



InfraGard Louisiana Members Alliance (ILMA)  
 Baton Rouge Subchapter  
 Wednesday, August 16, 2017  
 10:00AM-12:00PM  
 Turner Industries  
 215 Highlandia Dr., Baton Rouge, LA 70810  
 InfraGard Sensitive Briefings  
 Meeting Agenda

- Meeting Call to Order / Welcome ..... Lester Millet III, President
- Pledge of Allegiance / Moment of Silence ..... Stephen M. Toups, V.P.
- FBI New Orleans Welcome and Comments ..... SSA Drew Watts
- Self- Introductions
- Approval of Minutes..... Mike Aertker, Secretary
- Treasurer’s Report ..... John Pouey
  
- Old Business?
  
- New Business: Guest Speakers, General Discussion (Q & A)

**Tentative**

- 1. Community Resilience ..... Joseph “Joey” Booth**
- 2. President’s Report ..... Lester Millet III**
- 3. InfraGard Louisiana Coordinator’s Remarks ..... SA Corey Harris**
- 4. Sector Chief Reports..... ILMA Sector Chiefs**
- 5. Adjournment..... Lester Millet III**

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Joseph Booth is Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Thompson Booth, LLC, a consultant firm specializing in enterprise solutions in the fields of resilience, continuity of operations, disaster recovery, risk mitigation, and more. Clients include private and public sectors, and the military. He is most recently the Executive Director of the LSU Stephenson Disaster Management Institute. Working with the state and others, he built and opened the Louisiana Business Emergency Operations Center, a highly acclaimed model of public/private sector partnering for disaster survival and community resilience. Following the Great Tohoku earthquake and tsunami, Booth was appointed to the Center for Strategic and International Study's Partnership for Recovery, Japan Task Force, and twice traveled to Japan for meetings with senior government and private sector leaders, and was a contributor to the Task Force report.

Most recently he was the guest of the French government and featured speaker at a homeland security technology conference. He was also a guest of the Australian Attorney General at their Australian Emergency Management Institute where he delivered keynote addresses on strategic foresight and the future of social media in disaster management. He is a frequent speaker on disaster management and response at national and international forums.

Under his leadership, LSU began a Center for Business Preparedness focusing on societal resilience through the small and medium sized business communities. Booth also oversaw the creation of the LSU Disaster Lab. Booth created and led a cyber-security initiative to close the gap between the private sector and state and local disaster managers and hosted a joint National Guard and LSU cyber range and lab to provide information sharing and analysis for greater awareness and cooperation between critical infrastructure partners and first responders. Booth also led the creation and staffing of a new Transformational Technology & Cyber Research Center at LSU specializing in applied research for the defense, intelligence, homeland security, and disaster management enterprises.

Before coming to LSU, Booth was employed by Northrop Grumman's Information Technology sector, as a Director of public safety and homeland security accounts to develop business and transition sophisticated capabilities to state and local government customers. He further served as a subject matter expert in matters relevant to state and local governments.

Booth is a former Deputy Superintendent of Louisiana State Police, serving as the Chief of Crisis Response and Special Operations at the rank of Lieutenant Colonel until his retirement. In this capacity he oversaw some of the largest hazardous material responses in U.S. history, led the Louisiana response to the Space Shuttle Columbia disaster, and led responses to Hurricanes Katrina, Rita, and others. Booth also served as chairman of the Louisiana Emergency Response Commission. He was the state program manager of a Department of Defense initiative; the Command and Control Advanced Concepts and Technology Demonstration, a Homeland Security program designed to demonstrate a common civil/military information sharing capability. In addition, Booth led Louisiana's communications interoperability initiative and formed a multi-state Gulf Coast Coalition to implement an integrated, single architecture for first responders in the multi-state area. Booth led the implementation of the nation's leading effort in 700MHz technology for public safety communications.