Nuclear station siren test planned

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SENECA — The public alert notification sirens around the Oconee Nuclear Station will be tested Wednesday at approximately 11:50 a.m., officials announced this week.

The 65 sirens within 10 miles of the nuclear site will be tested for three minutes to assure each siren works properly. No public action will be required.

In non-testing situations, hearing a siren does not mean to evacuate. In an emergency, sirens are sounded as a signal for residents to tune to a local radio or TV station that would carry an emergency-alerting message.

For more information about the public alert notification sirens, visit duke-energy.com.