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00:00:02,570 --> 00:00:01,280  
if it's have been impressive for us to

2  
00:00:03,919 --> 00:00:02,580  
see today and thank you very much for

3  
00:00:09,980 --> 00:00:03,929  
your time and showing me too it's my

4  
00:00:12,680 --> 00:00:09,990  
present may I have your attention may I

5  
00:00:16,220 --> 00:00:12,690  
have your attention please Laurie what

6  
00:00:17,570 --> 00:00:16,230  
are you doing that's my I'm busted kathy

7  
00:00:19,880 --> 00:00:17,580  
miller you are probably the most

8  
00:00:21,080 --> 00:00:19,890  
well-known boys on this center we're

9  
00:00:22,849 --> 00:00:21,090  
here in the Emergency Operations Center

10  
00:00:25,250 --> 00:00:22,859  
whether you tell me what you do here I'm

11  
00:00:27,349 --> 00:00:25,260  
the emergency preparedness officer here

12  
00:00:29,269 --> 00:00:27,359  
at Marshall Space Flight Center and the

13  
00:00:31,600 --> 00:00:29,279

emergency operation center comes under

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00:00:35,180 --> 00:00:31,610

the office of center operations in the

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00:00:36,680 --> 00:00:35,190

office of protective services and that's

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00:00:38,450 --> 00:00:36,690

what it's all about protecting us

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00:00:40,940 --> 00:00:38,460

keeping us safe right that is true that

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00:00:43,340 --> 00:00:40,950

is our mission we are to help keep

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00:00:45,500 --> 00:00:43,350

people safe and tell me how you do that

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00:00:47,150 --> 00:00:45,510

I see a bunch of TVs and radios and

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00:00:49,760 --> 00:00:47,160

handhelds tell me and tell me what you

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00:00:52,220 --> 00:00:49,770

do with those we have about 25 emergency

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00:00:54,229 --> 00:00:52,230

responders here at the center and we do

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00:00:56,869 --> 00:00:54,239

a radio check with them regularly and we

25

00:00:59,720 --> 00:00:56,879

also have exercises that we do tabletop

26

00:01:01,250 --> 00:00:59,730

exercises and really vent exercises our

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00:01:03,529 --> 00:01:01,260

annual tornado drills and things like

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00:01:06,260 --> 00:01:03,539

that yes it's severe weather Awareness

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00:01:09,020 --> 00:01:06,270

Week and we will have our annual tornado

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00:01:11,120 --> 00:01:09,030

drill and everybody will be expected to

31

00:01:13,700 --> 00:01:11,130

evacuate to the protective areas when I

32

00:01:15,230 --> 00:01:13,710

make the announcement yes listen to what

33

00:01:16,850 --> 00:01:15,240

she says and we're very lucky here too

34

00:01:18,530 --> 00:01:16,860

you know because we have some storm

35

00:01:20,840 --> 00:01:18,540

spotters right here on the center we do

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00:01:24,170 --> 00:01:20,850

we have 10 volunteers storm spotters and

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00:01:27,530 --> 00:01:24,180

when the National Weather Service issues

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00:01:30,469 --> 00:01:27,540

a tornado watch they are activated to

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00:01:34,429 --> 00:01:30,479

certain areas on the Arsenal and they

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00:01:36,770 --> 00:01:34,439

have a handheld radio that we

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00:01:38,210 --> 00:01:36,780

communicate with them with so they're

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00:01:39,410 --> 00:01:38,220

out looking for funnel clouds and things

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00:01:41,210 --> 00:01:39,420

like that just like the National Weather

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00:01:43,760 --> 00:01:41,220

Service has those people right yes

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00:01:46,190 --> 00:01:43,770

that's true and we help protect a

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00:01:47,780 --> 00:01:46,200

redstone arsenal and we are in

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00:01:50,359 --> 00:01:47,790

communications with the huntsville

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00:01:52,249 --> 00:01:50,369

madison county EMA and the National

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00:01:53,569 --> 00:01:52,259

