

Washington State Emergency Operations Officer Monthly Report

February 2021

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CATEGORY	February 2021	February 2020	2021	2020
Logged incidents:				
DOE (Department of Energy, Hanford Site)	0	0	1	0
FIRE	12	19	27	29
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INCIDENTS (HAZMAT)	201	210	489	457
OTHER	62	64	142	149
911 SERVICE OUTAGES	0	1	0	6
SEARCH AND RESCUE MISSIONS (SAR)	46	67	121	119
TERRORIST	0	0	0	0
INITIAL WEATHER INCIDENTS	5	2	9	5
CGS (Columbia Generating Station)	0	0	0	0
Total number of logged Incidents:	326	363	789	765

Categories not included in the total number of logged incidents above				
Additional Weather Alerts	163	200	254	488
Evidence Search Mission	1	5	7	13

LEGEND	
WEATHER	Weather incidents such as Flooding, High Winds, and Snow
FIRE	Wildland Fire incidents
OTHER	This category includes a wide variety of incidents, including but not limited to Tsunami events, Earthquakes, and Critical Incident Stress Debriefings.

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SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 20-0265
- This mission in response to the Corona Virus (COVID-19) outbreak was initiated on January 21, 2020 and continued into February 2021 with the State EOC activated at Level 1 (Full).
 - On February 12, ESF 4 was activated and Washington State Patrol (WSP) Chief Batiste approved All Hazards Mobilization in support of COVID-19 response.
 - **This mission remained open as of the end of February.**
- 20-2375
- On May 30, 2020, the State EOC extended the Level 1 activation already in progress for incident 20-0265 (COVID-19 Virus Response) to cover protests and civil unrest which continued into February 2021.
 - **This mission remained open as of the end of February.**
- 20-3561
- This mission regarding a search for a missing camper in the Carbon River area was initiated by Mount Rainier National Park on October 12, 2020, and continued into February 2021, however there were no requests for assistance during the month.
 - **This mission remained open as of the end of February.**
- 20-4066
- On November 18, 2020, Snohomish County opened a search for a Tulalip Tribal Officer who went overboard offshore of Everett. The mission continued into February 2021 without an active search.
 - **This mission remained open as of the end of February.**
- 21-0426
- This mission was initiated on January 29 by North Cascades National Park regarding a search for a male hiker east of New Halem in Whatcom County and continued into February 2021.
 - On February 26, North Cascades National Park advised that their part of the SAR remains open, but they do not need additional resources at this time and closed the mission for the State.
- 21-0448
- This weather incident was initiated on January 30 and continued into February 2021.
 - On February 1, the National Weather Service (NWS) extended the Winter Storm Warning for the Cascades of Whatcom and Skagit Counties to be in effect until 0400 on February 2. On February 2, The Winter Storm Warning for the Cascades of Whatcom and Skagit Counties expired.
 - On February 1, the NWS cancelled the Flood Watch for Mason County and issued a Flood Warning for the Skokomish River at Potlatch in Mason County in effect until the afternoon of February 2. On February 2, the Flood Warning for the Skokomish River at Potlatch was extended until the evening of February 3.
 - On February 3, the NWS cancelled the Flood Warning for the Skokomish River near Potlatch. There being no Watches, Advisories, or Warnings in place at that time, this weather incident was closed.

