

## Schoharie County Warning System

Schoharie County will be installing twenty sirens in the Schoharie Valley to be utilized in the event of an emergency. The siren locations were selected by Mid-State Communications to adequately alert the most people in the Schoharie Valley dam break inundation zone in the unlikely event of an emergency. The sirens are being purchased from Mid-State Communications and are manufactured by Whelen. Funding is being provided by New York City with some maintenance costs provided by the New York Power Authority.

The installation of the sirens will occur between March 30, 2007 and June 30, 2007 (ground/weather conditions permitting). The project involves the installation of 50 foot wood utility poles with rotating sirens at the top that can be activated during times of emergency (primarily dam break/flood). Sirens at fire department locations and one at NYS Route 30 in Blenheim will also be used for fire alarms, the others will not. Three of the sirens near areas of public gathering will also be capable of announcing voice warnings.

Click on the siren location to view general aerial maps of the new siren locations. Please note that some changes may be made in siren locations prior to installation, but all sirens will be in the general area shown. If you need more information in regard to this project, please contact the Schoharie County Planning and Development Agency at 518-234-3751 during the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

<u>Siren Number</u>	<u>Location</u>
1.	Gilboa Highway Garage
2.	Stryker Road-Nickerson Campground (voice)
3.	Mine Kill State Park (voice)
4.	N. Blenheim Fire Dept.
5.	Blenheim-State Route 30
6.	Fulton-Blenheim Line - FEMA buyout property
7.	Breakabeen
8.	Max V. Shaul Park (voice)
9.	Watsonville (Barber' Greenhouse)
10	Middleburgh-Fulton Line
11.	Middleburgh Fire Dept.
11a.	Middleburgh (Valley) Pharmacy
12.	Frisbieville Lane
13.	Schoharie Fire Dept.
14.	Schoharie-Robert Court
15.	Central Bridge Fire Dept.
16.	Junction Road-30A intersection
17.	US 20-Esperance
18.	Esperance Fire Dept.
19.	Priddle Camp