



Detect all available elements of the situation; attempt to locate and identify individuals operating the drone.
(Look at windows/balconies/roof tops).

Report incident to the FAA Regional Operations Center (ROC). Follow-up assistance can be obtained through FAA Law Enforcement Assistance Program (**LEAP**) special agents.

Observe the UAS and maintain visibility of the device; look for damage or injured individuals. Note: Battery life is typically 20 to 30 minutes.

Notice features: Identify the type of device (**fixed-wing/multi-rotor**), its size, shape, color, payload (i.e., **video equipment**), and activity of device.

Execute appropriate police action: Maintain a safe environment for general public and first responders. Conduct a field interview, request proof of UAS registration, and document ALL details of the event per the guidance provided by the FAA. faa.gov/uas/resources/law_enforcement/

Always follow agency policies: Take appropriate action based on the facts and circumstances of the incident and site/area specific laws and rules. The FAA's enforcement action does NOT impact ANY enforcement action(s) taken by law enforcement.

Local ordinances that may apply include, but are not limited to: Reckless endangerment, criminal mischief, voyeurism, inciting violence.



Document and provide the following information to FAA:

- Identity of operators and witnesses ([name, contact information](#))
- Type of operation ([hobby, commercial, public/governmental](#))
- Type of device(s) and registration information ([number/certificate](#))
- Event location and incident details ([date, time, place](#))
- Evidence collection ([photos, video, device confiscation](#))

Contact your FAA LEAP agent or an FAA ROC for assistance:

Western ROC	AK, AZ, CA, CO, HI, ID, MT, NV, OR, UT, WA, WY	206-231-2089	9-WSA-OPSCTR@faa.gov
Central ROC	AR, IA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, ND, NE, NM, OH, OK, SD, TX, WI	817-222-5006	9-CSA-ROC@faa.gov
East ROC	AL, CT, FL, GA, KY, MA, ME, MS, NC, NH, PR, RI, SC, TN, VI, VT	404-305-5180	9-ESA-ROC@faa.gov
	DC, DE, MD, NJ, NY, PA, VA, WV	404-305-5150	9-ESA-ROC@faa.gov