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FLORISSANT POLICE

C.E.R.T. TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

The Florissant Emergency Management Commission has thirty seats available for an upcoming American Red Cross training program called, "Shelter: Operations & Simulation."

The purpose of this **8 hour** basic level Disaster Services training is to prepare volunteers, employees of the American Red Cross and other agencies to effectively and sensitively manage shelter operations as a team while meeting the needs of people displaced as a result of a disaster. The simulation provides participants with an opportunity to apply the knowledge, skills and abilities required to operate a successful shelter.

The City of Florissant has experienced the need in the past to utilize the James J. Eagan Civic Center and the J.F.K. Community Center as temporary shelters during for power outages to serve as cooling and warming shelters. Florissant C.E.R.T. volunteers have served a valuable role by assisting in staffing these shelters during the event.

The course, **free of charge**, will be held:

Saturday, March 12, 2010

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

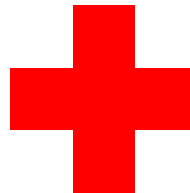
American Red Cross Offices

10195 Corporate Square

Creve Coeur, MO 63132

(This is located just off Lindbergh between Olive and Page.)

Seating is limited and you may reserve your spot by contacting Mr. Rob Shoemaker at (314) 807-7152, or by email at rshoemaker@directrac.com



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