



Eagle Response

The Boy Scout motto is “Be Prepared.”

Are you prepared?

How could this motto help save you or the life of a loved one?

Read on to find out.....



In order to attain the highest rank in Scouting, Tom Johnson, is looking to connect citizens to the Regional 911 center. Currently, the 911 database is capable of providing additional address information to emergency responders when an individual activates the system. Many residents are unfamiliar with this feature and Tom's Eagle Scout Project is designed to raise citizen awareness and connect responders with those in need.

If you, or someone you live with, would require extra assistance during an emergency, you may qualify for special dispatch designation. This brief description, about a special situation that is unique to a fixed address, would appear during a 911 call for help. This information could be very helpful to Paramedics, Firefighters and Police Officers who strive to provide the best service possible. There have been past instances where the lack of important information has put lives at risk.

Tom is working with other area Scouts, the Delaware County Emergency Communications Center, and local first responders to better connect the citizen with the responder. Can you help us make a connection? If you know somebody in Delaware County who would be in need of special assistance during an emergency, please tell them about this effort. If that somebody lives in your house, help us help them, NOW!

Your personal information is protected by the laws that govern the emergency services. It will be kept completely confidential and will only be accessed if 911 is called to the address connected to the data. If it's not possible to provide the special information directly to the project team, please mail it to the 911 Center at the address listed below. Let's "Be Prepared"!!!



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**“I wanted to do a project that would help people, and continue to help people long after I was finished.
Eagle Response is that project.” - Tom Johnson**

