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| WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE NEWS MEDIA RELEASE | | NEWS RELEASE NUMBER 2016-018 |
| INFORMATION: TORNADO DRILL | | |
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A TORNADO DRILL WILL BE CONDUCTED IN SECTIONS OF WINNEBAGO COUNTY BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND NOON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, 2016. REPRESENTATIVES FROM SEVERAL AREA FIRE DEPARTMENTS WILL TAKE PART INCLUDING ROCKFORD, LOVES PARK, HARLEM/ ROSCOE, AND NORTH PARK. PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICERS REPRESENTING THE CITY OF ROCKFORD, WINNEBAGO COUNTY, ROCKFORD PARK DISTRICT, THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, AND LOCAL HOSPITALS WILL ALSO PARTICIPATE. ELECTED OFFICIALS FROM VARIOUS GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES WILL BE ON HAND TO PARTICIPATE.

THE TORNADO DRILL WILL BE COORDINATED OUT OF THE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER INSIDE THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY CRIMINAL JUSTICE CENTER, 650 WEST STATE STREET, ROCKFORD. EMERGENCY RESPONDERS WILL ALSO BE IN THE FIELD AS PART OF THE EXERCISE. THE DRILL IS DESIGNED TO TEST A MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL RESPONSE TO A NATURAL DISASTER AND THE COUNTY'S PROPERTY DAMAGE ASSESSMENT TOOL.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> : SHERIFF : CHIEF DEPUTY : DEPUTY CHIEF OF DETECTIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF PATROL BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF ADMINISTRATIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF SUPPORT SERVICES : SUPERINTENDENT OF CORRECTIONS : ACCREDITATION MANAGER : MACHESNEY PARK SECTION SUPERVISOR : FOREST PRESERVE SECTION SUPERVISOR : ESDA SECTION DIRECTOR : PATROL ROLL CALL BOOK : PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER : 1ST FLOOR BULLETIN BOARD : WEB SITE COORDINATOR | <p>SHERIFF GARY CARUANA</p> <hr/> <p>SUPERVISOR AUTHORIZING RELEASE</p> <p>DATE: 02 / 16 / 16 TIME: 1000 HOURS</p> |
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