

READINESS CONDITION (REACON) ACTIONS (For Nuclear Disasters)

READINESS CONDITION 3

This condition depicts a worsening international situation, to the point that a possible break in diplomatic relations may occur.

This information will be received from the Federal Emergency Management Agency through the NAWAS (National Warning System).

The following actions are to be taken:

1. The Rice County Emergency Management Director will notify the chairman of the Rice County Board of Commissioners, and the chairman will then notify the County Board of Commissioners.
2. The Rice County Emergency Management Director will mobilize key staff personnel and will check the operating guidelines of the respective emergency government services.
3. The Rice County Emergency Management Director will advise the public that the county and local governments are reviewing emergency procedures. No action by the public will be required.

READINESS CONDITION 2

This condition depicts a serious deterioration of international relations, a possible breach of those relations and a possibility of hostile actions. This information would be received from the Federal Emergency Management through the NAWAS.

The following actions are to be taken:

1. The Rice County Emergency Management Director will notify the chairman of the Rice County Board of Commissioners, and the chairman will then notify the Rice County Board of Commissioners.
2. The Rice County Emergency Management Director will notify key staff personnel and place them on a standby basis.
3. The Rice County Emergency Operating Center will be activated and placed on a standby basis.

4. Public information describing the situation and the action local government will be taking should be disseminated.
5. The public is further advised to review their individual and family emergency action plans.
6. The federal authorities may direct initiation of the evacuation of people from potential target areas.

READINESS CONDITION 1

This condition depicts a situation where in the president of the United States has advised the governor and the public that war is imminent, or that hostilities have already occurred.

The following actions are to be taken:

1. The chairman of the Rice County Board of Commissioners will convene the board in an emergency session.
2. The Rice County Emergency Operating Center is to be operational on a 24-Hour basis.
3. The staff will be fully mobilized.
4. Emergency services officials will prepare to open public fallout shelters.

Warning guidance may be received via the State Warning System, prior to or concurrent with REACON 1.