

## **Code of Ethics**

The following Code of Ethics adopted by the Partnership for Emergency Planning (PEP) shall govern the conduct of all members, member representatives and invited guests.

All members and guest attendees involved with any PEP activities shall:

- Conduct themselves and their activities in a professional business manner.
- Abide by the bylaws and policies of PEP.
- Keep confidential anything of a sensitive and/or proprietary nature mentioned in PEP meetings, at PEP activities or written in PEP minutes or other PEP documents or PEP communications.
- Properly register at all PEP meetings and activities.
- Not engage in sales activities or solicitation.
- Not conduct any other activity contrary to the purposes and objectives of PEP.
- Not distribute any materials or post displays of any kind at PEP activities without the prior approval of the PEP Board of Directors or their designated representative.
- Not use the PEP name other than in the conduct of PEP business, as determined by the Board of Directors.
- Be prohibited from the use of the PEP general membership list, mailing list or any subsets thereof, except for PEP business. Membership lists are not to be furnished to non-members without the written permission of the PEP Board of Directors. Members who fail to observe this policy will be subject to loss of membership.
- Restrict the use of PEP proprietary documents to the use(s) defined by the policies and procedures of the PEP Board of Directors.
- Not publicly disclose verbal or written information pertaining to PEP business without prior written approval of the Board of Directors.

I have read and understand the PEP Code of Ethics. I understand that willful violation of the PEP Code of Ethics may result in revocation of my membership, as determined by the PEP Board of Directors.

Signature:	Date:
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