

News Release

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Community Disaster Preparedness Course Begins February 16th

Clark County Fire District 6 will offer training in February for its Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), a program that helps residents prepare, respond, and react to emergencies and disasters.

The 22-hour program of seven CERT training classes begins February 16th from 7pm-9:30pm. Most classes will be held on Thursdays with the exception of two Saturday mornings; March 3rd and 24th when students will test their skills during a disaster simulation drill.

CERT Training Schedule:

- February 16, 7pm-9:30pm
- February 23, 7pm-9:30pm
- March 3, 9am-3:00pm
- March 8, 7pm-9:30pm
- March 15, 7pm-9:30pm
- March 22, 7pm-9:30pm
- Final Drill, March 24, 9am-Noon

The course costs \$30.00. Participants receive a CERT hardhat, vest, gloves, and protective eyewear. CERT applications are available at www.ccf6.org and the Hazel Dell fire station, 8800 NE Hazel Dell Ave., Vancouver, 98661.

About Clark County Fire District 6:

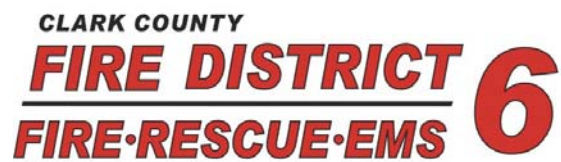
Clark County Fire District 6 provides fire suppression and emergency medical/paramedic services to citizens living in the Hazel Dell, Lakeshore, Salmon Creek, Fairgrounds and Mount Vista areas of Clark County, Washington.

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