What are ERPAs?

- Emergency Response Planning Areas (ERPAs) are geographic zones located mostly in southern New Castle County Delaware, within the ten-mile Emergency Planning Zone (EPZ), from the Salem and Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Stations.

- ERPAs are used to quickly describe which geographic area is affected by an emergency.

What's New?

- ERPAs have been combined using easily recognized boundaries such as major roadways, towns, waterways, etc.

- There are now four ERPAs instead of ten.

- New ERPAs are color coded (orange, blue, green, pink) and have corresponding letters (A, B, C, D).

- The four new zones have been successfully tested in radiological exercises conducted by DEMA.

- New ERPAs are used to simplify notification for sheltering and evacuation of residents, visitors, schools, businesses and other facilities within the ten-mile EPZ.

Additional Information

New Castle County
Office of Emergency Management
302-395-3600

Kent County
Emergency Management
302-735-3465

Delaware Emergency Management Agency (DEMA)
302-659-DEMA (3362) or 877-SAY-DEMA (877-729-3362)
Web Page: www.state.de.us/dema (click on Nuclear Hazards then Emergency Response Planning Areas)

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Region III
215-931-5500
Web Page: www.fema.gov/reg-iii

Public Service Enterprise Group (PSEG)
800-232-0244
Web Page: www.pseg.com

Plan for protection in case of a radiological incident at the Salem and Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Stations.
**Prepare Yourself**

The four Emergency Response Planning Areas (ERPAs) that are shaded on the map (opposite) show the 10-mile Emergency Planning Zone (EPZ) of the Salem and Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Stations.

- **Locate your residence, business or school on the map. If you are within the colored zones, note the corresponding ERPA color and letter.**

- **If warning sirens are sounded, tune your radio to an Emergency Alert System (EAS) station listed below:**
  - WDEL-AM 1150
  - WWTX-AM 12
  - WSTW-FM 93.7
  - WNRK-AM 1260
  - WILM-AM 1450
  - WDOV-AM 1410
  - WDSD-FM 92.9
  - WRJE-AM 1600
  - WJBR-FM 99.5
  - Marine Channel 16
  - WRDX-FM 94.7

- **Listen for emergency instructions that pertain to your ERPA zone.**

**ERPA Description**

**ERPA A**
Port Penn, Odessa, East of Townsend, North Smyrna and South St. George’s Areas
The area bounded to the west by Routes 13, 299 and 9; to the east by the Delaware River; to the north by the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal; to the south by Route 6.

**ERPA B**
Middletown, East of Townsend and North Smyrna Areas
The area bounded to the west by the Norfolk Southern Railroad; to the east by Route 9; to the north by Route 299; to the south by Route 6 and Smyrna Landing Road.

**ERPA C**
Delaware City, North Middletown, St. George’s and Reybold Areas
The area bounded to the north of Route 299 by Kirkwood St. George’s Road; to the east of the Norfolk Southern Railroad to Route 13; to the south of the Red Lion Creek and east of Route 9; to the south of the Norfolk Southern Railroad and east of Route 13 to the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal; to the south of Route 72 and east of McCoy Road to Route 13.

**ERPA D**
The Delaware River and Bay
The area just north of Pea Patch Island, near Delaware City, south to Woodland Beach.