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January Outdoor Warning Siren System Test Rescheduled

HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO – The Hamilton County Emergency Management and Homeland Security Agency (EMHSA) **will not be testing** the Outdoor Warning Siren System on **January 1, 2020 at 12:00pm**. The January siren test is **rescheduled for Wednesday, January 8th** at noon, pending weather conditions. The rescheduled test on January 8th will last approximately **10 seconds**.

There are three basic criteria to activate the sirens:

- The National Weather Service issues a Tornado Warning for all or part of Hamilton County,
- A tornado is reported by a local public safety official; or
- A dangerous situation occurs which requires the public to seek shelter indoors immediately.

For additional information on the Outdoor Warning Sirens, please visit

<http://www.hamiltoncountyohioema.org/warning-siren-system/>.

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