



# EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN

**OPERATIONAL DATE:**

**10/14/2023**

**FROM: 11:00AM**

**TO: 11:00PM**

**INCIDENT COMMAND CENTER: JUDGING TENT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ARENA**

**EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER: (432) 943-3254 or (512) 789-0044**

## Ward County

Dexter Nichols, County Commissioner

## Ward County Rodeo Arena

3202 S Stockton Ave.

Monahans, TX 79756



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**INTEGRATED WATER SERVICES**

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### WEATHER EXPECTATIONS

**MORNING** Forecast: Sunny skies. High 78F. Winds E at 10 to 15 mph. **MID-DAY** Forecast: Mostly sunny and not as warm; breezy in the morning, pleasant through the day, and **EVENING** Forecast: Clear skies. Low 54F. Winds ESE at 5 to 10 mph.

### EMERGENCY SERVICES

**CALL 911 OR NOTIFY EVENT WORKER OR LAW ENFORCEMENT**  
THE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY SERVICES WILL BE PRESENT ON-SITE:  
**WARD COUNTY SHERIFF**  
**MONAHANS VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT**  
**AMBULANCE SERVICE AVAILABLE**

### NEAREST HOSPITAL

**WARD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**  
406 S Gary Ave, Monahans, TX 79756  
EMERGENCY ROOM OPEN 24 HOURS  
DIRECTIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT [WWW.WESTTEXASBBQBASHCOM](http://WWW.WESTTEXASBBQBASHCOM) IN THE "DIRECTIONS" TAB

### STATIONS

<b>INCIDENT COMMAND</b>	<b>JUDGING TENT IN ARENA</b>
<b>PRE-EVENT MEETING-SATURDAY 9:AM</b>	<b>JUDGING TENT IN ARENA</b>
<b>FIRST AID STATION</b>	<b>COMPETITION MEAT TURN IN</b>
<b>COMPUTER WORK STATION</b>	<b>CONSESSION BOOTH</b>
<b>MAIN ENTRY/ENTRANCE</b>	<b>BANDS PARKING</b>

## INCIDENT OBJECTIVES

1	We expect 10,000 attendees to pass through the event and we have planned for 13,000. We expect a maximum crowd size of 3000 people between the hours of 6-11 P.M.
2	Water is distributed to each team cooking station for distribution free of charge to any and all event attendees and contributors.
3	Fire Extinguishers will be provided by each team and staged at each cook station- all sites will be inspected regularly all day.
4	Radios will be distributed to all Bash organizers, entry stations, VIP station, stage, merch booth, and one radio will be provided to the LEO team.
5	Emergency Medical Services will be accessed by calling 911
6	The parking lot will be self-park.
7	15- Light towers will be provided and running during the dark hours of set-up and the event. The lighting will be dimmed during sleeping hours.
8	Local Law Enforcement (LEO) will be patrolling the community around the event and inside the event.
9	Sheriff Deputies (LEO) will be posted full time for event patrol and incident management. Additionally, State Troopers and other State LEOs will be present at the event.
12	The VIP tent will be for VIP sponsors. The most crowded area will be around the VIP tent and the stage. We have placed our most trusted competitors in this area. This area will have two deputies present at all times.
13	There will be an additional tent near the stage where the bands will be staged. This is called the Green Room.
14	The event will start setting up on Friday 10/13/23 at 11:00 am and the park will be active at all hours until mid-day Sunday 10/15/23.
10	<p><b>LEO's</b> will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Provide for the safety of the event attendees, participants, and first responders and monitor changing weather conditions and maintain situational awareness.</li> <li>- Establish crowd control, scene security, and perimeter control measures in the event of an emergency.</li> <li>- Coordinate an effective and efficient unified command structure with all participating agencies and organizations.</li> <li>- Maintain communication and information flow with internal/external stakeholders, Event Safety Manager, and County leadership.</li> <li>- Conduct all operations in a cost effective and efficient manner.</li> <li>- In previous years LEOs flashed light bars and sounded brief siren alerts to signify the end of the event. This shall not be done this year. The event organizers will evacuate the event of the public when the event is over.</li> <li>- Public drunkenness, fighting, crude or vulgar behavior by the attending public will not be tolerated and LEO will be called to manage such occurrences. Participants of the Bash who exhibit public drunkenness will be handled by the event Chairman and the Safety Manager. LEO involvement will be a last resort option.</li> <li>- Establish a casualty collection point in support of event operations if necessary</li> </ul>
11	<p><b>Safety Manager</b> will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Maintain coordinated traffic and pedestrian movement plans in and around the event site and establish ingress/egress routes for emergency responders.</li> <li>- Determine resources necessary to provide an adequate safety and security for the event.</li> <li>- Establish Incident Command organizational structures and facilities in cooperation with LEO and County Officials</li> <li>- Maintain communication and information flow with internal/external stakeholders, LEO, and County leadership.</li> <li>- Conduct all operations in a cost effective and efficient manner.</li> <li>- Any drunkenness of volunteers, VIPs or competitors will be managed by the event Chairman/Director/Safety Manager. If LEO is needed they will be called upon for assistance. LEO will be a last resort option.</li> <li>- Establish medical aid/first aid stations in support of event operations.</li> <li>- Establish barricades, cones, traffic control devices in support of event operations handicapped parking.</li> <li>- Report all injuries to Director/Chairman and create follow-up incident report.</li> </ul>

