## **Requesting Direct State Assistance**



Jurisdiction Having Authority (JHA)

When local resources, vendors, and mutual aid has become exhausted; the requesting JHA submits a
resource request to their respective jurisdictional emergency management (EM) agency. (County, Tribe, City of
the First-Class)

Jurisdictional Emergency Management  Local EM will review, vet, and fill request if possible. If unable to fill through local mutual aid/vendors, and state assistance is required, the local EM will submit request to State Emergency Operation Center (SEOC) via MN Duty Officer and WebEOC.

State Emergency Operation Center (SEOC)

- The State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) will determine if the request constitutes an unmet need in that the requesting jurisdiction as exhausted all local options.
- The SEOC will support by:
  - directing the request to the appropriate state agency identified in the Minnesota Emergency Operations Plan (MEOP) and by Governor's Executive Order 19-22;
  - by providing sourcing options and vendor information as requested;
  - by requesting interstate mutual aid through EMAC, NEMAC, or Direct Federal Support;
  - by direct purchase and distribution of supplies only when/if directed to do so by the Governor's Authorized Representative (GAR) and/or the State Incident Manager (SIM).