

## **Fire Brigade Provides Timely Aid to Refugees**

How does a country's emergency response organizations deal with an influx of refugees? Not easily. It's a complex situation that requires preparation, coordination, and special operations capabilities. Fortunately, Kassel, Germany's fire brigade had the emergency management technology foundation to get the job done when thousands of refugees sought asylum there.

By leveraging Hexagon's Intergraph<sup>®</sup> Planning & Response application, Kassel Fire Brigade was able to:

- Coordinate information and resources across multiple relief sites in the region
- Mobilize action plans and communications methods in a central operating view all agencies can access
- Visualize and clearly structure entire workflows, including teams' roles and responsibilities

With this strategic and tactical system in place, Kassel Fire Brigade met relief needs quickly and efficiently. And the organization now uses the technology for 15 to 20 events per month, from hazardous materials incidents to major traffic accidents to extreme weather scenarios.

Learn more about how Kassel Fire Brigade is setting the standard for crisis management.