

Building a Stronger Social Safety Net

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Framing the discussion

- * Worldview
- * Operational Definitions
- * Shifting Methodologies
- * Relationship to Emergency Human Services



Command and Control



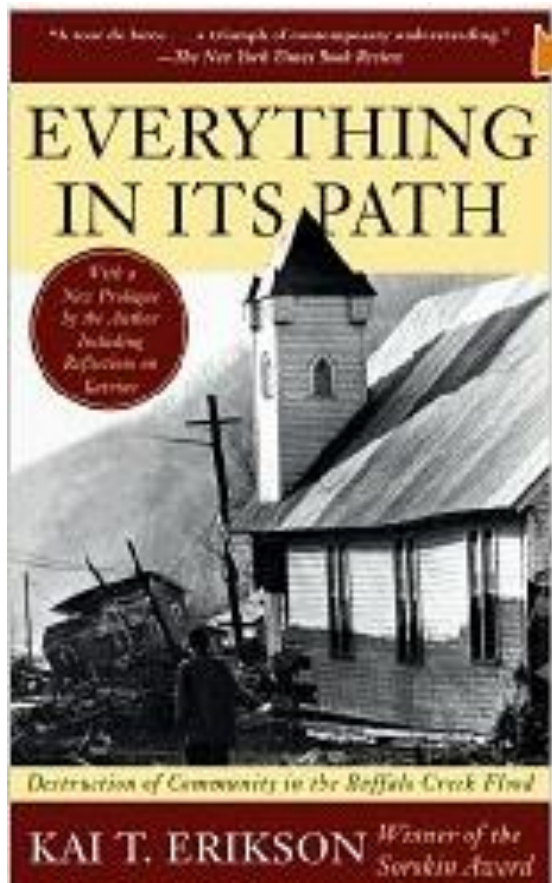
Missouri Model



Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs



Buffalo Creek



- * Collective trauma
- * Loss of communality
- * Disruption

Chicago



- * Poverty and isolation
- * Community and connection
- * Social Infrastructure
- * Physical Infrastructure

The Stronger Social Safety Net

**Emergency
Services/Acute
Needs
Assistance**

Civic Organizations

Chamber of Commerce

Boy's and Girl's Clubs

Dept. of Education

Insurance

**Local, State, Tribal and
Federal Social Service
Delivery Programs**

**Family,
Friends,
Neighborhood,
Community**

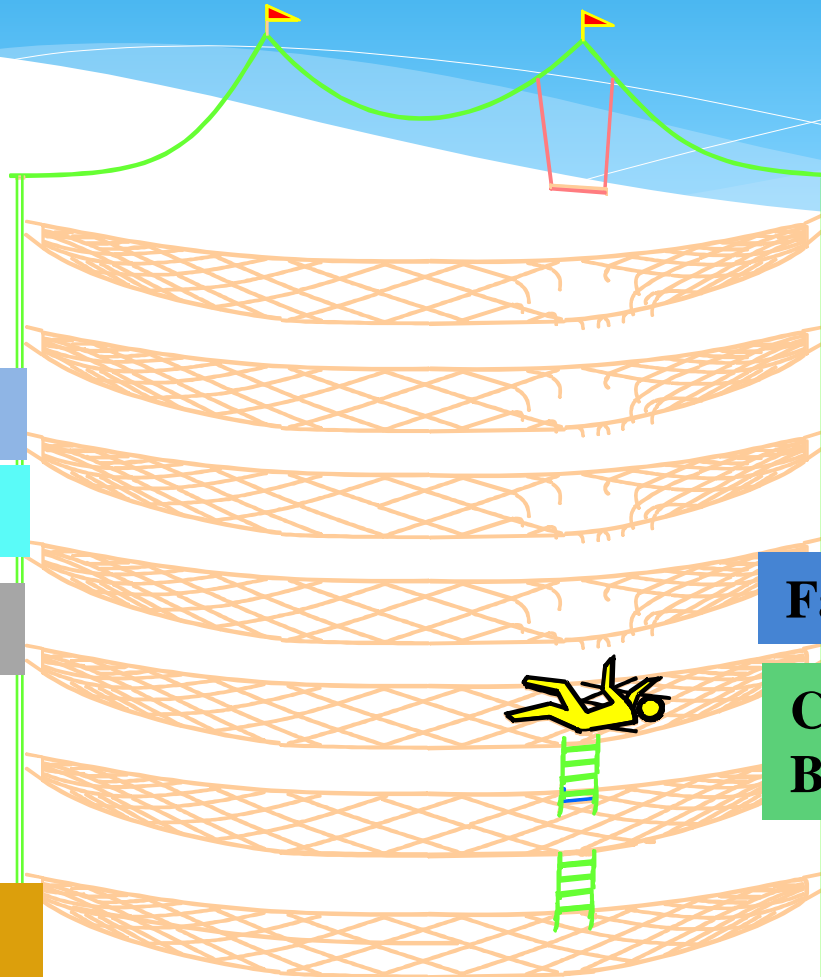
**NGO's,
Charities,
Private Firms**

Faith Communities

**Community
Businesses**

**MO Community
Action Agencies**

Health & Mental Health



Points to Ponder

- * Disasters are local
- * Leave the egos at the door
- * Build relationships before the disaster
- * Leverage collective social capital
- * Documentation



The Starfish



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