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Distinguished Partners in Preparedness Award

is awarded to

Jefferson County Incident Management Team

*IN RECOGNITION of extraordinary efforts that
have greatly contributed to the advancement
of the missions and goals of FEMA*

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Douglas A. Gore
Acting Regional Administrator
FEMA Region VIII

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The Region VIII Acting Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) takes great pleasure in presenting the Federal Emergency Management Agency Region VIII Distinguished Partners in Preparedness Award to the Jefferson County Colorado Type III Incident Management Team (IMT) in recognition of its outstanding contribution to the FEMA Region VIII Incident Management Team Project. The Jefferson County IMT has exhibited superior leadership and total commitment to the development and enhancement of Incident Management Team capability throughout FEMA Region VIII. The Jefferson County IMT has national respect and its partnership with FEMA Region VIII has given immense credibility to the efforts of the Regional IMT Advisory Committee. The six states that are represented in Region VIII have all benefited from the leadership and assistance of the Jefferson County IMT. Several have or are considering adopting protocols developed and incident tested by the Jefferson County IMT. This speaks to the respect afforded to the team. Members of the Jefferson County IMT have selflessly donated their time and effort to participate on numerous committees associated with the Region VIII IMT Pilot Project, have presented to diverse audiences across the country and regularly volunteer their services when called upon to assist the Region in its efforts. Their excellence in preparedness activities is exemplified by their numerous and successful deployments. The citizens of Jefferson County, CO should take great pride in having this asset in their back yard, as we do at FEMA Region VIII. The contributions of the Jefferson County IMT are heartily commended for strengthening the preparedness mission of the Federal Emergency Management Agency.