

# COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT) TRAINING



In the event of an area wide disaster, critical infrastructure and emergency services will be impacted. The Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program trains residents to prepare for and respond to life-threatening events in their community. CERT members can mobilize neighborhood resources, deliver immediate assistance to victims, organize emergency communications and provide support to first responders.

## How can you help? *Join your local CERT!*

### What is CERT?

Fort Bend County Office of Emergency Management (OEM) has its own organized CERT program. CERT members prepare, organize and work together as a team to provide essential services to their community during and after a disaster. CERTs' strengthen neighborhood resiliency and play a vital role in their City's disaster response efforts.

### CERT Training

The CERT training program is offered in Fort Bend County and rotate throughout the year.

Some of the skills taught include organizing resources, medical operations, basic search and rescue, how to use a fire extinguisher and damage assessment.

### Registration

Register here: <http://fbcoem.org/cert-course-registration/>

Questions: 281-238-3428 or Email: [kaila.williams@fortbendcountytexas.gov](mailto:kaila.williams@fortbendcountytexas.gov)

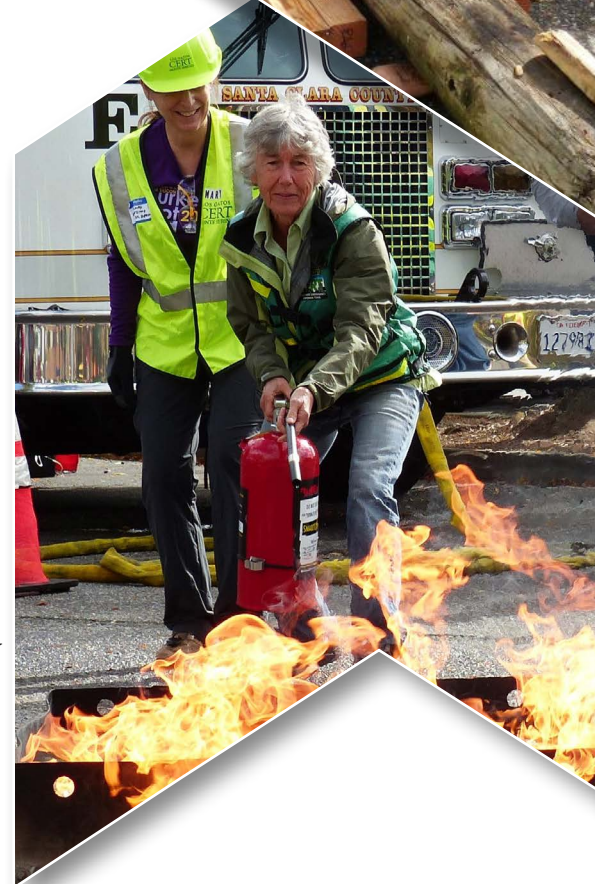
**NEXT CERT TRAINING HOSTED BY: Fort Bend County OEM**  
CERT Training: Modules 1-9

#### Location: Rosenberg Annex 4520 Reading Rd. 77471

Tuesday, October 02, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm  
Thursday, October 04, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm  
Tuesday, October 09, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm  
Thursday, October 11, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm  
Tuesday, October 16, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm

#### Location: OEM 307 Fort St. 77469

Thursday, October 18, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm  
Tuesday, October 23, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm  
Thursday, October 25, 2018 – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30pm  
Saturday, October 27, 2018 – 9:00 a.m. to 12:00pm



For additional information, visit <http://fbcoem.org/cert/>

*This training course is grant funded and open to individuals who live or work within Fort Bend County*

