

Disaster Preparedness Seminar: **What would you do if your business was destroyed today?**



Who would you call?

What plans would you have in place to continue your business?

What would happen to your employees?

What could you have done to minimize the disaster?

How well would your organization survive a catastrophic disaster or emergency? In this must attend seminar, you'll learn a variety of sound techniques and smart approaches for keeping your business operational, and your people safe during times of crisis.

The Bonne Terre Chamber of Commerce is hosting a compelling seminar on **Disaster Preparedness for Businesses**. This 4 hour event will help business owners to make sure they have the information necessary to plan for continuation of their business in the event of a natural disaster or fire. Following a continental breakfast, keynote speakers will include:

Rob O'Brian – President of the Joplin Chamber of Commerce , who will speak about the impressive recovery of 96% of Joplin's businesses that were damaged by 2011 tornado.

Jim Sharp, VP of Aegis Emergency Management. Aegis Emergency Management specializes in emergency management, emergency response, and contingency planning consultation and training for schools, child care centers, healthcare facilities, public venues, government agencies, and businesses of all kinds.

Attendees will then hear from a panel of experts in the areas of insurance, information technology, communications, public safety, restoration among others. They can then interact with these and other experts in various fields at the Lunch and Learn roundtable discussions during the luncheon.

Everyone is welcome to attend the seminar that will take place on April 1st at Heritage Hall in Bonne Terre located at 118 E. School St. in Bonne Terre.

Anyone who is responsible for overseeing the safety of an organization and it's employees should attend this seminar.

To register, or for more information please call the Bonne Terre Chamber at 358-4000.

RSVP: By Monday, March 25th

Registration & breakfast begin at 8:00

Sponsorships are also available for this event at well as a limited number of exhibitors tables, and ads in the booklets (booklets contain emergency checklist, business continuity plan, emergency response plan, etc.)

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