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DATE: 4/17/2017

SUBJECT: Severe Weather Awareness Week

BY: Duluth Fire Department

NATURE OF INCIDENT: All Hazard Warning System Test

CASE NO.:

INCIDENT DATE: 4/20/2017

INCIDENT TIME: 1:45 and 6:45 PM

INCIDENT LOCATION: City-Wide

This week is Severe Weather Awareness Week in Minnesota. The arrival of spring not only signals a time when people begin to take increased advantage of outdoor activities, it also marks a rise in the potential for violent weather. This may include damaging thunderstorm winds, hail, tornadoes, lightning, and flash flooding.

The Duluth Fire Department encourages all residents to take this time to review for the upcoming potential weather threats. This should be done within all communities with the help of schools, hospitals, nursing homes, churches, business, and civic organizations. The best way to assure preparedness is to practice your plans ahead of time with actual drills.

As part of the week's activities, the Duluth Fire Department will be sounding the All Hazard Sirens across the city. **This will be done at 1:45 PM, and 6:45 PM this Thursday, April 20th.** All Duluth residents should take these opportunities to plan ahead and to be prepared.