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- 21-0481
- On February 2, Jefferson County Sheriff's Office initiated a search for a 68-year-old female missing for the last 2 days from her residence in Quilcene. Air-scent dogs with handlers, ground searchers, and cell phone forensics were requested to assist. The requests were coordinated with Kitsap, King, Snohomish and counties, as well as the Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC).
 - On February 5, the mission was closed when the subject was located deceased and recovered.
- 21-0516
- On February 5, the NWS issued a High Wind Watch for the Wenatchee Area and Waterville Plateau affecting Chelan, Douglas, and Grant Counties in effect from late that night through the evening of February 6. The Watch was later upgraded to a High Wind Warning in effect from 0400 to 1700 on February 6. The Warning was cancelled the afternoon of February 6.
 - On February 5, the NWS relayed an Avalanche Warning for the Stevens Pass area affecting Chelan and King Counties in effect on February 6 until 1800 that night. The Warning expired as scheduled.
 - On February 6, the NWS issued a Gale Warning for the Admiralty Inlet and the Northern Inland Waters and the San Juan Islands until 2000 that evening. The warning expired as scheduled.
 - On February 6, the NWS issued a Gale Warning for the Puget Sound and Hood Canal in effect until 2200 that night. The Warning was cancelled the afternoon of February 6.
 - On February 6, with no watches, warnings or advisories in place as of 2000 hours, this weather incident was closed.
- 21-0526
- On February 6, Cowlitz County initiated a rescue of multiple victims of a multiple-car accident near Mount St Helens. A helicopter was requested, and coordination was initiated with the AFRCC. The request was cancelled, and the mission closed when the seven victims were transported via ground ambulance to the hospital.
- 21-0530
- On February 7, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for the Cascades of Snohomish, King, Okanogan and Chelan Counties in effect until 1600 that day. The Warning was later extended to be in effect until 0700 on February 8.
 - On February 8, the Winter Storm Warnings expired as scheduled, ending this weather incident.
- 21-0537
- On February 7, Jefferson County initiated a rescue of a 35-year-old male trapped on the south side of the Hoh River. A helicopter with hoist was requested and coordinated through King County and then the AFRCC. The mission was closed without air assets deploying when the subject was rescued via boat and delivered to medics for evaluation.
- 21-0538
- On February 7, a 2.8 magnitude earthquake, 3.9 miles deep, was reported at 2129 hours 10 miles ESE of Venersborg in Clark County. There were no reports of damage or shaking.

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- 21-0547
- On February 8, Kittitas County initiated a search for a missing subject who may have been the victim of a snow avalanche in the French Cabin Creek area. Seattle Mountain Rescue and the Ski Patrol Rescue Team (SPART) were requested and coordinated through King County. The mission was closed early the next morning when the subject was located deceased.
- 21-0560
- On February 9, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for Klickitat, Kittitas, and Yakima Counties in effect from the afternoon of February 11 through the evening of February 12 .
 - On February 9, the NWS issued a Gale Warning for the Northern Inland Waters, including the San Juan Islands, in effect from 0100 on February 10 until 1100 on February 12.
 - On February 9, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for Grays Harbor, Jefferson, Kitsap, Lewis, Mason, Pierce and Thurston Counties in effect from the morning of February 11 through morning of February 12. On February 10, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Watch the evening of February 12.
 - On February 9, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for Cowlitz, Pacific, and Wahkiakum Counties in effect from the afternoon of February 11 through the morning of February 12.
 - On February 9, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for Clark and Skamania Counties in effect from the morning of February 11 through the morning of February 12.
 - On February 10, the NWS issued Winter Storm Warning for Walla Walla, Columbia, Kittitas, Klickitat and Yakima Counties in effect from noon of February 11 through 2200 of February 12.
 - On February 10, the Winter Storm Watch for Clark, Cowlitz, Skamania and Wahkiakum Counties was extended until the morning of February 13.
 - On February 10, the NWS issued Winter Storm Warnings as follows: South Washington Cascade Foothills in effect from 1000 February 11 to 1200 on February 12 affecting Clark, Cowlitz and Skamania Counties; Central Columbia River Gorge in effect from 0700 on February 11 to the morning of February 12 affecting Skamania County; Willapa Hills in effect from 1200 on February 11 to 1200 on February 12 affecting Pacific, Wahkiakum and Cowlitz Counties; Lower Columbia and I-5 Corridor in Cowlitz County and the Greater Vancouver Area in effect from 1200 on February 11 to the morning of February 12 affecting Wahkiakum, Clark, and Cowlitz Counties.
 - On February 10, the NWS issued a Blizzard Warning for the Western Columbia River Gorge affecting Skamania and Clark Counties in effect from 1000 on February 11 through the morning of February 12. The Blizzard Warning for this area was replaced by a Winter Storm Warning at 0945 on February 12. On February 15, The Winter Storm Warning for the Western Columbia River Gorge affecting Skamania and Clark Counties expired.
 - On February 10, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for portions of Kitsap, Pierce, Lewis, Thurston, Grays Harbor, Mason, and Jefferson Counties in effect from 0600 February 11 through 0600 February 12.