### GENERAL SITUATIONAL AWARENESS

Hydrate, hydrate, hydrate	Manage Ignition Sources	Report human trafficking immediately
Maintain situational awareness	Cool down as appropriate	Regular checks of the ice freezer
Wear appropriate PPE	Report gang activity immediately	Change radio batteries at 4pm each day
Keep an eye out for snakes	Maintain Site Egress /Emergency Access	Report all issues to Chairman/Director
Keep a constant eye out for problems such as signs of distress, choking, electrical hazards, fire hazards, equipment malfunctions, fuel spills, etc.... If you see something that gives you an uneasy feeling, go investigate it. Call for help if needed!		

### EMERGENCY ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENTS

INCIDENT COMMANDER	COLLIN MCELRATH	405-651-3556
DEPUTY COMMANDER	GEORGE BUNKER	970-632-4917
SAFETY OFFICER	JOE CONSTANCE JR.	512-789-0044
INFORMATION OFFICER	GEORGE BUNKER	970-632-4917
LIASON OFFICER	MIKE LYONS	903-985-0739
MEDIA RELATIONS OFFICER	KEITH BALDERAZ	940-218-0328
INSURANCE	SEAN NIEHOFF	720-375-3600
TREASURER	JEFF WILLIAMS	830-299-8551
LEGAL	STEPHEN ROTTER	303-521-0909

