

Tualatin CIO | PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Citizen Involvement Organization



Local Midwest CIO3 School and Neighbor Emergency Preparedness

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Twenty volunteers from the surrounding Tualatin CIO communities are graduating from the City's first CERT Volunteer Mobilization Planning training program. (CERT stands for Community Emergency Response Team). On behalf of all CIO community residents, we want to say thank you to these newly trained CERT team members who have volunteered six weeks of their time and energy to step up when the need arises.

CERT is just one part of the CIO leadership efforts to plan for unforeseeable tragedies from natural disasters that may affect all of us. We encourage every Tualatin resident in every neighborhood to "get prepared" for unforeseen emergency crisis resulting by natural disasters, etc.

Contact your CIO leadership and begin preparations by first educating your family with the "Map your Neighborhood" training video and importance of the "Golden Hour". Your CIO has the resources to help educate you, your family and your neighbors. The training includes systematically going through a 9-step emergency procedure process to safely secure your home from further unforeseen damage.

Your CIO leadership encourages anyone interested to consider CERT training. Check the events page of Nextdoor.com as well as the City of Tualatin's CIO website for further updates on training and certification

opportunities. Every CIO District needs up to ten trained CERT volunteers to keep things running smoothly in times of unforeseen crisis.



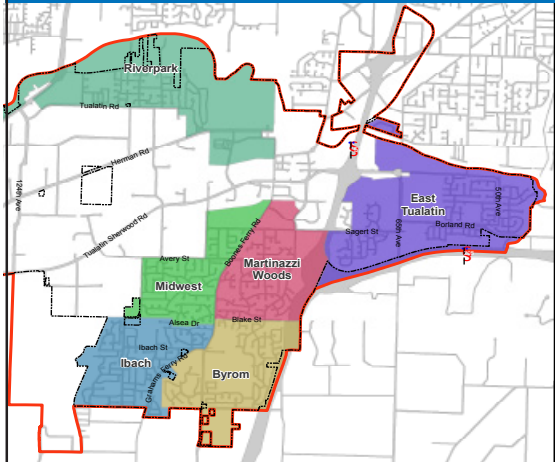
As part of your individual family emergency planning, we recommend that parents of school age children make sure that all emergency contact records are updated with your local school. If you have questions regarding the school's emergency plans be sure to contact your school and find out what the protocol process is for your district.

Talk with your CIO President on how you can get involved in training through the "Map your Neighborhood" (MYN) training program or how to sign up for future CERT training dates.



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--- City Boundary
 --- Planning Area Boundary

For businesses, Tualatin has both a Commercial and Industrial CIO covering the entire city. Inclusion in these CIO's is determined by business type rather than geographic location.