

**We are prepared for winter storms.
Are you?**



Three things you need to do to get ready for seasonal storms and emergencies:

1 Sign up for Alert Montgomery

For emergency alerts that are sent directly to your choice of phones and other electronic and mobile devices, sign up for Alert Montgomery. It is easy. Just go to <https://alert.montgomerycountymd.gov>.

You will receive timely information about severe weather, major traffic disruptions, significant power outages, and flooded areas. This service is free and messages can be delivered to email accounts, cell phones, and other wireless devices. They can also be delivered to home and work land-line phones. *If you select notifications by text, be sure to check with your wireless provider to determine if text messaging charges will apply.*

Contact 311 to get non-emergency County Government Information and Services

The 311 Customer Service Center is open weekdays from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. During weather emergencies and other significant events, hours of operation are extended to provide Emergency Response Support as long as it is needed. You can contact us by phone (311 or 240-777-0311) or on our website www.mc311.com.



2 Keep these Phone Numbers Handy

Emergency

Police/Fire/Ambulance.....9-1-1

Non-emergency

Police.....301-279-8000

County Information and Services.....3-1-1 or 240-777-0311

MC311 Call Center TTY301-251-4850

Utilities

PEPCO.....1-877-737-2662

BG&E.....1-877-778-2222

Potomac Edison/First Energy.....1-888-544-4877

Washington Gas.....703-750-1000

(Smell strong odor of gas, leave site and call 9-1-1)

WSSC-Emergencies.....301-206-4002

For more information about seasonal storms and news updates, go to:

<http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/snow>



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3 Make an Emergency Kit/Family Plan



<http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/oemhs/plan/>

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