

## **Marko G. Bourne**

### **Principal/Officer, Booz Allen Hamilton**

Marko Bourne is a nationally recognized leader in emergency management, homeland security and public safety with over 34 years of experience at all levels of government and the private sector. He is a Principal/Officer in Charge of Booz Allen Hamilton's emergency management and mission assurance practice and leads the firm's work at DHS, FEMA and NPPD (CISA). Marko oversees client need and delivery of client needs in data analytics, cyber security, emergency communications, policy, infrastructure protection, strategic planning, transformation management, organizational strategy and design, market positioning for the Homeland Security and emergency management market.

Prior to joining BAH, Mr. Bourne held senior career and appointed positions with both state and the Federal government. He served as the Director of Policy and Program Analysis for the Federal Emergency Management Agency from 2006 till January of 2009. He has more than 30 years of experience in emergency services, emergency management, policy, governmental and legislative affairs, public affairs, and marketing and led the integration of the DHS Preparedness Directorate into FEMA and the FEMA re-organization effort following Hurricane Katrina. Mr. Bourne was also responsible for on-going agency transformation activities, strategic planning and program analysis efforts as well as the lead official for managing transition activities.

From 2004-2006, he was Director of Business Development for Homeland Security at Earth Tech Inc./ Tyco International where he was responsible for the development of Earth Tech's long-term homeland security growth strategy and business development. He provided advice and counsel on government affairs and public relations for Earth Tech and assisted the Tyco International public affairs office with issues related to homeland security.

In 2003 and 2004, Mr. Bourne served as the Founding Director of the Department of Homeland Security's National Incident Management System Integration Center (NIC) and was the career Deputy Director of FEMA's Preparedness Division. He was responsible for the original implementation of the National Incident Management System across the nation at all levels of government. He also conducted outreach to federal, state and local responders and governments and managed and directed the Preparedness Division's major program components.

Mr. Bourne also worked as Executive Officer at the U.S. Fire Administration, where he developed long and short-term strategies for external and internal coordination and communications methods related to fire services programs. Earlier in his career he was Press Secretary for the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency and Executive Director and Founder of the Pennsylvania Fire Services Institute.

He is a long time firefighter, EMT and former police officer.