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- On February 10, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for portions of Snohomish, King, Pierce, Jefferson, Kitsap, and Island Counties in effect from the afternoon of February 12 through the afternoon of February 13.
- On February 11, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for Cowlitz, Pacific, and Wahkiakum Counties from 0830 that morning until 1200 on February 12.
- On February 11, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for Clark County from 0830 that morning until 1200 on February 12.
- On February 11, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for Columbia, Kittitas, Klickitat, Walla Walla, and Yakima Counties until 1600 on 13 February.
- On February 11, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Watch to include portions of Clallam County, in effect from the afternoon of February 12 through the afternoon of February 13.
- On February 12, the NWS upgraded the Winter Storm Watch to a Winter Storm Warning for Clallam, Jefferson, Grays Harbor, Pacific, Cowlitz, Wahkiakum, Clark, Island, Snohomish, King, Pierce, Kitsap, Mason, Thurston & Lewis Counties. In Clallam & Jefferson Counties it begins at 1800 Friday, all others begin at 2000. They all go through 1600 Saturday.
- On February 12, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning to include San Juan County from 2200 that evening until 1600 on February 13.
- On February 12, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for Grays Harbor, Jefferson, Kitsap, Lewis, Mason, and Thurston Counties from 0800 that morning until 1600 on February 13.
- On February 12, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for the South Washington Cascades, affecting Cowlitz and Skamania Counties, until midnight on 13 February. The same warning was issued for portions of Benton, Franklin, and Walla Walla Counties until 1600 February 13th.
- On February 12, the NWS issued an Ice Storm Warning for the central coast through the morning of February 13th.
- On February 13, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for Western Whatcom & Skagit Counties until 1600 this afternoon.
- On February 13, the NWS cancelled the Winter Storm Warning for the South Washington Coast affecting Pacific and Wahkiakum Counties.
- On February 13, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for the Western and Central Columbia River Gorge affecting Clark and Skamania Counties until February 15th.
- On February 13, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for Western Skagit and Whatcom Counties until 2100 that evening.
- On February 13, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for Clallam, Island, Jefferson, and San Juan Counties until 2100 that evening.
- On February 13, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for King, Kitsap, Pierce, and Snohomish Counties until 2100 that evening.

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- On February 13, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for portions of Spokane, Whitman, Columbia, Garfield, Asotin and Walla Walla Counties effective February 14th through the 16th.
- On February 14, the NWS issued an Ice Storm Warning for portions of Clark County including the greater Vancouver area effective through February 15th. The Ice Storm Warning expired as scheduled.
- On February 14, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for the east slopes of the Cascades as well as for Whitman, Garfield, Spokane and Asotin Counties through 1600 February 16th.
- On February 14, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for Spokane County from 2200 this evening to 1600 February 15.
- On 15 February, the NWS cancelled the Winter Storm Warning for the Foothills of the Blue Mountains and Northwest Blue Mountains effecting Columbia, Kittitas, Klickitat, Walla Walla and Yakima Counties.
- On 15 February, the Winter Storm Warning for the Central Columbia River Gorge affecting Skamania and Klickitat Counties expired.
- On February 15, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for portions of Lewis, Snohomish, King and Pierce Counties in effect until 1800 on February 16. The Warning was later extended to be in effect until 1900 on February 16 and expired as scheduled.
- On February 15, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for the Northwest Blue Mountains affecting Columbia and Walla Walla Counties. The warning expired the morning of February 17th.
- On February 16, the Winter Storm Warning for portions of Whitman and Spokane Counties expired.
- On February 16, the Winter Storm Warning for the NE Blue Mountains affecting Asotin, Garfield Counties expired.
- On February 16, the Winter Storm Warning for the entire East Slopes of the Cascades expired.
- On February 17, with no watches, advisories or warnings remaining in place, this weather incident was closed at 1100 hours.

21-0580

- On February 10, Jefferson County initiated a search for a missing 77-year-old male in the Port Ludlow area. The County requested Cell Phone Forensics, coordinated through the AFRCC, and Tracking Dogs which were coordinated with Clallam, Pierce, and Kitsap Counties.
- On February 11, the mission was closed when the subject was found hypothermic in a swamp and taken to the local hospital.

