Chatham CERT

General Meeting
October 24, 2018

Agenda

- Introductions
  - Please fill out contact form with name, email, cell phone & cell provider, plus ham callsign if you have one
- Mission
- Gear
- Upcoming meetings & classes
- Tonight's meeting

CERT Mission

The Chatham Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) delivers

education and training for Chatham County residents on emergency and

disaster preparedness, and when activated, supports, to the extent of

their training, Chatham County emergency response under the direction

of Chatham County Emergency Management officials and local incident

commanders.

CERT Startup - Membership

Name and contact information

Background and any past training

Photo release

Background check release

CHATHAM
CERT
COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

Chatham County, NC
CERT Program
Membership Application

The following information is required – please print legibly!
When completed, turn in to an officer at any Chatham CERT meeting or submit to ChathamCERT@Outlook.com.

Full Name _____

Home Address _____

Mailing Address _____

Neighborhood / Subdivision _____

Email Address _____

Home Phone _____   Emergency Contact Information

Cell Phone _____   Name _____

Cell Provider _____   Relationship _____

HAM Callsign/ID _____   Phone _____

I am currently or was formerly:
☐ Military
☐ Medically Trained
☐ Fire Department
☐ Law Enforcement

FEMA Training ID _____

I have completed/taken the following:
☐ NC-317 CERT Basic Training Class (Classroom)
☐ IS-317 Introduction to CERT (Online)
☐ ICS-100 Introduction to the Incident Command System (ICS)
☐ ICS-200 ICS for Single Resources & Initial Action Incidents
☐ ICS-700 National Incident Management System (NIMS) An Introduction
☐ ICS-800 National Response Framework, an Introduction

List here skills you feel you will bring to Chatham CERT, other CERT programs you have participated in, or requirements for accommodations. If there is insufficient space here, indicate below and continue on the reverse.

☐ Continued on reverse

As a CERT member you may be asked to work in situations which expose you to confidential data and/or exposed to confidential data or property. If you do not wish to have a free background check performed, skip this section. A background check will be required for some duties and offices.

Driver License # _____   Date of Birth _____

I give permission for any still image (photography) or video footage in which I may appear to be used for whatever purpose is deemed appropriate. I do this voluntarily and with the understanding there is no remuneration. In addition, I release any involved agencies and/or jurisdictions from any liability related to my participation in CERT activities including training, deployment, or other CERT related activities. I hereby certify the information I have provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my ability.

Signature _____   Date _____

CERT Membership Levels

- CERT Associate Member
  - Lives or works within Chatham County, and
  - Completes CERT Basic Training Class (NC-317), and
  - Has approved CERT vest, and
  - Attends at least 2 Chatham CERT events, training classes, or meetings per year.
- CERT Team Member (in addition to Associate Member requirements)
  - Has basic CERT deployment equipment, and
  - Passes a Chatham County CERT background check, and
  - Obtains First Aid / CPR / AED training, and   https://training.fema.gov/is/
  - Completes FEMA training IS.100, IS.200, IS.700, and IS.800 training, and
  - Additional training as required for specific tasks, and
  - Attends at least 4 Chatham CERT events, training classes, or meetings per year.
- CERT Emergency Responder (in addition to Team Member requirements)
  - At least three additional focused training classes, or
  - Advanced first aid training, advanced SAR, HAM radio, veterinary response, or related training/certification to support to first responders

CERT Startup - Gear

- Standard vest for CERT participants: everyone buys their own 'Deluxe CERT vest – fitted with pockets and reflective stripes' for $13.88 from www.sosproducts.com

- Optional shirt and cap (can order)
  - Not required but nice items when dealing with the community

CERT Startup - Training & Meetings

- Recent
  - SKYWARN (August)
  - CERT Communications (September)
- Tonight
  - Stop-the-Bleed (hemorrhage control) by Christopher Brewer, FirstHealth
- Upcoming
  - November 28, 2018: Fire safety, cold weather health, and winter preparedness
- CERT Basic Courses
  - Nov 2-4, Basic, Fayetteville
  - Apr 12-14 Basic, Apex, Wake Co
  - TBD spring 2019 in Chatham County

**Sign up at
https://terms.ncem.org/TRS/**

Outreach and Missions

- Outreach
  - Pittsboro Street Festival – October 27

- Missions
  - Reindeer Run – December 8

Sign-up forms in back

We need your help!

Social media update

- Chatham CERT Website: **http://www.chathamcert.org**

- Chatham CERT Twitter: **@CertChatham**

- Chatham CERT Facebook: **@ChathamCERT**

Questions?