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Delaware County workers and residents participated in the statewide tornado drill. County officials are pleased with the outcome of the drill, which provided county employees and residents an opportunity to test their knowledge on sheltering in severe weather. The tornado drill coincides with Severe Weather Awareness Week, which runs from March 3-9. Residents reported hearing outdoor sirens sound from different areas of the county, while county employees and other participating businesses followed their specific tornado shelter plans for their office.

Delaware County has four new outdoor sirens, two located at the Delaware State Park and two located at Alum Creek State Park. All four of the new sirens worked well, except one siren located at the Delaware State Park that needs an antenna adjustment.

Delaware County and City of Delaware outdoor warning sirens will be tested the first Saturday of each month. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Delaware County EMA at (740) 833-2180.