

WHY DONATE?

A donation to the Ottawa County Emergency Management Volunteers directly supports your local community and will always stay within Ottawa County. The core mission of each volunteer team is to serve the citizens of Ottawa County utilizing their different skill sets and talents. They provide support throughout Ottawa County in times of crisis and for special events. Donations are tax-deductible and are always appreciated. Donors will be publicly thanked and celebrated, with donor approval.



Our Teams

- CERT-Community Emergency Response Team
- MRC-Medical Reserve Corps
- Canteen
- SAR-Search and Rescue
- OCEC-Ottawa County Emergency Communications
- Skywarn
- OCTT-Ottawa County Traffic Team

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HOW DONATIONS BENEFIT



Ottawa County Emergency Communications

OCEC provides the means, methods expertise to facilitate necessary communications to support operations in time of emergencies or planned events. Donations are targeted to training and communications equipment.



Skywarn

Skywarn weather spotters use ham radio communications and trained observation to relay information to National Weather Service and Ottawa County Emergency Management during severe weather events. Donations are directed to enhance equipment and training



Medical Reserve Corps

The Ottawa County MRC provides medical support for community events and disasters in addition to training and health education. Donations will help provide crucial supplies and equipment to enable the best response possible.



Community Emergency Response Team

. CERT provides critical support during a disaster as the "many hands" that get the job done. They also hold free eight-week CERT Basic Trainings on emergency preparedness that are open to the public .Donations help provide equipment, gear and advanced training.



Canteen

When called, the Canteen Team provides hydration, food and care to all first responders at the scene of incidents. Donations will help fund the food and drink they provide and help expand their ability to support.



Search and Rescue

Search and Rescue team members train to national standards (NASAR) to ensure that they are prepared when called out to find missing individuals. Donations will help with the cost of the extensive training required and essential equipment.



Ottawa County Traffic Team

The professionally-trained Ottawa County Traffic Team helps the community by ensuring safety of both pedestrians and drivers at special events. Donations help provide team gear.



**24
Hour
Response**

