

You are cordially invited to

a regional gathering of emergency responders and leaders in academia,
business, relief and faith-based organizations to develop the

National Blueprint for Secure Communities

hosted by



Gaillard Auditorium Exhibition Hall
77 Calhoun Street, Charleston, South Carolina

Thursday, November 30, 2006 / 8 am to 4 pm

Uniformed Responders Welcome

Co-Hosts: City of Charleston, Charleston County Emergency Preparedness, Medical University of South Carolina,
South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control

Contributors: Charleston Police Department Bagpipe Band, McCrady's

NCORP is a non-profit and non-partisan organization devoted to strengthening community-level homeland security.

Are you prepared for the first 72 hours after a disaster or attack?

What assets could your organization pledge in advance?

What trusted communication networks are in place?



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Please join NCORP in Charleston on November 30, 2006. **Help us develop the *National Blueprint for Secure Communities***: A resource of best practices for fellow Americans.

Continental Breakfast

Welcoming Remarks – The Honorable Joseph P. Riley, Jr., Mayor, City of Charleston

Securing America, One Community at a Time – Presentation by NCORP Chairman and former Governor James S. Gilmore, III of Virginia

National Blueprint Best Practice Award Ceremony

A Unified Community Response – Presentation by John J. Simkovich, DHS, MHA, Regional Public Health Director, SC Dept. Of Health and Environmental Control

Lunch

National Blueprint Sessions on Medical Evacuations, Port Security, Special Needs

Early registration by November 16, 2006 is \$35 per person. Responders, academicians, relief and faith-based personnel qualify for a \$10 early registration fee. Registrants after November 16th pay an additional \$5 per person.

Please register to attend at www.ncorp.org/charleston and to pay by credit card or by mail with check. For registration inquiries please e-mail Ms. Roberts at Charleston@ncorp.org or fax 804-228-4501. ***For program inquiries or to sponsor NCORP in Charleston please call Ms. Wyatt at 703-399-6929.***

Present this invitation to Gaillard Auditorium Garage on 11/30/06 for a \$3 flat parking rate.

The **National Blueprint for Secure Communities**, inclusive of Charleston's inputs, will be showcased at NCORP's National Congress in Washington, DC in February 2007.