

Safety Spotlight

Emergency Notifications

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As we spring into severe weather season we want to remind everyone about the importance of weather warnings. Our department has implemented a new **emergency notification system** that will alert residents in the event of severe weather. Information to sign up for these notifications and more is listed below. **You must register to receive these notifications.**



Know Your Risk

Check the weather every morning. It is a simple action that will ensure that you're ready for the day's weather. Don't leave home without knowing the forecast.

Take Action

Assemble an emergency supply kit with 72 hours worth of food and water. In an emergency you may be stuck at home without electricity for three days or more. Ensure everyone knows how to stay in touch, knows meeting places and alternate ways of communicating during an emergency. Make sure that you're prepared.

Be a Force of Nature

Inspire others by sharing your weather-ready story on social media. It can be as simple as posting a photo of your emergency supplies kit or letting friends know how to reach you during an emergency.

Click the image or link below to sign up for emergency notifications.

[Click to sign up for notifications](#)

<https://member.everbridge.net/index/892807736726279#/signup>

DID YOU KNOW ?

- There are 5 outdoor warning sirens within the city.
- Sirens are tested the first Wednesday of each month at 1:00 p.m.
- Sirens tests are not done if there is the chance of inclement weather.
- Sirens are to notify people that are outdoors to get to a safe location.
- There are 2 portable sirens that are used at large city outdoor events.

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