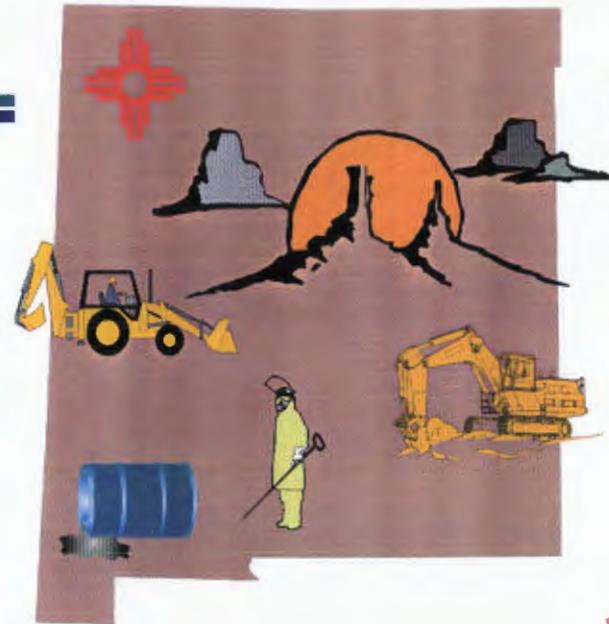


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Introduction

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The Benchmark Team

-  **BENCHMARK**
ENVIRONMENTAL CORPORATION
 - » Project management (including subcontractor management, documentation and reporting, and invoicing)
 - » Site assessment and remediation planning and implementation
-  **RINCHEM**
 - » Incident response
 - » Equipment and materials
 - » Waste storage and transfer facilities

The Benchmark Team (cont.)

- **ETSC**
GOVERNMENT SERVICES, INC.

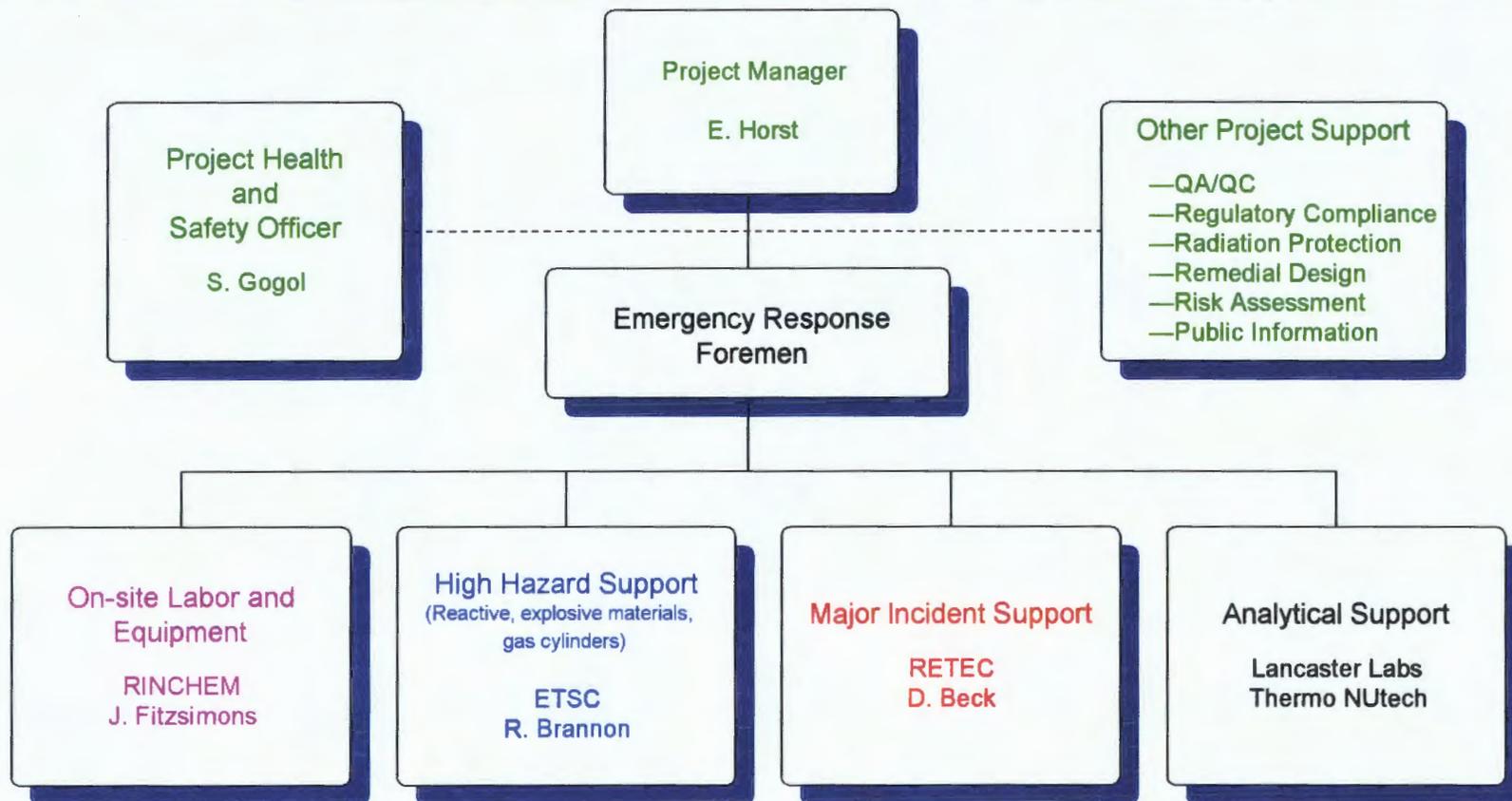
- » Specialized assistance for high hazard response and remediation (including gas cylinders)

