



## Request to Create Smart 911 Profile for Emergency Notifications

Officials with the City of Belding, County of Ionia, and the State of Michigan would like you to be aware that KMI Industries (KMI) located at 815 South Front Street, in the City of Belding, uses a chemical in their manufacturing process that, if mishandled, can release a hazardous chlorine gas. This chemical is known as trichloroisocyanuric acid.

Due to the recent incident at KMI, officials are **requesting that your household create a smart 911 profile** to allow you to be notified of actions to be taken in case of an emergency. These actions may include evacuation, sheltering in place, or other measures necessary to protect public health. This mass notification will be done using the RAVE Mass Alerts system used by the City of Belding and Ionia County Emergency Management. In order for you to receive these mass alerts for **any emergency** that may occur, you will need to create a Smart 911 profile and then opt into the alerts. Information from your profile will assist dispatchers and First Responders during emergency responses in our community.

To create your profile please go to <https://www.smart911.com> Once you complete the basic profile information you will need to check the box asking if you would like to receive Mass Alerts from Ionia County. You will also need to check the boxes for the methods that you wish to receive them.

If you have any questions or need assistance in creating a Smart 911 profile you may contact The City of Belding Fire Department (616) 794-1900 or the Ionia County Office of Emergency Management (616)527-8283.