21-0605

- On February 12, Thurston County Sheriff's Office initiated a search for a missing 18-year old male with developmental disabilities in Yelm. The County requested German Shepherd Search Dogs (GSSD) to assist and the request was coordinated with Pierce County. The mission was closed late that day when the subject was located safe.

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- 21-0647
- On February 16, King County initiated a search for a missing skier near Steven Pass. Mountain Rescue from Snohomish and Chelan counties were requested and coordinated.
 - On February 24, King County reported the subject was located deceased. The mission was closed early that day when the subject's body was recovered.
- 21-0671
- On February 17, Chelan County requested Amber Alert Activation for a 14-year-old female. The Amber Alert was cancelled the same evening when the vehicle was located, and the victim was reclassified as a runaway.
- 21-0675
- On February 18, the NWS issued a Gale Warning for the Northern Inland Waters including the San Juan Islands in effect from 0600-1500 that day. The Warning expired as scheduled, ending the event.
- 21-0690
- On February 19, Island County initiated a search for a missing elderly female with possible dementia on Orcas Island. Search dogs and ground searchers were coordinated from Skagit County.
 - On February 20, the mission was closed when the subject was located and transported to medical for evaluation.
- 21-0692
- On February 20, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for the Cascades of Whatcom, Skagit, Snohomish, King, Pierce, Lewis, Chelan and Okanogan Counties from the afternoon of February 21 through late night on February 22.
 - On February 20, the NWS issued a Flood Watch for Pacific and Wahkiakum Counties from 2200 February 21 through 1600 February 22.
 - On February 20, the NWS issued a Flood Watch for Mason County from 1300 February 21 through 1300 February 23. On February 22, the NWS cancelled the Flood Watch for the Skokomish River at Potlatch affecting Mason County. The Flood Watch was replaced with a Flood Warning for the same area.
 - On February 20, the NW Avalanche Center issued an Avalanche Warning for high avalanche danger affecting the Cascades and passes of Skagit, Snohomish, King, Chelan, and Kittitas Counties through 1800 on February 21st.
 - On February 20, the NWS issued a Gale Warning for the Puget Sound and Hood Canal in effect from 1000 February 21 to 0400 February 22 and for the Admiralty Inlet from 1200-1800 February 21.
 - On February 21, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Watch for the East Slopes of the Northern Cascades affecting Okanogan and Chelan Counties to be in effect from the afternoon of February 22 through the night of February 23.
 - On February 21, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Watch for the Cascades of Whatcom, Skagit, Snohomish, King, Pierce, and Lewis Counties above 4000 feet to be in effect from the afternoon of February 22 through the evening of February 23.
 - On February 21, the NWS upgraded the Winter Storm Watch to a Winter Storm Warning for the Cascade Mountains in Lewis, Whatcom, Skagit, Snohomish, King, and Pierce Counties in effect from 1600 the say through February 22 at 2200.

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- On February 21, the NWS upgraded the Winter Storm Watch to a Winter Storm Warning for the East Slopes of the Northern Cascades in Chelan and Okanogan Counties in effect from 1600 that day through February 22 at 2200.
- On February 21, the Northwest Avalanche Center issued an Avalanche Warning for the Washington Cascades of King, Skagit, Snohomish, and Whatcom Counties in effect until 1800 on February 22.
- On February 21, the Northwest Avalanche Center issued an Avalanche Warning for Washington Cascades of Chelan and Okanogan Counties in effect until 1800 on February 22.
- On February 21, the Northwest Avalanche Center issued an Avalanche Warning for the Washington Cascades of Kittitas, Klickitat, and Yakima Counties in effect until 1800 on February 22.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Warning for the Skokomish River at Potlatch affecting Mason County until the morning of February 23. On February 22, the NWS extended the Flood Warning until the afternoon of February 23.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Warning for the Grays River near Roseburg in Wahkiakum County until late February 22. On February 22, NWS extended the Flood Warning until the morning of February 23.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Watch for King and Lewis Counties in effect until February 23 afternoon at 1600.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Warning for the Tolt River above Carnation affecting King County in effect until late that afternoon. An February 22, NWS extended the Flood Warning until that evening at 2129.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Warning for the Snoqualmie River near Carnation affecting King County in effect until 1100 on February 23.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Warning for the Newaukum River near Chehalis affecting Lewis County in effect until the morning of February 23. On February 22, the NWS extended the Flood Warning until early evening on February 23.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Watch for Thurston County in effect through the afternoon of February 23.
- On February 22, the NW Avalanche Center extended the Avalanche Warning for King and Snohomish Counties until 1800 on February 23.
- On February 22, the NW Avalanche Center extended the Avalanche Warning for Kittitas, Klickitat, and Yakima Counties until 1800 on February 23.
- On February 22, the NW Avalanche Center extended the Avalanche Warning for Chelan and Okanogan Counties until 1800 on February 23.
- On February 22, the NWS issued a Flood Warning for the South Prairie Creek at South Prairie affecting Pierce County until the morning of February 23.
- On February 22, the NWS cancelled the Flood Warning for the Tolt River above Carnation affecting King County.

