



Summit County  
Emergency Management Agency  
**TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT**

## Skywarn Tornado Spotter Training

The Summit County Emergency Management Agency is hosting a **“Skywarn Tornado Spotter Training”** course on **Thursday, March 22, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.** This course will last approximately 2 hours. Registration will begin at 5:30 p.m. The course will be conducted at the American Red Cross, 501 W. Market Street, Akron, Ohio 44303.

This course is a training activity focusing on identifying and reporting severe local storms. It will increase the safety awareness of hazards that exist from severe thunderstorms, tornadoes, and floods. The training of storm spotters coupled with radar, satellite, and other data has enabled the National Weather Service to issue more timely and accurate warnings in order to save lives.

Upon completion of the course, you will be given the opportunity to become an official Skywarn Spotter.

**Target Audience:** School Administrators and Custodians, Health Care Providers, Public Safety, Amateur Radio and Emergency Management personnel.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Date:**

Thursday, March 22, 2018  
6:00 PM to 8:00 PM  
(Registration from 5:30-6:00 PM)

**Location:**

American Red Cross  
501 W. Market Street  
Akron, Ohio 44308

**Please RSVP by March 12, 2018** by filling out the attached training application and emailing it to [jbeckett@summitoh.net](mailto:jbeckett@summitoh.net) or fax to 330-643-2889. If you have questions, contact the Summit County Emergency Management Agency at 330-643-2558.