Illinois Pipeline Emergency Response Initiative

This informational sheet identifies the **FREE** IPERI pipeline training that is available.

IPERI Training Courses:

First Responder Awareness Course - This course provides the basic information that first responders need to be able to respond to a pipeline emergency.

First Responder Awareness Online: 3.00 Hours
https://www.fsi.illinois.edu/content/courses/programs/description.cfm?course_id=1470

First Responder Awareness "In Person" Courses began delivery in July 2024.
Request "In Person" training by contacting the Illinois Fire Service Institute, Chris Downey at cjdowney@illinois.edu.

Initial Incident Command Course - Primarily targets the fire service initial incident command personnel that would respond to a pipeline emergency.

Unified Command IMAT Course - IN DEVELOPMENT - This course provides an opportunity for all potential responders (fire, police, EMS, emergency management, public works and others) to participate in a tabletop exercise focused on a potential pipeline emergency in their area.

911 Dispatcher/Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) Course - This 90-minute course provides the basic information that 911 telecommunicators and their supervisors need to know to be able to better identify potential pipeline emergencies and dispatch appropriate resources.

911 Dispatcher PSAP Online: 2.00 Hours
https://www.fsi.illinois.edu/content/courses/programs/description.cfm?course_id=1508

General Pipeline Information:

To learn more about pipelines in your jurisdiction, you can access the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PMHSA) – National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS).

PHMSA has a Public Pipeline Viewer map and if you choose to apply for Governmental access (Pipeline Information Management and mapping Application (PIMMA)), you can apply for credentials. https://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov