

## Letter to the Editor (Daily News)

Dear Editor,

I am writing to you in order to bring my suggestions and ideas on developing the life of our community. I suppose that all citizens of the nearest neighborhood, especially children, are not ready to any extreme, extraordinary, and emergency situations. Taking into account the importance of prevention of disasters and decreasing the amounts of victims, the relevant community education should take place. Therefore, I would like to take this problem to the regional level and drive forces of various origins with the help of your newspaper.

All around the U.S. of America, the communities are offered the developed training programs for preparing them to different emergency situations such as fires, natural disasters, and terroristic attacks. However, members of our community do not have an opportunity to participate in such training programs because of the poor participation of the local government in the advertising and promoting services and their importance. Therefore, the lack of the publicity diminishes personal responsibilities of community members in front of other members. They may fail in their acts and plans during the cases of emergency. Moreover, education on the behavior in a case of any emergency within the school programs is not supported by additional practical trainings. As a result, it reduces the relevance of received knowledge and skills. Therefore, the situation should be changed and involve the local government and social organizations in providing the prevention and management trainings in cases of emergency.

Without any social resonance, the community does not consider the existing situation to be a problem. However, none influence on the government may be conducted in the case of the social interest absence regarding the issue. At the same time, the problem is complicated due to poor understanding of the possible consequences of any disaster. Therefore, I see the only solution to the problem in driving much attention to the issue, thus creating the regional resonance. I

suppose my letter to open a sequel of the publications concerning the people who managed to survive disasters thanks to the received training knowledge. As the result, it will motivate our community to influence the local government. At the same time, feeling the responsibility for themselves and their relatives' lives people would complete training relevantly. Moreover, the local government will be triggered to act far more actively within the social life of the community.

I suppose the above mentioned method is relevant for having the positive influence on the organizations, local government, and community. Awareness of hazards and their consequences will make both the population and the authorities use and promote the emergency situation planning and products. It is crucial for our society to understand the negative outcomes that may take place in the case of the absence of appropriate knowledge and training. As the result, I wish to unite the community for receiving more knowledge and skills for protecting other people and themselves. At the same time, the readiness of the community will help to reduce the pressure on the special emergency services.

I hope that you have found my letter, the problem statement, and its solution relevant to our society and its needs. At the same time, I would appreciate your participation in distribution of the relevant material in the newspaper. Moreover, it is supposed to increase the quantity of the subscribers and constant readers.

I hope to receive your positive response and opinion on the issue.

Sincerely,

(name of the student)