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Block Leader Documentation Training Offered

Cupertino residents who wish to help their neighbors and community during a disaster are invited to documentation training on Wednesday, April 12 from 6 to 9 p.m. at Cupertino Community Hall, 10350 Torre Ave. Dinner is included. There is no fee to attend and registration is required.

Participants will learn to receive and track requests for help from the public, find out how to report the status of their neighborhoods, and learn how Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT) work. Marsha Hovey, Cupertino’s Emergency Services coordinator, will lead the session.

The Cupertino block leader program helps residents to build active connections among residents so they may work together on common neighborhood issues – and increase communication, public safety, and cultural understanding in the neighborhoods. Currently, 191 residents participate in the Cupertino Block Leader program.

If you would like to participate in the training, or need more information, e-mail communityrelations@cupertino.org or call 777-3331. The last day to register for the training is April 7.

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