BIOGRAPHY



Louis S. Dabdoub, III



**Professional Career**

* 2016 – Present Director, Incident Response, Entergy
* 2009 – 2016 Corporate Security Manager, (Nation-Wide lead), Entergy
* 2005 – 2009 U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Supervisory Protective Security Advisor, (TX, LA, MS, AL, FL panhandle)
* 1983 – 2005 New Orleans Police Department, Police Commander.

**Education**

* Board Certified Protection Professional, A.S.I.S., 2008 - present
* Seeking Board Certification, ISC2, CISST, 2017
* Harvard University, John F. Kennedy School Southern Management Institute for Police, Boston, MA, 1999 Police Executive Research Forum
* New Orleans Regional Leadership Institute Graduate, 2004
* B.S. (Magna Cum Laude), Criminal Justice, *Loyola University City College*, New Orleans, Louisiana, December 2002
* New Orleans Police Training Academy, Police Officer, July 1985
* State Board Certification - Emergency Medical Technician, July 1983
* Brother Martin High School – 1982

Louie currently serves as the Director of Incident Response for Entergy, where he is responsible for directing the coordination of system emergency operations plans, system response preparedness, and mutual assistance across Entergy. He formulates operational business strategies, establishes goals and implements the appropriate solutions. Louie directs Entergy's crisis readiness and response program, including the training and exercise programs to provide the highest state of readiness and ability to effectively respond to any crisis. He regularly interfaces and coordinates with the Office of the Chief Executive, and the various Entergy business functions to establish effective crisis readiness and response plans, including the preparation and response to major loss of power, financial bankruptcy, negative brand image, cyber-attacks, and others. He also directs the overall Business Continuity (BCON) plan and ensure organizational readiness for a business continuity event.

Previous to joining Entergy as the Corporate Security Manager, Louie had experience in emergency management, counter-terrorism, homeland security, local law enforcement and public-private sector security organization and response. Just prior to joining the Entergy Team he served as the Supervisory Protective Security Advisor (SPSA) for the Gulf Coast Area, (LA, TX, MS, AL and FL Panhandle), for the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, and was based in the New Orleans, Louisiana Field Office. In this capacity, he worked closely with homeland security, law enforcement and emergency response counterparts at all levels of government, as well as with security specialists throughout the private sector. Additionally, as directed by the Assistant Secretary for Infrastructure Protection, he also served as the Senior DHS representative in a Joint Field Office for Infrastructure Protection during times of National Disaster. He also holds the designation of CPP, with ASIS, the highest title in the Security Industry worldwide.

Before joining DHS, he was a Commander in the New Orleans Police Department (NOPD), and has over 28 years of experience in law enforcement. While serving with NOPD, he was responsible for coordinating all law enforcement activities, safety, security, and emergency response programs in nationally recognized areas and neighborhoods in the City of New Orleans. During this career, he was responsible for the planning and management of such major events as the Sugar Bowl; Mardi Gras; Bayou Classic; French Quarter Festival; New Orleans Bowl; Essence Festival; and numerous major conventions. He also has extensive experience in natural disaster preparation and post-incident management, along with leading response efforts for chemical spills in an inner city environment. Throughout his distinguished time in public service, he successfully helped develop outreach strategies to improve safety conditions across communities, especially homelessness and domestic violence. Louie still serves as the Commander of the New Orleans Police Departments Reserve Division.

Louie and his family, his wife Virginia and three daughters, Erin, Lauren and Julia, are very excited about being part of this community.