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# 2013 NTHMP ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Tsunami Warning Siren Installation
- Adopt-A-School Initiative
- Tsunami Awareness & Preparedness Outreach Program
- Continuance of the TsunamiReady Designation

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### Tsunami Sirens

The event of 2009 has devastated then, and still today the lives of residents in American Samoa.

Our last siren on the island of 'Ofu has now been installed and on line.

- Land Issue
- Transportation
- Contractor



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### Adopt A School

Through the Governor's Initiative to adopt a school

- Pava'ia'i Elementary School
- Pilot Tsunami Curriculum
- Resource



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# Tsunami Outreach

Weekly outreach efforts to ensure resiliency within different communities

- Schools
- Villages
- Churches
- Government Offices
- Private Businesses
- Ethnic
- Live Presentations
- Radio Shows
- TV Shows
- Newspaper Ads
- Brochures
- Fairs, Market, Shopping Center

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## Tsunami Outreach

**SCHOOLS**



**CHURCHES**



**GOVERNMENT OFFICES**



**ETHNIC GROUPS**



**VILLAGES**



**PRIVATE BUSINESS**





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# TsunamiReady

A milestone on its own with sole funding from NTHMP, it gives comfort to residents that the Government both local and Federal are collaborating in efforts to assure community tsunami education, notification, and preparation for the next tsunami event.

