

Which Products Shall Be Tone Alerted on NWR?

NWR Tone Alert and SAME activations give immediate information about life-threatening conditions. The NWR-SAME codes and 1050 Hz warning tone will precede initial broadcasts of watch and warning events, as specified below.

*at forecaster discretion or in response to customer demand.

Forecasters will consider the specific situation and the need for immediate notification. Customer demand includes requirements of emergency managers and broadcasters as agreed to in state and local EAS Plans.

EVENT	CODE	1050 Hz
Avalanche Watch	AVA	*
Avalanche Warning	AVW	Yes
Blizzard Watch	BZA	*
Blizzard Warning	BZW	*
Coastal Flood Watch	CFA	*
Coastal Flood Warning	CFW	*
Dust Storm Warning	DSW	*
Flash Flood Watch	FFA	*
Flash Flood Warning	FFW	Yes
Flash Flood Statement	FFS	*
Flood Watch	FLA	*
Flood Warning	FLW	*
Flood Statement	FLS	*
High Wind Watch	HWA	*
High Wind Warning	HWW	*
Severe Thunderstorm Watch	SVA	Yes
Severe Thunderstorm Warning	SVR	Yes
Severe Weather Statement	SVS	*
Special Marine Warning	SMW	*
Special Marine Statement	SPS	No
Tornado Watch	TOA	Yes
Tornado Warning	TOR	Yes
Winter Storm Watch	WSA	No
Winter Storm Warning	WSW	*
Child Abduction Emergency	CAE	No
Civil Danger Warning	CDW	Yes
Civil Emergency Message	CEM	Yes
Earthquake Warning	EQW	Yes
Evacuation Immediate	EVI	Yes
Fire Warning	FRW	Yes
Hazardous Materials Warning	HMW	Yes
Law Enforcement Warning	LEW	Yes
Local Area Emergency	LAE	No
911 Telephone Outage	TOE	No
Nuclear Power Plant Warning	NUW	Yes
Radiological Hazard Warning	RHW	Yes
Shelter In Place Warning	SPW	Yes
Volcano Warning	VOW	Yes
Administrative Message	ADR	No
Practice/Demo Warning	No	
Required Monthly Test	RMT	*
Required Weekly Test	RWT	Yes