

Nevada Site Operations Center

Support across the United States

The OCC and EOC serve as the central coordination and support hubs, fostering collaboration and seamless operations between the NNSS and its satellite locations. Through their dedicated efforts, the OCC and EOC ensure efficient communication, effective emergency response and streamlined operations across the NNSS network and its extended facilities across the U.S.

A modern facility at the heart of operations, designed to meet the demands of today's dynamic operational environment

Equipped with cutting-edge technology and staffed by highly skilled professionals, the Nevada Site Operations Center (NSOC) is the central hub that houses both the Operations Command Center (OCC) and the Emergency Operations Center (EOC), overseeing and coordinating a wide range of activities 24/7. Together, these centers play a vital role in safeguarding our operations and swift emergency response.

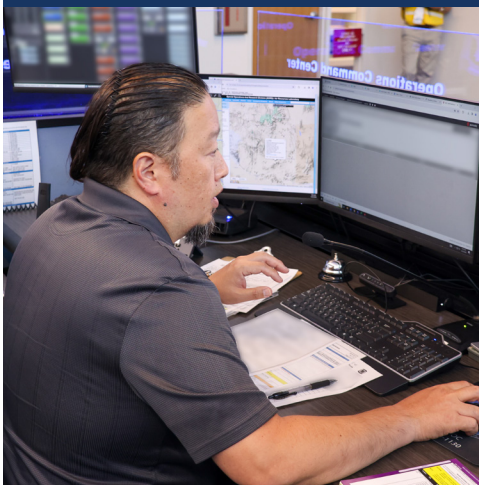
actions, and making recommendations to offsite personnel. They also manage access tracking in and out of controlled access areas of the Site.

- **911 Dispatchers**, who are the first point of contact for emergency calls. They receive NNSS 911 calls and radio duress “mayday” notifications, dispatch emergency responders, provide emergency medical instructions, and facilitate mutual aid requests from agencies, such as the Bureau of Land Management and Mercy Air.
- **Air and Ground Operations Support**, who works closely with our customers to schedule and de-conflict both air and ground operations at the NNSS. Their expertise ensures smooth mission execution and coordination.
- **Counter Unmanned Aircraft Systems**, which monitor NNSS airspace, employing systems to detect and neutralize unauthorized unmanned aircraft, ensuring the safety and security of operations.

Operations Command Center

Let's take a closer look at the OCC. Some of the key roles within this reliable 24/7 support system are:

- **Duty Managers**, who are responsible for emergency and non-emergency notifications, implementing protective





About the facility

The NSOC building was dedicated May 11, 2023, to Steven J. Lawrence, former manager of the National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) Nevada Field Office. During his distinguished career, Lawrence gave more than 30 years of service to the NNS and is largely credited with shaping the NNS's modern national security mission and forging the relationships that enable it.

As the second building of the Site's Mercury Modernization program to replace aged infrastructure, the 13,000-square-foot NSOC represents an important accomplishment as pilot infrastructure for standardization, featuring cutting-edge technology for its staff.



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Emergency Operations Center

When activated, the EOC is a critical component of the NSOC and serves as a centralized communication hub that provides support to on-scene responders during emergency incidents at the NNS.

- **Situational awareness and information management**

The EOC is responsible for gathering, analyzing and disseminating information about emergencies and potential threats.

- **Coordination and collaboration**

The EOC serves as the central coordination point, bringing together various stakeholders, response teams and agencies involved in emergency response.

- **Emergency response and incident management**

During emergencies, the EOC activates and mobilizes response teams, deploying resources and assets as needed.

- **Resource management**

The EOC oversees the allocation and utilization of resources, such as personnel, equipment and supplies, to support emergency response operations.

- **Communication and public information**

The EOC serves as the primary communication hub for disseminating information to internal and external stakeholders, including employees, local authorities, the media and the public.

- **Post-incident evaluation and recovery**

Following an emergency, the EOC conducts post-incident evaluations to assess response effectiveness, identify lessons learned and recommend improvements for future incidents. It also supports the transition from response recover, assisting in the restoration of operations.

