

Your community needs YOU for the Park County Community Emergency Response Team

Park County Homeland Security is seeking individuals interested in volunteering for the Park County Community Emergency Response Team (CERT).

CERT educates individuals about disaster preparedness for hazards that may impact our area. Volunteers will be trained in basic disaster response skills such as fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization, and disaster medical operations. Participants will have the opportunity to be a part of disaster recovery in their local community and see the positive impacts of their assistance. On top of the technical skills, CERT is an excellent way for members of the community to meet and build a network of relationships *before* disaster strikes.

The *free* initial training course is 20 hours and is taught by a variety of emergency management professionals and includes an extensive use of hands-on exercises. After the initial training, monthly meetings are held to develop, practice and hone the skills that you have learned as well as learn new ones. Individuals from all backgrounds and skill levels are welcome.

Attached is a schedule of the upcoming trainings.

Interested individuals should contact Park County Homeland Security at 307-527-1860 to register and reserve their spot, or visit <http://www.parkcounty.us/OHS/homelandsecurity.html> Space will be limited, so don't delay.

We look forward to hearing from you!



“Leaders should try to build corps of citizen responders. No city will be able to manage a crisis and rebuild...without the help of its people.”

—Thomas Menino, Former Mayor, Boston, MA

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Participating Partners

Park County Sheriff's Office

Park County Search and Rescue

Park County Fire District #2 (Cody Fire Department)

Park County CERT Training Agenda

Day 1

Saturday July 25th, 2020

9:00 AM Course

Intro/Overview..... Jack Tatum

9:30 AM Unit 1: Disaster

Preparedness..... Jack Tatum

11:00 PM Unit 6: Fire Safety..... Rick Fleming

12:00 PM Break for Lunch

1:00 PM Unit 6: Fire Safety (continued)..... Rick Fleming

2:00 PM Unit 3 Disaster Medical Operations – Part 1.....Monte McClain

4:00 PM Dismissal

Day 2

Saturday August 8th, 2020

9:00 AM Unit 4: Disaster Medical Operations – Part 2..... Monte McClain

10:00 AM Unit 5: Light Search and Rescue

Operations..... Bill Brown

11:00 PM Unit 2: CERT

Organization..... Jack Tatum

12:00 Break for lunch

1:00 PM Unit 7: Disaster Psychology..... Linda Wagoner

2:00 PM Unit 8: Terrorism and CERT..... Sam Wilde

4:00 PM Dismissal

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Day 3

Saturday August 22nd, 2020

**9:00 AM Unit 9 Course Overview/
Review..... All**

10:00 AM Final Exam

Break until 1:00 PM for lunch

1:00 PM: Begin Disaster Simulation (concludes no later than 4:00 PM).