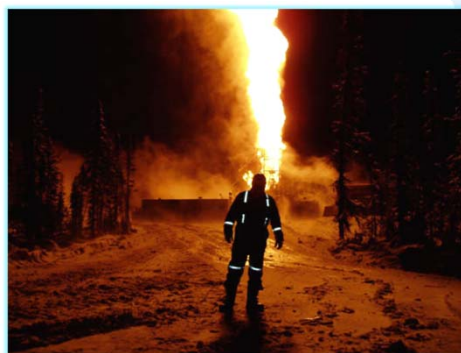




# \* Effective Exercises

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- \* Introduction
- \* Why We Exercise
- \* Types of Exercises
  - \* Pros & Cons
- \* Tips & Tools
- \* Follow Up
- \* Goals

## \* Outline



## \* Introduction

- \* Legislation
- \* Corporate Policy
- \* Safety
- \* Effectiveness

## \* Why do we need to exercise?

- \* Tabletop
- \* Communication
- \* Deployment
  - \* Full
  - \* Partial

## \* Types of Exercises



- \* Pros
  - \* Sharing
  - \* Discussion
- \* Cons
  - \* Time
  - \* Physical

## \* Tabletop Exercises



- \* Pros
  - \* Time
  - \* Experience
  - \* Logistics
- \* Cons
  - \* Lack of Interaction
  - \* Physical

## \* Communication Exercises



- \* Pros
  - \* Time
  - \* Experience
  - \* Logistics
  - \* \$\$
- \* Cons
  - \* Time
  - \* \$\$

## \* Full Deployment Exercises



- \* Pros
  - \* Time
  - \* Logistics
- \* Cons
  - \* Time
  - \* vs. Full Deployment

## \* Partial Deployment Exercises



- \* Education
- \* Training & Competency
  - \* On-call
- \* Tools & Resources
  - \* Ready Access
- \* Practice
- \* More Practice

## \* Preparedness



- \* Realistic
  - \* Creative
- \* Practical
- \* Challenging
- \* Set Attainable Goals
  - \* Success

## \* Scenario



- \* Staff
- \* Management
- \* Government Agencies
- \* Mutual Aid Partners
- \* Other Stakeholders

## \* Participation



- \* In the Field
- \* In the Office
- \* On the Phone
- \* *"If it isn't documented, it didn't happen"*

## \* Documentation



- \* Information Sharing
  - \* What worked
  - \* What didn't work
  - \* What can we improve on
- \* Corrective Actions
  - \* Follow-up

## \* Debrief



- \* Preparedness
- \* Safety
- \* Community
- \* Regulators
- \* Media

## \* Outcomes & Goals



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