



Weld County and the Carbon Valley emergency response agencies have teamed up to provide Emergency Notification for weather related and other emergency events that may affect you and your family.

In the past, the public relied heavily on outdoor sirens for early severe weather warning. These devices gave very little warning of approaching severe weather, and could only be heard within a very small outdoor area. Sirens are not capable of providing specific information on weather conditions and necessary preparations, and they are not designed to be heard indoors or in your vehicle.

Today there are several safer and more effective early warning systems that provide you with up-to-date, accurate information. This includes:

- Local Media Broadcasts – Radio, Television, and Internet
- NOAA Weather Alerts via a Weather Alert Radio
- Cell Phone and Pager Notifications

Signing up for this Emergency Notification Service is free and easy, and you can have emergency notifications sent to your cell phone, pager, e-mail, VOIP number and other devices. Just log onto the following website and click on the “Intrado” banner for more information and registration.

City of Dacono -	Website: <a href="http://www.ci.dacono.co.us">www.ci.dacono.co.us</a>
Town of Firestone -	Website: <a href="http://www.ci.firestone.co.us">www.ci.firestone.co.us</a>
Town of Frederick -	Website: <a href="http://www.frederickco.gov">www.frederickco.gov</a>
Weld County -	Website: <a href="http://www.co.weld.co.us">www.co.weld.co.us</a>
Frederick-Firestone Fire District -	Website: <a href="http://www.fffd.us">www.fffd.us</a>
Mountain View Fire District -	Website: <a href="http://www.mvfpd.org">www.mvfpd.org</a>

**Be Prepared, Be Informed, Be Vigilant**

## **FAQs for citizens:**

**Q:** Who should opt in?

**A:** All wireless and VoIP phone subscribers within the city of Dacono, Town of Frederick and the Town of Firestone who wish to receive Target Notifications. Subscribers' wireless and VoIP information will be kept in a separate database, so that if subscribers are already in the 9-1-1 landline database their information will not be changed.

**Q:** Will my information be sold or distributed?

**A:** No. All of the information you enter will feed directly into the Target Notification secure database. This information can only be accessed by system administrators and the data will never be sold or distributed to third parties.

**Q:** When will I receive phone calls?

**A:** You will receive phone calls when the Target Notification system is activated and your address is within the geographic area chosen to receive the notification message. The Target Notification system will only be activated for emergency purposes such as: Emergency Weather alerts and emergency event messages.

**Q:** What do I do if I move?

**A:** If you move after you have entered your information into the website you will need to go back into the website and re-enter your information with your new address.

**Q:** Can I add my landline telephone number?

**A:** Yes. You can enter your landline phone number into the Opt-In website. If your landline phone number is already in the database, the data you enter into the site will NOT overwrite the existing information for your landline telephone number. If your landline phone number is not already in the database, then the new information will be entered into the database.

**Q:** Can I enter my telephone number more than once at different addresses?

**A:** No. The last address that you enter into the website will be the only location that your telephone number is associated with. Your telephone number can only be in the database once, at one location.

**Q:** Do I have to enter an actual address?

**A:** Yes. If you enter an address that does not exist you will not be in the database and will not be contacted when the Target Notification system is activated. P.O. Boxes will not be accepted.

**Q:** Will I be solicited in any way at the phone number that I enter?

**A:** No. You will only receive phone calls when the Target Notification system is activated and your address is within the geographic notification area chosen. The Target Notification system will only be activated for emergency purposes.

**Q:** If I am in a location that is different than the address that I enter into the website for my wireless phone, will I still be contacted if an emergency affects the address entered?

**A:** Yes. No matter where you are physically located, you will only receive calls for emergencies that affect the address entered into the website. So if you are on vacation in a different state you will still receive a phone call if the address you entered is affected by an emergency.

Click [here](#) to register