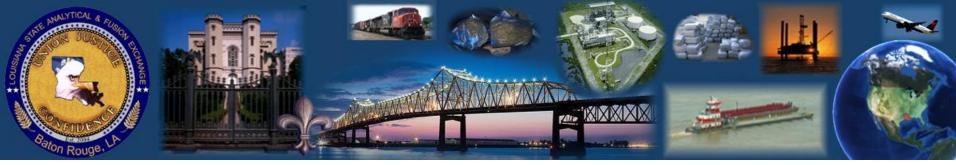




# Louisiana - State Analytical & Fusion Exchange (LA-SAFE)

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## Mission Statement

The Louisiana State Analytical and Fusion Exchange (LA-SAFE) promotes collaboration in an all-crimes/all-hazards environment, supporting federal, state, local and private sectors by working together to provide timely information for use in promoting public safety and national security against terrorist and criminal threats. LA-SAFE will support the state during major disasters and emergencies by gathering, analyzing and disseminating information to assist relevant agencies.

LA-SAFE actively works to collect and analyze information, providing responsible parties with pertinent background for decision making processes, which permit resource maximization in the protection of the citizens of the state of Louisiana.

LA-SAFE evaluates all information provided ensuring that the information that is retained and utilized is directly related to lawful purposes and has been legally obtained. It shall not interfere with the free exercise of constitutionally guaranteed rights or privileges of individuals.







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## The Vision

- •Form relationships with government and industry partners
- Exchange valuable information
- Possess a State analytical capability
- Implement information sharing tools



# Goals/Objectives

- Closer relationship with critical infrastructure/private sectors
- •Clear communications with all L.E. agencies who interact with the Fusion Center
- To have information rapidly available
- Efficiently share information
- Consumer tailored products
- Achieving DHS's baseline capabilities



# Homeland Security Information Network–Louisiana (HSIN-LA)

- Provides a secure capability to share information and collaborate
- Allows for collaboration via the internet
- Case Management
- Over 1500 participants
- https://government.hsin.gov/default.aspx



# LA-SAFE Capabilities

- Securely communicate
- Rapidly post bulletins & announcements
- Directly access data maintained by others
- •Standardized means of reporting from the local level to the Federal level and back
- Capacity to perform analysis and dissemination
- •E-mail groups



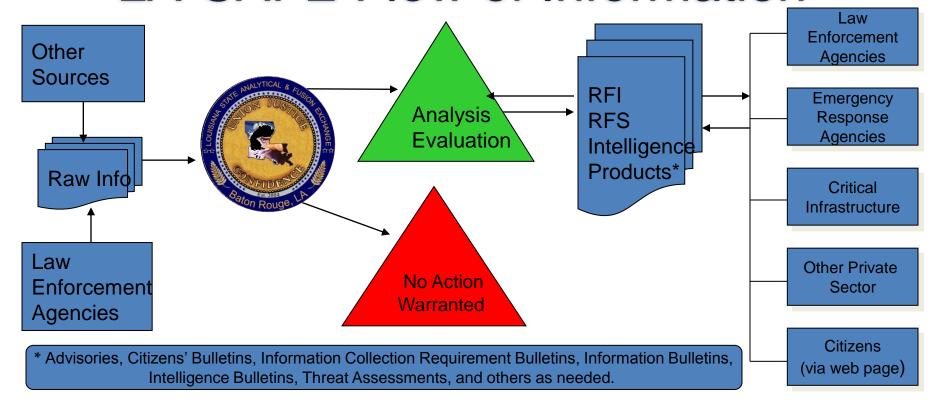
## **LA-SAFE Threat Groups**

- > Sectors
- Hate Groups
- Homeland Security
- Public Safety
- Gangs/Narcotics
- Violent/High Profile
- CI/KR
- Cyber





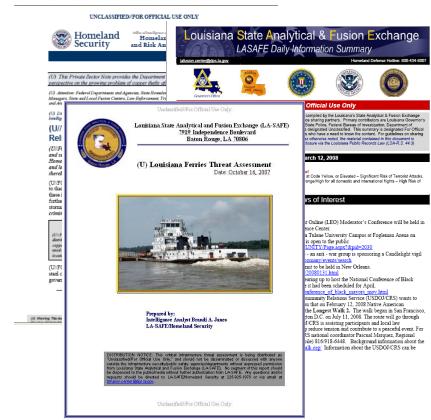
## LA-SAFE Flow of Information





## **LA-SAFE Products**

- Subject profiles
- Situational advisories
- Assessments
- BOLO's
- Daily reports
- Weekly bulletin
- Photo line-ups
- Information disseminations to other clients





# What is the FLO Program?

## The Fusion Liaison Officer (FLO) Program is:

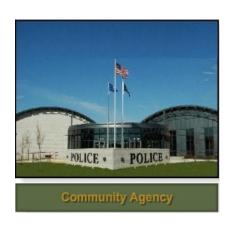
- •A critical pathway for formalizing procedures and processes for more efficient information sharing exchange between Fusion Centers, Federal and State agencies and local communities
- Increased physical resources for the Fusion Center, expanding the collection and dissemination of capabilities of the center
- An opportunity to increase analytical support at critical incident scenes
- •The ability to strategically deploy intelligence support resources where needed



## What is a FLO?

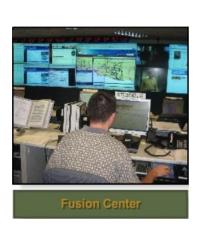
## Fusion Liaison Officers (FLOs) are:

- The information bridge between the Fusion Center and their agency
- •A critical connection for relaying terrorism and crime-related intelligence, or other all-hazards information











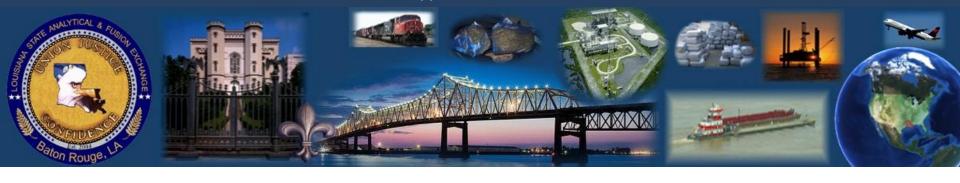
## The FLO Mission

- To strengthen information sharing
- To enhance partnerships
- To provide a conduit to receive and disseminate information
- To support criminal intelligence for LA-SAFE and the Fusion Liaison Officer's respective agency



# Reporting Suspicious Activity

- LA-SAFE FLO
- LSP Website: (LSP.org-Suspicious Activity link)
- Homeland Defense Hotline (1-800-434-8007)
- GOHSEP 225-925-7500
- Telephone or Email (225.925.4192 or LaFusion.Center@dps.la.gov)
- Your Own Department



## **QUESTIONS?**

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