

OES director urges ReadyTrinity registration

By Liz Hamilton, director Office of Emergency Services May 7, 2025

Here in Trinity County, we are no strangers to the challenges that nature and unforeseen events can present. From the ever-present threat of wildfires to severe weather and other emergency situations, being prepared and informed is paramount. The Board of Supervisors and the Trinity County Office of Emergency Services have been working diligently to strengthen our communication capabilities during critical times. ReadyTrinity is the result of that commitment — a significant investment in the safety infrastructure of our beloved county.

Officially launched this week, ReadyTrinity represents a substantial advancement in preparedness, response and recovery communications between Trinity County and its residents and visitors. The ReadyTrinity platform and subscription service offers improved functionality, allowing the Trinity County OES to deliver alerts that are not only more timely, but also more precise. This means residents and visitors will receive the information they need, when they need it most, empowering them to make informed decisions to protect themselves, their families and their properties.

The ReadyTrinity platform is designed to be a comprehensive, real-time resource. Its robust website, ReadyTrinity.org, will serve as a central hub for critical, up-to-the-minute information during emergencies and disasters. Beyond immediate alerts, the site will also be an ongoing resource for valuable information regarding prevention, effective response strategies and details about the various hazards that can affect our region.

ReadyTrinity will be our official channel for informing you about a wide range of emergencies, including:

- ▶ Wildfires
- ► Severe Weather Events
- ▶ Dam Failure
- ▶ Floods
- ► Earthquakes
- ► Law Enforcement Incidents
- ▶ Public Health Crises
- Evacuations
- ► And other critical community alerts

The strength of ReadyTrinity lies in its ability to reach as many residents as possible. Therefore, I, along with the Board of Supervisors, strongly encourage every single resident of Trinity County to register for this vital service. Registration is completely free and incredibly easy. Simply visit ReadyTrinity.org from your computer or mobile device and follow the prompts to register.

We understand that taking the time to register for another system might seem like one more task on a busy to-do list. However, I urge you to consider this an essential step in safeguarding yourself and your loved ones - our priority is your safety. ReadyTrinity is a powerful tool that will allow us to communicate effectively and efficiently during emergencies, providing you with the information necessary to navigate challenging situations.

Please, take a few moments today to register for ReadyTrinity. It is a simple action that can make a significant difference when every second counts. By working together and utilizing this new system, we can build a more resilient and prepared Trinity County.