

# Neighborhood Network



Neighborhood networks provide a way for the neighborhood to communicate with each other in the event of an emergency. By dividing a larger community into smaller clusters of streets and having a communications plan, these neighborhoods can keep each other informed by sharing the information they receive about an emergency that may be occurring. Each neighborhood can hold meetings to devise plans of action such as:



- ◆ **Caring for children or assisting people with mobility problems or disabilities**



- ◆ **Rescuing pets**



- ◆ **Creating neighborhood directories and phone trees**
- ◆ **Sharing each other's utility shut-off locations information**



- ◆ **Acquiring permission to enter a neighbor's home to retrieve items of value**



- ◆ **Organizing first aid and CPR classes or CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) training**

