Firsts

- ✓ Joint Task Force (JTF) activated for weather related event
  - T-32/T-10 Staff
- ✓ Dual Status Commander (DSC) appointed for weather related event
  - MG Ernst designated as DSC
- ✓ Request for Federal Forces (T-10)
- ✓ First T-10 Integration into JTF
- ✓ First out-of-state Aviation Task Force
  - Integration of State/Federal/Civilian Aviation Partners

Ground Response

11SEP-03OCT 2018

- 23 Day Mission
- 3,303 Personnel on SAD
- 3,133 Army / 170 Air Force
- ~250 Vehicles & 72 Aircraft
- 34,549 Man Days
- Involved all 7 Major Support Commands (MSC)

Hurricane Florence Aviation

NCHART

Utilizes 3 distinct airframes based on mission

- UH-60 Blackhawk – 10 aircraft/6 hoist
- UH-72 Lakota – 4 aircraft/2 hoist
- Bell-407 – 1 aircraft (2 new aircraft)

External Resources

EMAC Requests for:

- HART
- General Support (CH-47 Chinook)
- MEDEVAC

USCG Staging for
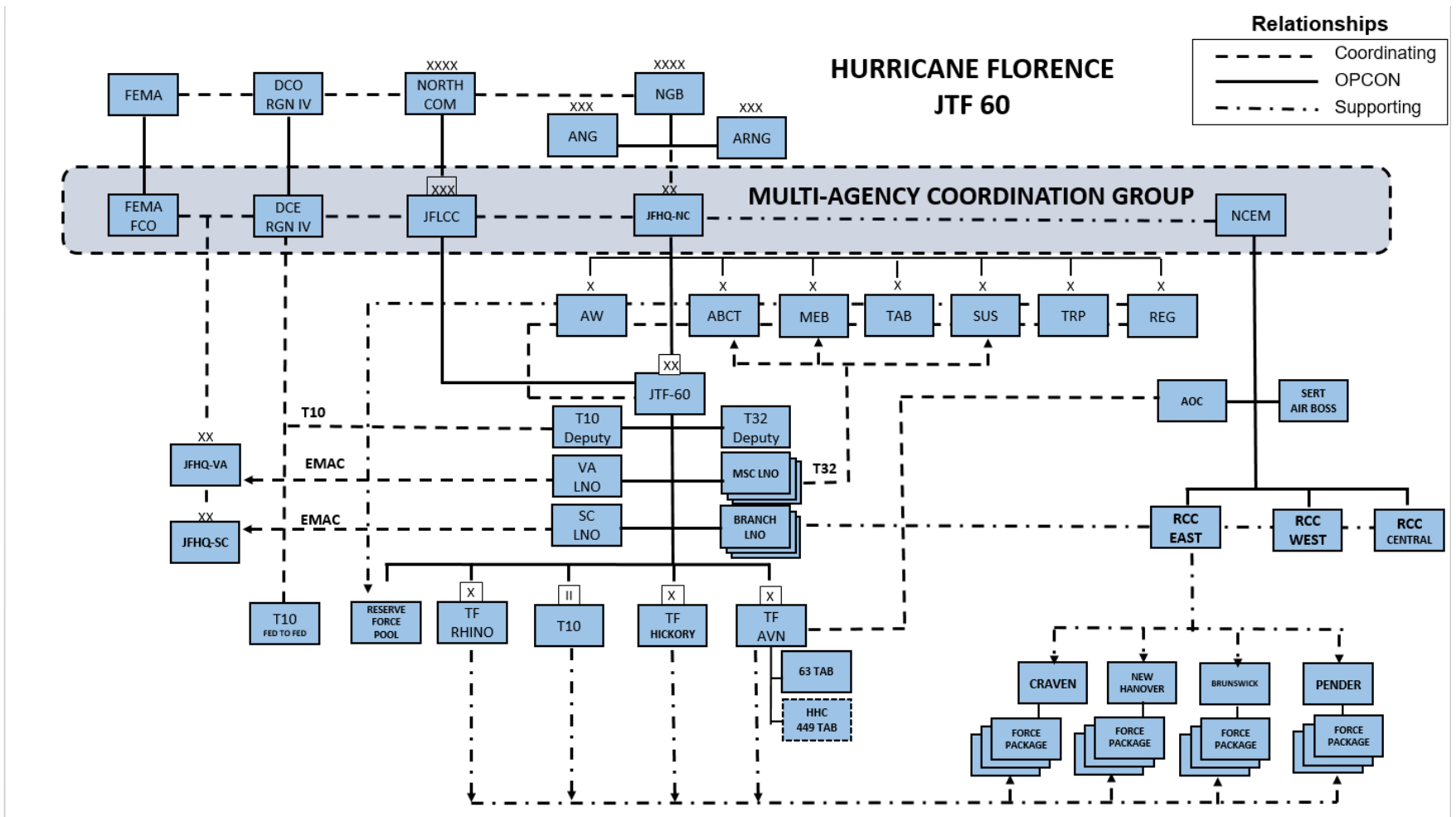
- HH-60 Pave Hawk
- HH-65 Dolphin

Air Resources

72 Aircraft (Rescue & General Service)

- 346 Air Missions
- 1303 Flight Hours
- 505,450 lbs of Air Cargo
- 441 Rescues by Air
- 685 People Flown

Hurricane Florence Task Organization

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QUESTIONS

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