## Nick Crossley, CEM, CPM

Director Emergency Management & Homeland Security Agency Hamilton County, Ohio

Mr. Crossley currently holds the position of Director of the Emergency Management and Homeland Security agency for Hamilton County, OH. Mr. Crossley has held this position since February 2015. The Hamilton County Emergency Management & Homeland Security agency is an independent



agency in Hamilton County, OH that acts as the emergency management and homeland security agency for all forty-nine jurisdictions within the county including the City of Cincinnati, OH.

As the Director, Mr. Crossley leads the coordination of emergency management activities relative to the mitigation of, preparedness for, response to and recovery from all hazards and disasters that may impact the county. Prior to joining Hamilton County, Mr. Crossley served over three years at the University of California, Davis as the Director of Emergency Management and Mission Continuity. Mr. Crossley also served for 12 years at Johnson County, KS – Emergency Management and Homeland Security with the last four as the Director of the department.

Mr. Crossley has held a variety of leadership roles within the emergency management profession over the last nineteen years. He has served in leadership positions at the county, state and national level. Currently, Mr. Crossley serves as the Immediate Past President for the International Association of Emergency Managers – USA (<a href="www.iaem.com">www.iaem.com</a>). He also serves on the National Association of Counties Board of Directors as the IAEM representative and on the Homeland Security and Emergency Management subcommittee. Mr. Crossley holds the Certified Emergency Manager credential from the International Association of Emergency Managers and the Certified Public Manager credential from the American Academy of Certified Public Managers.

Mr. Crossley holds a bachelor's degree in history from the University of Arkansas at Little Rock and a Master's Degree in Social Work from the University of Missouri at Columbia.

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