Weather Service forecast office here in

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00:01:55,130 --> 00:01:53,579

Huntsville well that's very impressive

51  
00:01:56,719 --> 00:01:55,140  
and they give you the authority just to

52  
00:01:58,580 --> 00:01:56,729  
go on and say those things that you need

53  
00:02:00,859 --> 00:01:58,590  
to say and you've also been recognized

54  
00:02:03,109 --> 00:02:00,869  
for it your storm ready supporter what

55  
00:02:06,289 --> 00:02:03,119  
does that mean well our storm ready

56  
00:02:08,240 --> 00:02:06,299  
support is a recognition from the

57  
00:02:10,430 --> 00:02:08,250  
National Weather Service for going above

58  
00:02:11,980 --> 00:02:10,440  
and beyond the call of duty to help keep

59  
00:02:13,420 --> 00:02:11,990  
our people safe

60  
00:02:16,780 --> 00:02:13,430  
and it's not just about severe weather

61  
00:02:20,760 --> 00:02:16,790  
warnings either is it no it isn't we do

62  
00:02:24,520 --> 00:02:20,770  
have an emergency plan that we practice

63  
00:02:28,080 --> 00:02:24,530

for firing explosions for bomb threats

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00:02:30,910 --> 00:02:28,090

for workplace violence and other

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00:02:33,100 --> 00:02:30,920

emergencies you even had a drill last

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00:02:35,230 --> 00:02:33,110

year late last year involving everyone

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00:02:37,180 --> 00:02:35,240

center wide Redstone Arsenal and who

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00:02:39,310 --> 00:02:37,190

else was involved in that last November

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00:02:41,350 --> 00:02:39,320

we did a full-scale exercise with the

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00:02:43,900 --> 00:02:41,360

huntsville madison county community in

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00:02:45,700 --> 00:02:43,910

the Redstone Arsenal we wanted to see

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00:02:48,040 --> 00:02:45,710

how our emergency services would work

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00:02:50,590 --> 00:02:48,050

together our hospitals or police or fire

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00:02:53,320 --> 00:02:50,600

department or ambulance service our

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00:02:55,660 --> 00:02:53,330

exercise was very successful and we're

76  
00:02:57,370 --> 00:02:55,670  
working on some lessons learned that is

77  
00:03:00,550 --> 00:02:57,380  
good to hear tell me how all of this

78  
00:03:02,680 --> 00:03:00,560  
fits into NASA's mission well we're here

79  
00:03:05,170 --> 00:03:02,690  
to keep our employees safe so that they

80  
00:03:07,240 --> 00:03:05,180  
can do their job and what happens when

81  
00:03:09,850 --> 00:03:07,250  
you're not here dude bill and I have a

82  
00:03:12,400 --> 00:03:09,860  
shot at this gig we're very lucky

83  
00:03:14,440 --> 00:03:12,410  
because the NASA information support

84  
00:03:16,360 --> 00:03:14,450  
center makes the announcements after

85  
00:03:18,370 --> 00:03:16,370  
hours weekends and holidays and they're

86  
00:03:20,110 --> 00:03:18,380  
here twenty four and seven alright I

87  
00:03:22,030 --> 00:03:20,120  
take that as a no but thank you so much

88  
00:03:23,830 --> 00:03:22,040

Kathy Miller is so great to put a face

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00:03:26,340 --> 00:03:23,840

with the voice and thank you showing us

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00:03:28,510 --> 00:03:26,350

around the Emergency operating system

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00:03:30,280 --> 00:03:28,520

bill the operation center is also

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00:03:31,750 --> 00:03:30,290

responsible for all of those evacuation

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00:03:33,160 --> 00:03:31,760

plans in our buildings I always wondered

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00:03:34,390 --> 00:03:33,170

who put those together oh and if you get

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00:03:35,980 --> 00:03:34,400

a chance to head out the early works to

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00:03:37,660 --> 00:03:35,990

see the dome exhibit you should it's

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00:03:43,230 --> 00:03:37,670

really great work find out where we turn