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CA 9-1-1 BRANCH NOTICE 2019-07
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To: ALL 9-1-1 COUNTY COORDINATORS
        PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINT MANAGERS

Subject: **9-1-1 LOCATION ACCURACY AND VALIDATION PROJECT – WAVE 2**

On March 8, 2019, the CA 9-1-1 Branch sent out Notice 2019-01 announcing a new contract with RapidDeploy to install a secure encrypted device known as the Emergency Data Gateway (EDG) and provide PSAPs with a supplemental location accuracy tool known as Radius. Since that time, over 40 Wave 1 deployments have been completed. Wave 2 deployments are now being implemented and will involve all remaining CA 9-1-1 Branch funded PSAPs.

The implementation costs related to deployments will be directly funded by Cal OES.

Wave 2 PSAPs will receive the "Cal OES 9-1-1 Location Accuracy and Validation Project Package" which will include information about your agency's deployment steps, a pre-deployment site survey, technical and operational training information, and additional implementation documentation. Your PSAP must sign and return all appropriate project package documents to be scheduled for a Wave 2 deployment. The CA 9-1-1 Branch representative, Curt Guillot (916) 657-9600 / Curt.Guillot@caloes.ca.gov will be the PSAP's point of contact for questions regarding this project.

In an effort to ensure project network redundancy and failover protections, Cal OES has made arrangements to fund and install a new IP circuit provided by Comcast. Upon the successful deployment of the RapidDeploy EDG, the new IP circuit will be installed. The CA 9-1-1 Branch representative Tiffany Howard (916) 657-9233 / Tiffany.Howard@caloes.ca.gov will be the PSAP's point of contact for questions regarding the new Comcast IP circuit.

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