

Emergency Management Webinars

JIBC Emergency Management Division, in partnership with Emergency Management British Columbia, offers free webinars with support of the emergency management community. Two series of webinars are offered: Emergency Management Webinars providing information on current practices as well as community and organization experiences in emergency management; and ESS Community 2 Community Webinars, providing ESS responders with a forum to share their wise practices, challenges, innovations, and lessons learned.

ESS Community 2 Community Webinar #4

RDOS Evacuations in 2020 and a New ERA

The Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen in 2020 had the largest activation of ERA during the Christie Mountain Fire with 4,777 registrations. Emergency Program Coordinator Anne Benn will walk you through their journey of ERA implementation, ESS activation, a systematic review of their EOC and ESS processes, and how it has informed change.

Presenter: Anne Benn, EPC, Director of ESS, Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen

Date: THURSDAY, March 25, 2021 **Time:** 10:00 – 11:00 AM (PST)

Access URL: <http://jibc.adobeconnect.com/esswebinar/>

Emergency Management Webinar #41

Pride & Protection: Canada's First Indigenous-led Coast Guard Auxiliary Patrols BC's Rugged Coast

This webinar will introduce attendees to the Coastal Nations Coast Guard Auxiliary (CN-CGA), Canada's first Indigenous led Coast Guard Auxiliary. The CN-CGA was incorporated in mid 2018 under the sponsorship of the Federal Government, for the purpose of providing organized voluntary maritime Search and Rescue in coastal areas of BC. Presenters will share how this exciting and new auxiliary began in protecting both mariners and citizens, its intersections with the federal government and, the unique opportunities for building community resilience along BC's coast with the strong and lasting partnerships between maritime First Nations and the Canadian Coast Guard.

Presenters: Mr. Anthony Moore, Emergency Response Services Manager / Enforcement & Emergency Services Nisga'a Lisims Government

Mr. Conrad James Shaw Cowan CD, BA, MA-(DEM), Executive Director, Coastal Nations Coast Guard Auxiliary (Western) Inc.

Date: WEDNESDAY, March 31, 2021 **Time:** 10:00 – 11:00 AM (PST)

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Further Information

Future Dates: ESS C2C Webinar #5 – April 22, 2021 EM Webinar #42 – April 28, 2021

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