

Pierce County Department of Emergency Management
Public Notification Resource List



Radio	
KIRO 97.3 FM and KOMO AM 1000	Regional emergency news and information
AM 1580	Pierce County Emergency Information (available in the Puyallup Valley)
KGHP FM 104.5, 89.9, 89.3	Key Peninsula/Gig Harbor information
Ham Radio Operators	
http://www.piercecountyares.net/	Amateur Radio Emergency Services Western Washington Section District 5
Television	
http://www.piercecountytv.org	PCTV – Channel 22 Comcast/Click! – Pierce County information
Notifications	
http://www.piercecountywa.org/ALERT	Pierce County ALERT - sign up to receive alerts about emergencies in your area on your mobile, home phone, text messaging, e-mail, and more
http://www.rpin.org	Regional Public Information Network – Emergency information and traffic information for the Pierce, King, and Snohomish county region
http://www.mystateusa.com/alertsense	Weather and emergency alerts based on geographic area
http://earthquake.usgs.gov/eqcenter/ens	United States Geological Service (USGS) - Earthquake notification system (ENS) , based on location
http://www.thenewstribune.com	The News Tribune – Pierce County daily paper – for breaking news, go to “Subscribe” on the upper right hand corner; scroll down to “Email Newsletters and Alerts” and/or “Mobile Text Alerts” to sign up
http://www.king5.com/news	King 5 News – Seattle-based television station – can sign up for breaking news by clicking on the links on the right side of the webpage: Mobile; Newsletters; RSS Feeds; Twitter; Face book; and Special Offers
http://www.komonews.com	KOMO 4 News – Seattle-based television

	station – can sign up for breaking news for e-mail, phone, Face book, and Twitter by clicking on the links on the right side of the webpage
http://www.kirotv.com	KIROTV News – Seattle-based television station – can sign up for breaking news for e-mail, phone, Face book, and Twitter by clicking on the links on the right side of the webpage
http://www.weather.com/services/mobile-downloads.html	Weather Channel notification alerts , by zip code – can choose what type of weather to get alerts about
http://www.weather.com/services/notify.html	Fee-based phone and e-mail alerting system, ‘Notify!’
Websites	
http://blog.piercecountywa.org/emergency	Pierce County’s Emergency Blog —Local emergency information (Department of Emergency Management)
www.tpchd.org	Tacoma Pierce County Health Department —Local county health information
www.piercecountywa.org/PREPARE	“When the Unexpected Happens: Learn How to Prepare” Ten minute emergency preparedness video for High Risk Populations created by Pierce County Emergency Management
www.nwrfc.noaa.gov/rfc/	Northwest River Forecast Center provides information on the status of local rivers
http://volcanoes.usgs.gov/vns/	Volcano Notification Service (VNS) is a free service that sends you notification emails about volcanic activity happening at US monitored volcanoes.
Applications	
http://www.facebook.com/PierceCountyDEM	Facebook – “Pierce County Department of Emergency Management” to view local emergency information
http://twitter.com/pierceco	Twitter – “Pierce County, Washington” to receive tweets about local information
Smartphone Applications	
http://firsttosee.org/firsttosee-app/	Puget Sound First To See Emergency Support System
http://www.redcross.org/prepare/mobile-apps	Red Cross Mobile Apps
http://m.waterdata.usgs.gov/	USGS Mobile Water Data
http://earthquake.usgs.gov/hazards/apps/	USGS Seismic Hazard Analysis Tools