



Town of Tonawanda, Kenmore, City of Tonawanda - **Register Now!**

Town of Tonawanda Basic CERT Training is starting Wednesday September 14th 2022. Classes will meet Monday and Wednesday evenings (6:00 PM - 9:00 PM) and a final exercise held Saturday October 8th. All classes are scheduled at the Town of Tonawanda Timothy Goff Public Safety Training Center, 70 Fire Tower Drive, on Fire Tower Drive off of Two Mile Creek Road.

Emergencies can strike at any time. CERT training greatly enhances individual and community readiness during natural or manmade disasters and emergencies. This FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Association) based CERT training is designed to prepare you to help yourself, your family, and your neighbors in the event of a major disaster/event. CERT is about readiness, people helping people, and doing the greatest good for the greatest number of people. CERT training includes academic and hands-on instruction followed by a disaster simulation training exercise.

Topics include:

Disaster Preparedness: Disasters & Disaster Workers, Community Preparedness

Fire Safety: Fire Chemistry, Fire Hazards, Fire Safety, & Fire Suppression

Light Search and Rescue: Search & Rescue Size-up and Operations

Emergency Medical Operations I & II: Triage & Treating Life Threatening Injuries

Disaster Psychology: Impact of Disaster on Rescuers & Victims and Its Mitigation

Terrorism & CERT: Terrorism & its Goals; CERT Protocols for Terrorism Incidents

Disaster Simulation Training Exercise: Course Review & Hands-on Exercise

Register NOW!! CERT training is FREE

Participants must be at least 18 years of age (16 with parent approval), attend all sessions.

To Register – On-line registration: Town of Tonawanda web site > Public Safety > CERT

<https://www.tonawanda.ny.us/public-safety/cert.html>

or Send name, phone number by email to:

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By US mail:

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