The ADOPT A SIREN campaign's mission is to bring electronic, voice-commanded siren systems to the population-dense areas of Cape Girardeau.

This siren system will help alert our community of imminent danger such as weather or terrorism, and will also help notify our community when the danger is all clear.

Please consider donating to our ADOPT A SIREN campaign by assisting in any way possible.

For additional information, visit cityofcape.org/adoptasiren.
Mechanical vs. Electronic Sirens

Mechanical
- Only used for imminent severe weather
- Only source of warning
- More suitable for residential areas
- Limited to one form of warning signal/sound

Electronic
- Can be used for specific alerts:
  - Tornado
  - Flash floods
  - Train derailment
  - Chemical spills
  - Active shooter
  - Terrorism
- "All clear" signals
- Ability to give multiple specific warning signals

Best Places for YOUR Adopted Siren

High Density Areas
- Shopping areas
- Downtown
- Parks
- Sporting complexes
- Schools
- Hospitals

Cape Girardeau’s Top 6 Locations in Need of Electronic Warning Sirens:
1. Big Bend Road/Downtown
2. Cape Splash, Osage Centre, LaCroix Recreational Trail
3. East Cape Rock Drive & Main Street
4. Sprigg & Independence Streets (near Fire Station 1)
5. Cape Central High School
6. Notre Dame Regional High School