

SUBURBAN MUTUAL ASSISTANCE RESPONSE TEAM

THE "SMART" ADVANTAGE

The Suburban Mutual Assistance Response Team (SMART) Organization provides the following:

- **Monthly meetings (except December) for the discussion of emergency management topics.**
- **Meeting attendance includes representatives from SMART member communities, State of Illinois EMA, Cook County Sheriff EMA, Will County EMA, and the American Red Cross.**
- **Training discussions and training classes.**
- **Standardized specifications for equipment listing.**
- **Box Alarm resource listing via hard copy and computer program.**
- **Box Alarm wide area paging system for fast, dependable emergency notification and for administrative purposes.**
- **Professional manpower and equipment for communities when their resources are overtaxed to assist in all types of emergencies and disasters.**
- **Legislative information that affects emergency management.**
- **Liaison with the Will Cook Fire Chiefs Association.**
- **Assistance with radio communications matters.**
- **Sharing of ideas, problems and solutions.**
- **Worldwide exposure on the Internet with our own web page.**
- **Proven emergency management organization since June 1982.**

The Suburban Mutual Assistance Response Team (SMART) is recognized by the Mutual Aid Box Alarm System (MABAS) as a valuable special equipment resource for the fire service.

The following are members of the SMART organization: [Members List](#)

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