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**CITIES OF BLOOMINGTON, RICHFIELD AND BURNSVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO TRAIN  
COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT) THIS FALL**

This November, the Burnsville Fire Department is partnering with the cities of Bloomington and Richfield to provide training in emergency response. The Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) is for residents who wish to obtain skills that could help save and sustain lives in their neighborhood in the event of a disaster. The CERT program encourages its members to help their families, neighbors and work sites prepare for emergencies ranging from natural to man-made disasters.

**When:** Friday, Nov. 15 | 5:30 – 9:30 p.m.  
Saturday, Nov. 16 | 8 – 5 p.m.  
Sunday, Nov. 17 | 8 – 5 p.m.  
**Where:** Bloomington Fire Station No. 1; 10 W. 95<sup>th</sup> St., Bloomington  
**Ages:** Ages 16 and up

CERT training is free for all residents of Bloomington, Richfield and Burnsville. The program is meant to promote partnerships between emergency service personnel and the people they serve.

CERT participants will learn how to prepare for disasters, use a fire extinguisher, provide disaster-related medical attention, and how to help first responders during emergencies.

To register or for more information visit [www.ci.bloomington.mn.us](http://www.ci.bloomington.mn.us), Keyword: CERT; or contact Lisa Brodsky at 952-563-4962 or [lbrodsky@ci.bloomington.mn.us](mailto:lbrodsky@ci.bloomington.mn.us). For more information on the Burnsville Fire Department visit [www.burnsville.org/fire](http://www.burnsville.org/fire).

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