- **REIEC**

- » Additional resources for response to major incidents

- Lancaster Laboratories and Thermo NUtech radioanalytical laboratory

Team Organization



Key Personnel

- **Ed Horst, Project Manager**

- » B.S. Mining Engineering
- » 20+ years of relevant experience
- » NMED 24-hour emergency response contact; RCRA permitting and enforcement
- » Overall project planning and execution: scheduling, resource procurement, subcontractor management, cost control, QA, and review and approval

- **Bruce Baumgartner, Emergency Response Foreman**

- » B.S. Chemical Engineering
- » 10+ years of site investigation, remediation and waste management experience
- » Managed 34 hazmat incident responses and 60+ site assessment and remediation projects
- » Extensive relevant training

Key Personnel (cont.)

- **John Fitzsimons, Rinchem Subcontract Manager**
 - » A.A.S. Environmental Technology
 - » Certified Hazardous Materials Manager
 - » Participated in 150+ responses
 - » 400+ hours of hazardous waste and emergency response training
 - » Make necessary resources available to team

- **Rick Brannon, ETSC Subcontract Manager**
 - » Undergraduate coursework in chemistry and environmental protection
 - » 11 years waste management experience
 - » Managed remediation of Sandia disposal pit containing exotic, energetic, explosive materials; DOD high hazard chemicals, chemical warfare agents
 - » As VP of Operations, make resources available to the team
 - » USEPA and Union Pacific Hazmat Emergency Response training

Key Personnel (cont.)

- **Daryl Beck, RETEC Subcontract Manager**
 - » M.S. Environmental Engineering
 - » 4+ years of experience in spill site management and response for railroad derailments, grade crossing accidents, and fuel tank punctures
 - » Association of American Railroads Hazmat Operations training
 - » Make RETEC resources available to the team
- **Sandra Gogol, Project Health and Safety Officer**
 - » B.S. Radiological Health Physics
 - » Benchmark Corporate Health and Safety Officer
 - » Eight years industrial hygiene and health physics experience including radioactive materials spill response and as an EMT
 - » Approve health and safety strategies and plans; on-call support for field staff

Capabilities

- Effective response within required response time
 - » Any size hazardous waste/material incident
 - » Any hazardous or radioactive material
 - » Anywhere in the state
- Ability to store abandoned and orphaned materials
- Ability to respond to multiple incidents simultaneously
- Full spectrum of remediation services
- \$600,000+ of equipment including two fully equipped response vehicles
- Established relationships with proven specialty subcontractors
- Best value analytical services through affiliated labs



Experience

- Completion of 500+ hazmat responses in NM in the past five years
- All aspects of hazardous and radioactive waste management
- Hazmat response services for NMED, DPS, major railroad and trucking companies, and industrial facilities

