

# Tompkins County 911 Ambulance Access Instructions

This is a test program with the West Shore Neighborhood Association. 6/1/15 version.

1	Address & contact info	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Address:</li> <li>• Name(s):</li> <li>• #1 phone:</li> <li>• #2 phone:</li> </ul>
2	Summary (250 characters): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Important summary.</li> <li>• Distance from road to parking.</li> <li>• 2WD or AWD, snow and no snow.</li> <li>• Where to park. Distance from road. Vertical steps to residence &amp; beach.</li> <li>• Other: Very steep slope, restrictive bridge or turn, low tree limb, dog caution, locked gate/door.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No snow:</li> <li>• Snow:</li> </ul>
3	Emergency contact info	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Name1: <span style="float: right;">Phone:</span></li> <li>• Relationship:</li> <li>• Name2: <span style="float: right;">Phone:</span></li> <li>• Relationship:</li> </ul>
4	Suggested vehicle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No or limited snow: <input type="checkbox"/> 2WD <input type="checkbox"/> AWD <input type="checkbox"/> ATV</li> <li>• Snow: <input type="checkbox"/> 2WD <input type="checkbox"/> AWD <input type="checkbox"/> ATV</li> </ul>
5	Suggested vehicle parking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2WD parking (where does UPS truck park?):</li> <li>• AWD parking (must be able to turn around):</li> </ul>
6	Driveway surface	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Driveway surface: <input type="checkbox"/> Paved <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel <input type="checkbox"/> Dirt</li> <li>• Is snow normally plowed?: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</li> </ul>
7	Distance from main road to suggested parking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2WD distance:</li> <li>• AWD distance:</li> </ul>
8	# of steps to residence and/or beach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2WD steps from vehicle to residence:</li> <li>• 2WD steps from vehicle to beach:</li> <li>• AWD steps from vehicle to residence:</li> <li>• AWD steps from vehicle to beach:</li> </ul>
9	What is the closest "ambulance access" dock?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the patient is in the water, what is the house address with a dock with ambulance access?:</li> <li>• See info below on how to secure a dock ID sign that permits boaters to define the street address of the dock.</li> </ul>
10	Other comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul>
11	Pictures and/or sketches Paper copy or jpg/pdf format	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul>

## Pre-emergency request to residents

- OK? Is your house number that clearly identifies your driveway from the main road?
- OK? Does your driveway have a "Y" or a hidden turn? Is there a sign with directions to the ambulance parking area and the house? Is this sign visible at night?
- OK? Is the driveway clear of branches and other obstacles? Ambulance: 8 ft wide, 7 ft high, 20 ft long.
- OK? If you rent, have you clearly posted your address and ambulance access instructions?
- OK? Are there any locked gates or doors that need to be opened before the ambulance arrives?
- OK? To help boaters define the street address of your dock, install a dock ID sign. For details, contact the West Shore Neighborhood Assoc, [westshorecayuga@gmail.com](mailto:westshorecayuga@gmail.com). For details and to purchase (<\$20) your ID sign online, click [here \(build-a-sign\)](#).