### EMERGENCY ASSIGNMENT LIST

RESOURCE IDENTIFIER	LEADER	#PERSONS	PHONE	NOTES/SHIFT

### MAJOR HAZARDS AND RISKS

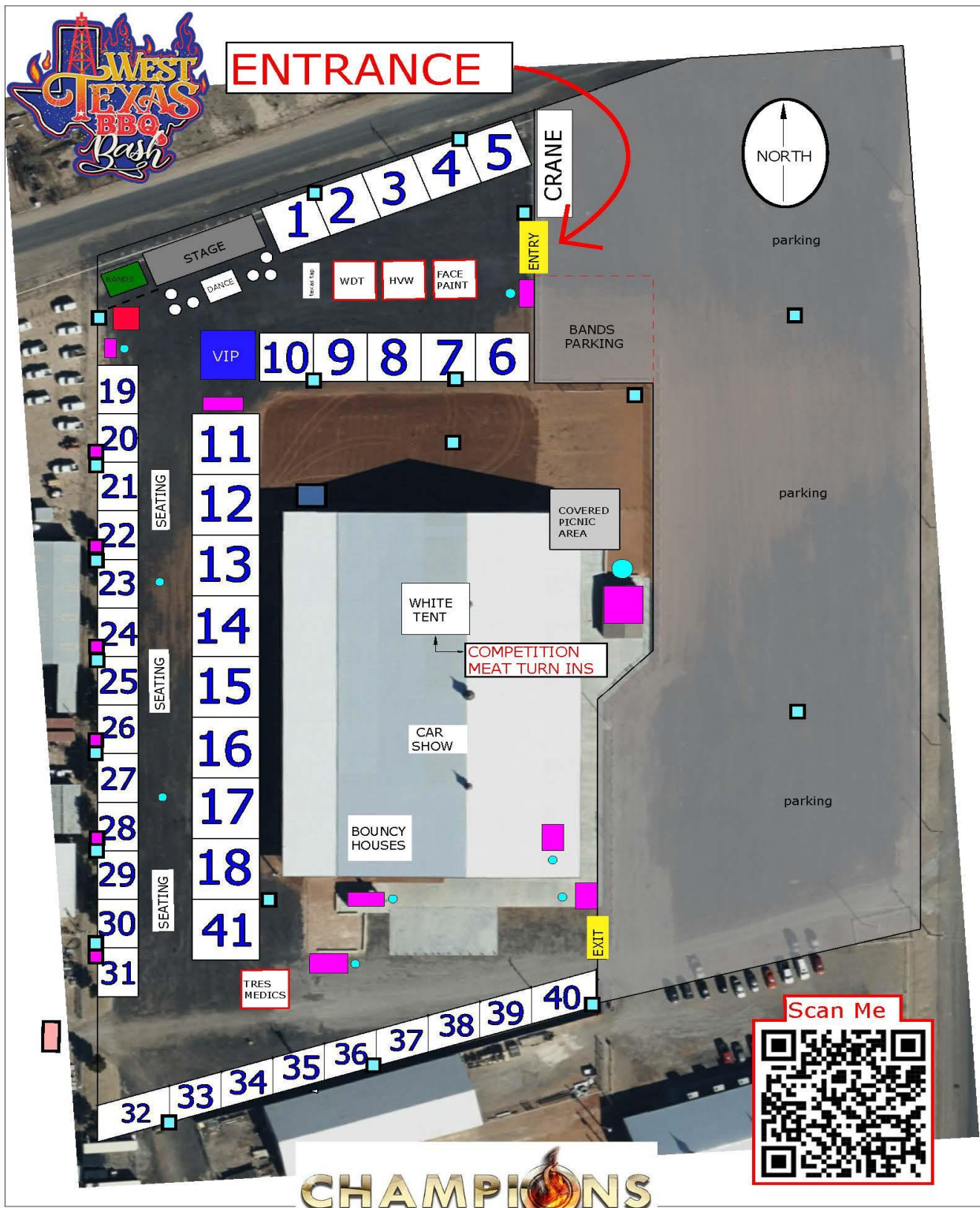
#### HAZARDS AND RISKS

DEHYDRATION
TRIPS, SLIPS, AND FALLS
ENVIRONMENTAL AND ANIMAL/WILDLIFE (UNEVEN TERRAIN, BITES, STINGS)
MOTOR VEHICLE HAZARDS
NIGHT TIME AND LOW VISION
BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS/EXPOSURES TO INJURIES (BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS)
HUMAN CAUSED HAZARDS (CROWDS, INTENTIONAL PHYSICAL INJURY, THREATS, ETC.)
FATIGUE

#### CONTROLS

STAY HYDRATED, WEAR PLENTY OF SUNSCREEN
MAINTAIN SITUATIONAL AWARENESS AND DON'T HANDLE WILDLIFE
USE CAUTION ON UNEVEN TERRAIN
MAINTAIN HIGH LEVEL OF AWARENESS AROUND VEHICLES AND MOVING TRAFFIC
STAY ALERT IN DARK AREAS, USE THE BUDDY SYSTEM
USE PROPER PPE IF BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS OR BODILY FLUIDS ARE PRESENT
MAINTAIN APPROPRIATE SLEEP/REST CYCLES

# EVENT MAP



(20) RESTROOMS		RAFFLE TICKETS & MERCH		FLEXSTEEL	
(6) SANITIZING STATIONS		ICE MACHINE		ENTRY/EXIT POINT	
		TRASH TRAILER		GREEN ROOM	
				COOK TEAM AREA	

## THE TEAM



Keith Balderaz

**Event Coordinator**  
**Resident Ambassador**  
Business Development Manager  
Maverick International



Collin McElrath

**Co-Founder**  
**Chairman**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
Construction Superintendent  
6G Management Services



George Bunker

**Co-Founder**  
**Event Director**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
Safety Director  
Integrated Water Services



Jeff Williams

**Treasurer**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
President  
J. Williams Services, Inc



Brian Kromer

**Event Coordinator**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
President  
Step2Compliance



Casey Palenshus

**Event Coordinator**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
President  
Alterrus



Julie Richardson

**Hospitality & VIP Manager**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
Vice President  
JC Davis Power



Mike Lyons

**Admission Coordinator**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
Vice President  
Canon Safety/RHI Group



Lilo Hernandez

**Stage Manager**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
HSE Professional  
Musician

## THE TEAM



Stephen Rotter

**General Counsel**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
 Founder and Partner  
 The Workplace Counsel



Joe Constante Jr.

**Safety Manager**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
 Safety Manager  
 Wil Call Services



Sean Niehoff

**Risk Advisor**  
**Texas BBQ Bash**  
 Producer- Alliant  
 Vice President- Oilfield Helping hands

### CONTACT

#### BBQ TEAM REGISTRATION

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George Bunker  
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 georgebbqbash@gmail.com

#### Team Payment and Sponsorships

Jeff Williams  
 830.299.8551  
 jeffbqbash@gmail.com

#### Team Check ins and set up

Collin McElrath  
 405.651.3556  
 collinm@texasbbqbash.com

### LEADERSHIP

Chairman.....Collin McElrath  
 Event Director.....George Bunker  
 Treasure..... Jeff Williams  
 Resident Ambassador .....Keith Balderaz  
 Hospitality Manager.....Julie Richardson  
 Safety Manager.....Joe Constante Jr.  
 Stage Manager.....Lilo Hernandez  
 Team Check-ins.....Shawn McElhiney  
 Team Check-ins..... JoAnn McElrath  
 Event Coordinator.....Brian Kromer  
 Event Coordinator..... Jobie Henry  
 Admission Coordinator.... Mike Lyons  
 BBQ Judging.....Brenda Waters  
 Merchandise.....Chrissie Lynn  
 Merchandise.....Cassie McElrath  
 Volunteer Coordinator.....Dana Brown  
 VIP Services.....Brooke Bates  
 VIP Services.....Kat Marie

## RULES

### LOCATION

<https://westtexasbbqbash.com/rules>



### HANDBOOK

Oct. 14th, 2023

THIS HANDBOOK IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.  
 PARTICIPATING TEAMS WILL RECEIVE  
 ELECTRONIC NOTIFICATION  
 OF ANY CHANGES.



Updated:  
 7/17/23

