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City Launches CodeRED Community Notification System

The City of Washington is now offering residents and businesses the CodeRED community notification system through a partnership with OnSolve, the largest global provider of critical communication solutions.

CodeRED provides high-speed notification services capable of reaching millions of people in minutes. Like other reverse notification systems, CodeRED will enable the city to quickly deliver messages via phone (cell & land lines), text, or email to targeted areas or the entire city. There is no charge to enroll in CodeRED. System subscribers can choose to receive Emergency and/or General notifications. Examples of Emergency notifications include Severe Weather, Boil Orders, Endangered/Missing Persons, and Police Special Operations. General notifications will include time sensitive information on snow parking bans, road closures, and major traffic.

“I’m pleased to know that with CodeRED, we can now reach out to our entire community at the same time, stated Mayor Manier. “These notifications will help inform our residents and businesses of all types of information. We are proud to live in such a progressive community.”

To sign up, individuals and businesses can visit the city website, www.ci.washington.il.us, and click on the CodeRED logo at the bottom of the homepage or go directly to the enrollment page by [clicking here](#). Those without Internet access may call City Hall (309-444-3196), Monday through Friday, (8AM-5PM) to supply their information over the phone.

CodeRED allows geographically based delivery, which means street addresses are required to ensure notifications are received by the proper individuals in a given situation.

On Thursday, a recorded message from Mayor Manier will be sent to publicly listed phone numbers in Washington to raise awareness of CodeRED and encourage enrollment.



Washington, Illinois

The City of Washington is a vibrant community offering a high quality of life supported by excellent schools, safe neighborhoods, diverse parks and recreation offerings, and a resident population motivated by volunteerism and community involvement. Our traditions include our historic downtown square, service oriented businesses, and family friendly amenities. For more information, visit www.ci.washington.il.us