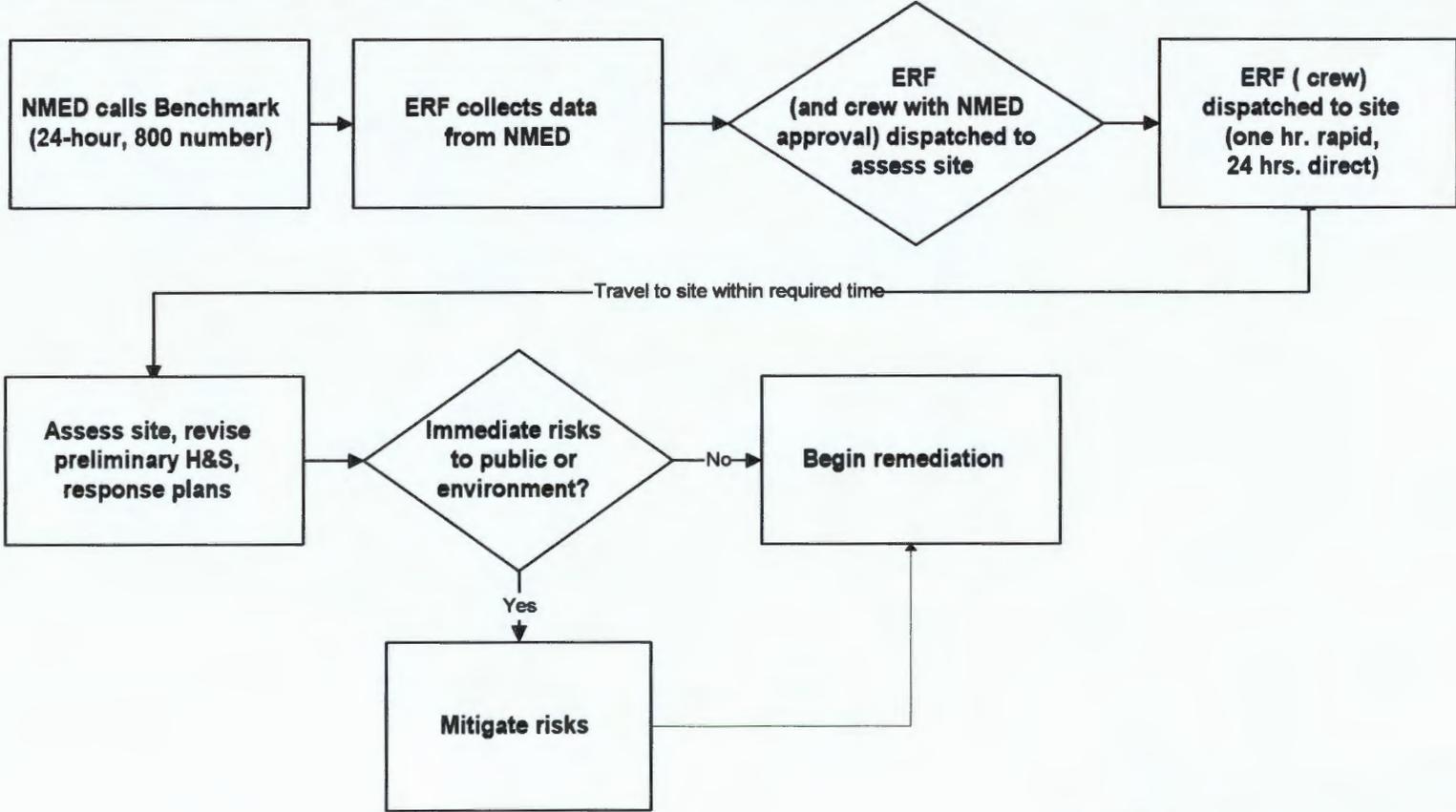


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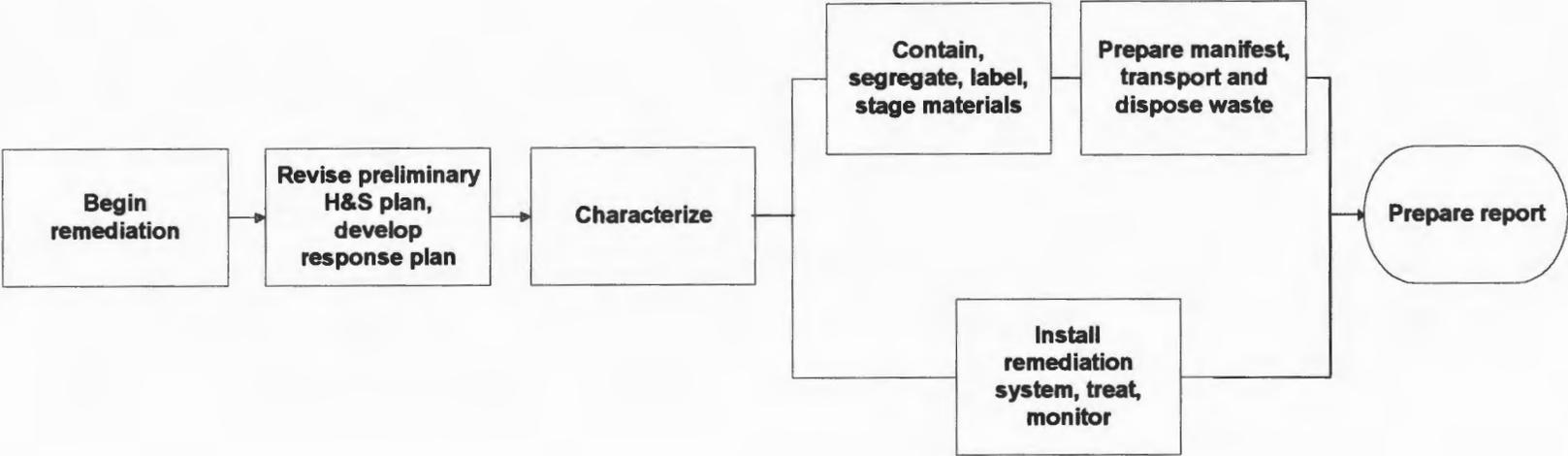
- Design and implementation of successful remediation technologies
- Outstanding safety record
- Preparation and maintenance of defensible incident documentation
- Proven ability to work together as team
- Additional support services (relocation, water supply, expert testimony, modeling)



Response to NMED Call (Rapid and Direct)



Remediation



Our Commitment to the NMED

- Safe and effective response to hazardous waste/material incidents in manner protective of human health and environment
- Safe and compliant management of wastes
- Defensible incident response documentation
- Effective cost control, tracking, and invoicing

Equipment/Materials Demonstration

