



**COMMUNITY
TASK
FORCE**



***Raising
Awareness
to Save Lives***



LKG 911 COMMUNITY TASK FORCE MISSION

**To Educate the Public in Order to Save Lives &
Aid in Improving 911 Operations in our rural
communities.**



BACKGROUND

- **Our Founder, Sherry Herzing lost her husband, Bob, when he suffered a heart attack and rescuers arrived too late to save him – 47 minutes!**
- **In the midst of overwhelming grief, a purpose was formed:
...to understand the 911 system mishaps and save the lives
of others**



WHAT'S THE PROBLEM WITH CELL TOWERS?

- **Calling 911 on your cellphones doesn't provide your LOCATION**
- **911 cell phone calls are pinging off cell towers, and shared county and state borders prevent cell towers from routing a 911 caller to the correct 911 Dispatch Center or Public Service Answering Point (PSAP)**



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW TO HELP YOURSELF

- 1. Cell Phones Don't Work Like Landlines When Calling 911.**
- 2. First Responders Can't *HELP* You If They Can't *FIND* You.**
- 3. Be prepared with Basic First Aid and CPR training to save a life.**



**THEY CAN'T HELP YOU IF THEY
CAN'T FIND YOU!**



**Purchase Reflective House
Numbers so First Responders can
FIND you!**



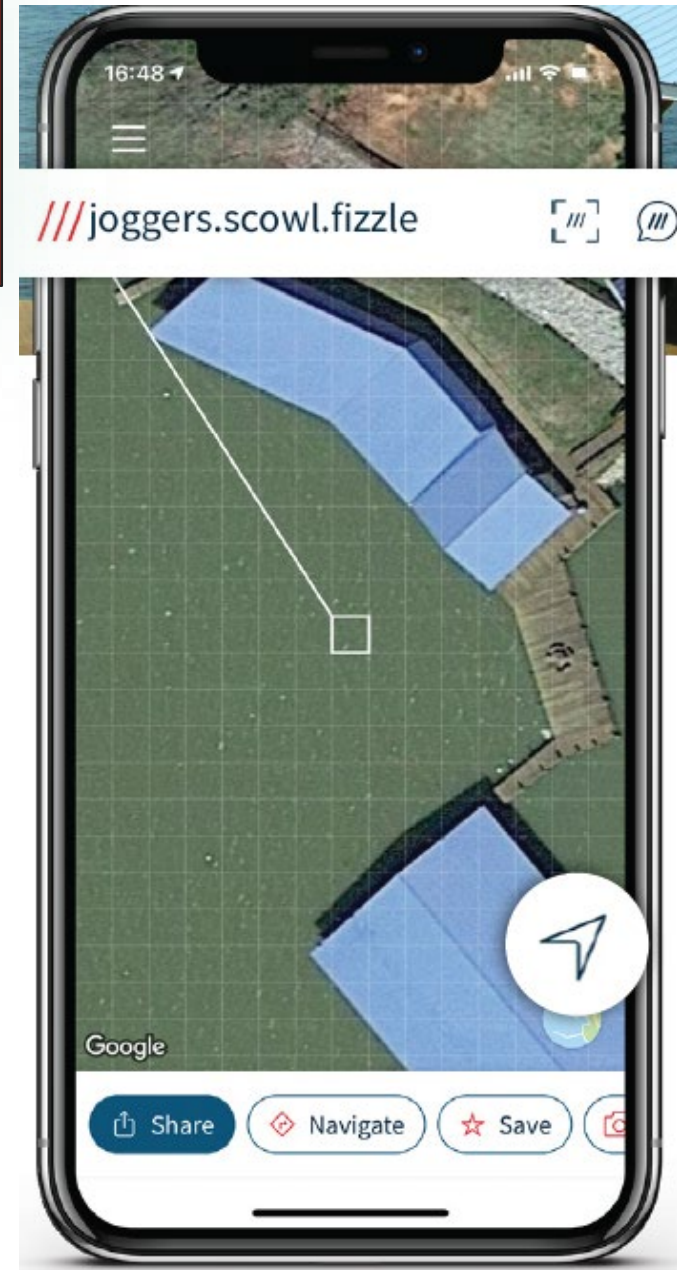
Your 911 Help Packet contains valuable information on where to order these and other life saving devices.

**Download the 911 e- Packet from our website:
lkgtaskforce.org under What We Do**



THEY CAN'T HELP YOU IF THEY CAN'T FIND YOU!

- **what3words is a free app for your phone to find, save and share locations easily**
- **Around the world, emergency services are using what3words to find and help people in need**
- **Steps to give a what3words address in an emergency is included in the 911 e-packet which you can download from our website lkgtaskforce.org**





YOU ARE THE HELP UNTIL HELP ARRIVES

- **Make a list of neighbors who have First Aid or medical experience**
- **Sponsor a “Neighbors Helping Neighbors” Program**
- **Sign up for our 2 hour Workshop developed by our Medical Group for Basic First Aid, CPR and AED training. To attend send us an email at lkg911taskforce@gmail.com**





TASK FORCE INITIATIVES 2023

- **Continue dialog with State Legislators regarding the current challenges of the 911 system**
- **Identify programs for high school/community college training in Public Safety Classes**
- **Implement a program for location of boat docks and integrate location information into the 911 call centers**
- **Develop a Neighbors Helping Neighbors Program and provide guidance for installing AED boxes in our communities**



HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- **Join Us: We are in need of many talents and skills. Volunteer**
- **Donate: We are 501c3 organization and donations are tax deductible. Visit Ways to Give on our website**
- **Follow us on Facebook: LKG911**
- **Keep in touch: LKG911taskforce@gmail.com**



IN MEMORIAM

BOB HERZING

December 26, 1953 –

August 27, 2018

