

EMERGENCY RESPONSE INFORMATION

PHONE NUMBERS

POPE COUNTY SHERIFF (618) 683-4321

UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE SUPERVISOR'S OFFICE (618) 253-7114

LOCATION

SHAWNEE NATIONAL FOREST — POPE COUNTY ILLINOIS — NEAR OZARK, IL

SOUTH EAST OF JACKSON HOLLOW

ON GLEN ST FALLS RD BETWEEN OZARK RD & IL-147

PARKING LOT GPS LOCATION: 37°30'32.42" N, 88° 40'54.75" W

EVACUATION ROUTE & HELICOPTER LANDING PAD LOCATION

EVACUATION ROUTE: USE THE SOUTHERN CANYON ACCESS NEAR "HIDDEN PEAKS" TO EXIT THE CANYON (SEE PAGE 31).

THE HELICOPTER LANDING PAD IS LOCATED ABOVE HIDDEN PEAKS (APPROXIMATELY 200 YARDS DUE EAST OF THE MAIN TRAIL).

VEHICLES CAN REACH THE HELICOPTER LANDING PAD BY DRIVING SOUTH ALONG GLEN STATE FALLS ROAD (APPROXIMATELY ¾ OF A MILE FROM THE PARKING LOT).

HELICOPTER LANDING PAD GPS LOCATION: 37°30'3,48" N. 88°41'2.04" W

COMMUNICATING AN EMERGENCY SITUATION TO DISPATCH

- 1. REMAIN CALM, SPEAK CLEARLY.
- 2. COMMUNICATE YOUR NEED FOR ASSISTANCE.
- 3. DESCRIBE YOUR LOCATION.
- 4. TELL DISPATCH YOU WILL MEET PARAMEDICS AND EMERGENCY RESCUE AT THE MAIN PARKING LOT.

YOUR ROLE IN AN EMERGENCY SITUATION

- A. REMAIN AT THE PARKING LOT UNTIL PARAMEDICS ARRIVE.
 IT WILL BE YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO DIRECT PARAMEDICS TO THE SITE OF THE ACCIDENT.
- B. ESCORT PARAMEDICS USING THE SOUTHERN CANYON ACCESS POINT. THIS IS THE ONLY ENTRY POINT PARAMEDICS WILL BE ABLE TO ACCESS.
- C. ASSIST ONLY BY CARRYING NECESSARY EQUIPMENT & NAVIGATING PARAMEDICS AND RESCUE PERSONNEL.

NEAREST HOSPITALS

HARRISBURG MEDICAL CENTER (618) 253-7671

HEARTLAND REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER (618) 997-5341

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL OF CARBONDALE (618) 549-0721