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- On February 22, the NWS extended the Flood Warning for the Skokomish River at Potlatch affecting Mason County until late morning on February 23. On February 23, this warning ended.
- On February 22, the NWS cancelled the Flood Warning for the South Prairie Creek at South Prairie affecting Pierce County.
- On February 22, the NWS cancelled the Flood Warning for the Snoqualmie River near Carnation affecting King and Snohomish Counties.
- On February 23, the NWS issued a Flood Warning for the Skookumchuck River near Bucoda affecting Thurston County until that evening.
- On February 23, the NWS cancelled the Flood Watch for King, Lewis, and Thurston Counties.
- On February 23, the NWS cancelled the Flood Warning for the Grays River near Rosburg affecting Wahkiakum County.
- On February 23, the NWS issued a Flood Watch for Grays Harbor County in effect through February 25 at 0400.
- On February 23, the NWS issued a Flood Watch for Thurston County in effect. The watch was cancelled later that same day.
- On February 23, the NWS cancelled the Flood Warning for the Newaukum River near Chehalis affecting Lewis County.
- On February 23, the NWS extended the Winter Storm Warning for the East Slopes of the Northern Cascades in Chelan and Okanogan Counties until 0200 on February 24.
- On February 24, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for the East Slopes of the Washington Cascades (Kittitas, Klickitat, and Yakima Counties) in effect from late that evening through the evening of February 26.
- On February 24, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for the South Washington Cascades (Cowlitz and Skamania Counties) in effect from late that evening through the afternoon of February 26.
- On February 24, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for the Cascade mountains and valleys of King, Lewis, Pierce, Skagit, Snohomish, and Whatcom Counties in effect from that evening through the evening of February 26. On February 26, The Winter Storm Warning for the Cascades of Lewis, Pierce, King, and Snohomish Counties has been extended to 0100 Saturday.
- On February 24, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for the East Slopes of the Northern Cascades (Chelan and Okanogan Counties) in effect from that evening through the evening of February 26.
- On February 24, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Watch for the Blue Mountains effective February 25 through 27.
- On February 24, the NWS issued a Gale Warning for the Admiralty Inlet in effect until 1000 on February 26 and Northern Inland Waters in effect until 1900 on February 25, and a High Wind Watch for the Admiralty Inlet including the city of Port Townsend in effect until 1600 on February 25. The Gale Warning for the Northern Inland Waters expired as scheduled.

