



## Sign up for **ALERT:me**

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The BC Alert system is an alert notification system that allows county officials to immediately contact you during a major crisis or emergency and can deliver important emergency alerts, notifications and updates to you on all your devices:

- Email (work, home, other)
- Wireless device (cell phone, pagers)
- Landlines
- Smartphones

Follow the instructions below to join the BC Alert System.

- 1.) Click on the following link: [www.bcalert.com](http://www.bcalert.com)
- 2.) Fill in name and email address (if applicable)
- 3.) Select device to receive alerts
- 4.) Create password
- 5.) Click continue
- 6.) At the next screen enter three addresses that are important to you. A virtual map is provided to search for any specific locations.
- 7.) Click continue
- 8.) The next screen will provide a list of groups that you can join. Each of these groups will provide specific messages pertaining to that group. For example, the NWACC group will allow for weather related emergency messages to be transmitted to which ever device you selected to receive alerts. You can select as many groups as you would like.
- 9.) Once you have selected which groups you would like to join, click continue.
- 10.) The final screen will be you "My BC Alert" screen which will hold your personal profile information and give you the chance to change any of the previously selected options. This also marks the end of the sign-up process.

This system will be available to the user even after leaving NWACC. Simply, log back into [www.bcalert.com](http://www.bcalert.com) and change the groups and alerts you wish to receive. The previous emergency alert system will be slowly phased out over the summer but will still remain active in the instance of non-weather related emergencies.