



Our Mission

To improve emergency services in our rural communities, by ensuring landowners can request a civic address from their municipality, for entrances to their vacant farm fields.

History

Farm accidents can occur in the most remote locations, making it difficult for first responders to easily locate the situation. In the summer of 2014, a young girl's life was lost and first responders couldn't find the scene of the accident. In short, there was no civic address for the farm field and the family had to flag down the ambulance. A devastating situation was made even more painful having to wait for the EMS to arrive.

All vacant farmland should have the opportunity to become part of the addressing system. Our emergency response system is based on addresses, and when seconds matter, a sign in the ground can make all the difference in finding someone quickly.

Objectives

- Invite municipalities to offer this program as a service to the community
- Ensure the program is accessible and affordable for landowners
- Encourage rural landowners to use the service
- Develop resources to teach property owners how to contact EMS efficiently
- Promote the program through digital, print, and social media

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