

Emergency Alert System For People With Disabilities

“Bryan’s Call”

WHY ARE WE CREATING BRYAN’S CALL ?



There is no dedicated alert designed to focus on helping locate missing individuals with disabilities or quickly notifying those most at risk during emergencies.

Bryan’s Call is named in honor of Bryan, a young boy with a disability who went missing in Louisiana. His disappearance highlighted a critical gap in our emergency alert system.

His story made clear that standard alert systems do not always meet the needs of people with disabilities or the communities trying to protect them.

WHAT IS BRYAN’S CALL?

The Bryan Call is a proposed statewide emergency alert system modeled after the AMBER Alert and designed to be inclusive for people with disabilities.

Like an AMBER Alert, the Bryan Call would:

- Be issued only in serious, time-sensitive situations
- Be distributed rapidly across the state
- Interrupt normal communication channels
- Provide clear instructions to the public

Bryan’s Call will only be used when a person with a disability goes missing and is believed to be at risk, or there is an imminent threat to the safety of the person with a disability.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Join Senator McMath and consider co-authoring Bryan’s Call.
- Vote in favor of the bill when it comes to the committee or the floor



The Bryan Alert ensures that Bryan’s story leads to lasting change—creating a system that helps protect people with disabilities and prevents future tragedies.