

All-Hazard Weather Alert Radios

All UW Superior buildings are equipped with one or more weather alert radios that are programmed to provide severe weather warnings and all-hazard emergency information for Superior and Douglas County Wisconsin. The message from the weather alert radio may provide short concise directions on actions to take, or it may include instructions to tune to a local radio or television stations for more information. The radios are equipped with back up battery power.

Brief Instructions for Weather/All Hazard Radio Use

1. The radios are programmed to receive alert tones for specific emergencies that may occur in Douglas County/Superior Wisconsin. Please do not alter the programming. These events include but are not limited to:

Severe thunderstorm watches/warnings	Amber Alerts
High wind watches/warnings	Tune TV Emergency (for information)
Tornado watches/warnings	Required weekly test
Flood warnings	Evacuation watch/warning
Severe and Special weather statements	Warning – for a community wide emergency
2. When an alert tone sounds, press the Weather/Hazard On/Off button to listen to the message. A text description of the alert will be displayed in the screen, and a LED will light when a warning, watch or statement has been issued. Press the Alert On/Off button to silence the tone during the weekly test.
3. Listen carefully to the message from the radio. **If the affected area includes Superior,** respond immediately and follow the directions as provided over the radio. Unplug the radio and take it with you. Remember: the message may include directions to tune into a local television or radio station for detailed information. Use the AM/FM radio on the alert radio to tune in to local stations.