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- On February 24, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for the entire Cascades through February 27.
- On February 24, The NWS issued a High Wind Watch for Admiralty Inlet in effect from 2200 that evening to 1600 on February 25.
- On February 25, the NWS issued a Winter Storm Warning for the south Washington Cascades affecting Cowlitz & Skamania Counties in effect until 0400 on February 27.
- On February 25, the NWS issued a High Wind Warning in effect until 10am this morning to 10am Friday for the Admiralty Inlet affecting Jefferson and Island Counties. On February 26, The High Wind Warning for Admiralty Inlet Area affecting Jefferson and Island Counties is cancelled.
- On February 25, the NWS issued a High Surf Advisory for the entire coast through 1600 on February 26. On February 26, the NWS extended the High Surf Advisory for the North and Central Coast affecting Clallam, Grays Harbor, and Jefferson Counties until 2200 that night.
- On February 26, the NWS extended the Gale Warning for the Admiralty Inlet to be in effect until 1900 hours that night.
- On February 26, the NWS cancelled the Winter Storm Warning for the Cascades of Whatcom and Skagit Counties.
- On February 26, the NWS upgraded the High Surf Advisory to a High Surf Warning for the South Washington Coast affecting Pacific and Wahkiakum Counties in effect until 1900 tonight.
- On February 26, the NWS cancelled the Gale Warning for Admiralty Inlet.
- On February 26, the NWS cancelled the High Surf Warning for the South Washington Coast affecting Pacific and Wahkiakum Counties.
- On February 26, the High Surf Advisory for the North and Central Coast affecting Clallam, Grays Harbor, and Jefferson Counties expired.
- On February 27, the Winter Storm Warning for the East Slopes of the Cascades affecting Okanogan, Chelan, Kittitas, Klickitat, and Yakima Counties expired.
- On February 27, the Winter Storm Warning for the Cascades of Lewis, Pierce, King, and Snohomish Counties expired.
- On February 27, the Winter Storm Warning for the South Washington Cascades affecting Cowlitz and Skamania Counties expired.
- On February 27, the Winter Storm Warning for the northern Blue Mountains expired. There being no other watches, advisories or warnings open, this weather incident closed.
- On February 24, Renton Police issued an Amber Alert for a stolen vehicle with a child inside. The child was quickly located safe inside the vehicle and reunited with family.

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SEOO Activity for the current month

265	Warnings issued to jurisdictions for imminent or occurring emergencies.
153	Warnings issued to tribal nations for imminent or occurring emergencies.
849	Notifications conducted to state and local agencies for imminent or occurring emergencies.
13	Resources coordinated for search, rescue, recovery and response operations.

Participated in 6 drills/exercises of which 3 were spill drills.

Conducted the following tests:

Test Conducted (see below for descriptions of each test)	Frequency of test	Number of tests completed this month	Total number of stations tested this month	Number of stations responding during tests initiated by the Alert Warning Center	Contact Success rate for those tests initiated by the Alert Warning Center
NAWAS - FEDERAL	Twice daily	54	0	0	0%
NAWAS - STATE	Twice daily	56	1710	1615	94%
STAEN	At least twice per month	2	26	4	15%
CEMNET	At least 3 per week	12	248	123	50%

Test Conducted (see below for descriptions of each test)	Frequency of test	Number of tests completed this month	Test Conducted (see below for descriptions of each test)	Frequency of test	Number of tests completed this month
Dedicated phone line test for DOE	At least 1 per week	4	AHAB Siren test	At least 1 per month	1
Dedicated phone line test for CGS	At least 1 per week	3	King County 800 MHz Radio System tests	At least 1 per week	3
AHAB Daily Function status	1 per day	28			

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Test information/definitions:

- NAWAS: National Warning System Tests (NAWAS) over the State and Federal circuits. NAWAS connects over 1,800 State and Federal jurisdictions and agencies on the Federal circuit and all counties, some agencies and some tribes on the State circuit. There are four tests a day, two state and two federal, testing 66 drops on two circuits. The number above reflects the four tests a day. Previously the number included the total number of stations contacted during those tests.
- DOE tests: Department of Energy Hanford Site has a dedicated phone and fax line into the EOC and they are tested at least weekly. Only the voice phone line numbers are reported here.
- CGS tests: Columbia Generating Station has a dedicated phone and fax line into the EOC and they are tested at least weekly. Only the voice phone line numbers are reported here.
- AHAB: All Hazards Alert Broadcast System is tested daily through the daily function tests, which tests the functional capability of all coastal and Puget Sound siren systems. The voice and tone sirens are tested monthly. The AHAB Siren activates the coastal and Puget Sound voice and tone sirens during tsunami and other hazardous incidents.
- STAEN: The State Agency Emergency Network (STAEN) connects state agency via an 800 MHz radio system.
- CEMNET: Comprehensive Emergency Management Network radio connecting all counties and many cities.
- King County 800 MHz System connects the Alert and Warning Center with King County key emergency management and response organizations.