

Clear Creek Fire Department



Emergency Notification Siren System

The Clear Creek Fire Department along with the Clear Creek Volunteer Firefighters Association has completed the installation of an outdoor Emergency Notification Siren System (ENSS). The System will be used to warn residents of an imminent need to evacuate.

It is possible that, in some cases, residents may not hear the siren. Therefore, it is incumbent upon all residents to make arrangements to receive Emergency Notifications. Emergency alerts will provide the nature of the emergency and the suggested actions. GEN (Ganasys Emergency Management) registration is confidential, free and easy. Sign up <https://lassencountycal.genasys.com/portal/en/register>.

All residents and affected surrounding areas are advised that the Clear Creek Fire Department will conduct monthly testing of the Emergency Notification Siren System.

Monthly testing will occur on the 1st Wednesday of every month at 4:30 pm.

The purpose of monthly testing is to ensure the siren is functioning effectively and to increase awareness of the importance of personal emergency preparedness.

Siren testing will sound for one (1) minute with a wailing tone (high to low tones). That will conclude the testing.

Emergency Notification:

In the event of a real emergency such as a wildland fire, the siren will emit the wailing tone (high to low tones). This will continue for three (3) minutes.

When activated for an emergency, the siren will sound for three (3) minutes. If you hear the emergency alert tone, you should take the following action:

- Stop what you are doing.
- Evaluate your surroundings.
- Be prepared to take immediate self-protective action including up to evacuation.
- Prepare to receive information from sources such as Code Red, media outlets, state and local agencies.