



Greene County Emergency Services  
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- 911 Emergency Operation Center
- Greene County Fire Training Program/New York State OFPC/SFI
- Fire Coordinator/Regional Fire Coordinator
- Emergency Manager/Preparedness
- Management of 911 Addressing
- Greene County HazMat Team
- Greene County Fire Investigation Team
- Greene County EMS Coordinator
- Greene County Local Emergency Planning Committee

# Tropical Storm Irene

August 28, 2011



# Day 1

- Declared a State of Emergency at 8:45 AM
- EOC Activation Level 1 fully staffed by 11:00 AM.
- 911 Center received a total of 2700 call within 24 hours.







GROUND COM

Duo-Therm

GREENE COUNTY  
EMERGENCY SERVICE



COMMAND ON

RUN  
LANDS APART  
SAYS US

SPORTSMAN  
330

SPRINKLER

ET100  
AFFEX

# Day 2

Human needs and Critical infrastructure.



**Public Health**



# Free Internet and Phone Supplied by National Guard



# Shelter





# Texas Team

# Ohio Team



# Mutual Aid

## New City, Rockland County

## Clinton Heights, Rensselaer County

**147 Agencies**  
**And over 1000 Personnel.**



# RACES

## Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services



# NYSOEM & FEMA Communications



# Communication on Wheels

## Sprint Wireless





# Town of Windham/Dam



# National Guard



# NGO Assistance



# Supplies



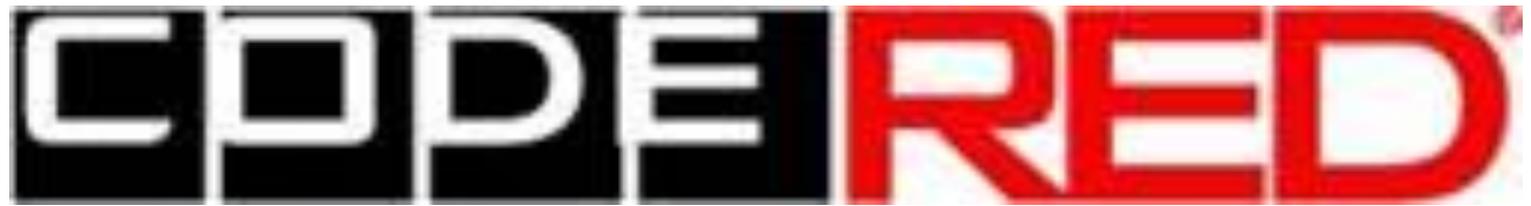
# Prattsville



# After Action

- All Hazard Emergency Operation Plan
  - Hired Consultant
  - Completed tabletop exercise
  - County Legislature to adopt plan
- United Way 211 Program
  - MOU in place
  - Non-Emergency 911 calls
  - Ability to assist residents/victim resources
  - Sheltering locations
  - Families looking for loved ones during disasters

# CODE RED – RAPID EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM



<http://greenegov.com/>

- New Radio System
  - In processes of study
  - Projected \$14 – 16 million
- Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services (RACES)
  - County EOC
  - County Legislature – (\$10,000.00)
- NIMS Training – County Employee's
- County Wide Volunteer List
- County Wide Sheltering Plan
  - Animal plan
- Forming of CERT (Community Emergency Response Teams)

- Communication/Conference calls
- Civil Air Patrol
- Emergency Operation Center
  - Upgrade of computers, Smart boards and PA system
  - Web EOC (Crisis incident management software)
  - Creation of new county website/facebook
- Creation of Emergency Manager Specialist as of Jan. 1, 2013
- Catskill Interoperable Communication Consortium
  - Grant \$893,000.00

# Tropical Storm Sandy

## Activation of the EOC

- Hudson River Surge
- Mutual Aid Demobilization
- Conference calls started 4 days before the incident
- Since Irene we activated the EOC 5 times

Thank you for your time

**Questions**