

**NON-GOVERNMENT SEARCH AND RESCUE ORGANIZATIONS
RESOURCE CONTACT SHEET**

Maryland Natural Resources Police

410-260-8888
Sgt Mel Adam, 443-827-1478
Cpl Brent Trautman, 443-827-1485

Maryland State Police

410-486-3101
Sgt Eric Fogle, 301-471-1203
Cpl Rob McCormick, 410-913-7786

Qualified Resources

Chesapeake Search Dogs

Dispatch #: 410-602-3151
Ops Contact: Al Banthem
Alt. Contact: Ed Thayer
LE Liaison: Dennis Ciesla
Primary Response Area: Carroll, Howard, Anne

Dogs (Cadaver, Airscent, Article, Water), Management Support, Communications

Dispatch Instructions:
443-889-9491
302-547-0694
410-241-4694

Secondary: Anywhere in state
Arundel, Baltimore City,
Baltimore, Cecil, Harford

Mid-Atlantic Dogs

Dispatch #: 301-948-2840
Ops Contact: Cindy Majane
Alt. Contact: Allen Rossi
Primary Response Area: Montgomery, P.G.,
Howard, Fredrick,
Washington

Dogs (Airscent, Cadaver, Water) Management Support,

Dispatch Instructions:
301-502-2400 cindymajane@gmail.com
301-802-0561 allenrossi@comcast.com
Secondary: Will respond anywhere in MD

Delmarva Search and Rescue (ASRC)

Dispatch #: 443-604-9093
Ops Contact: Jim Jackson
Alt. Contact: Mike Hansen
Primary Response Area: Eastern Shore

Ground SAR, K9, Technical, Management Support

Dispatch Instructions: Can also be dispatched by ASRC
443-604-9093
443-812-1430
Secondary: Will respond anywhere in MD

TROT SAR Mounted Team

Dispatch #: 1-888-672-7911
Ops Contact: Tomi' Finkle
Alt. Contact: Tim Black
Primary Response Area: Central MD

Mounted SAR, Management Support, Ground

Dispatch Instructions: Pager, will return call
301-412-5249 301-753-6869
410-979-3067
Secondary: Will respond anywhere in MD

Mason-Dixon Rescue Dogs

Dispatch #: 443-977-6653
Ops Contact: Lisa Kakavas
Alt. Contact: Sharon Ballweg
Primary Response Area: Baltimore, Harford,
Howard, Carroll, Cecil

Airscent K9, Management Support

Dispatch Instructions:
443-310-7425
443-243-8207
Secondary: Will respond anywhere in MD

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Susquehanna Search and Rescue Ground SAR, Technical, Management Support
Dispatch #: 443-907-7558 *Dispatch Instructions:*
Ops Contact: Tom Wilson 443-907-2806 410-658-9686
Alt. Contact: Eric VanDyke (Temp.) 443-466-4078 sqfar@aol.com
Primary Response Area: Central/Upper Eastern *Secondary:* Will respond anywhere in MD

Calvert K-9 Search Team, Inc Airscent K-9, Ground SAR, Wilderness EMS
Dispatch # | 410-586-2476 *Dispatch Instructions:*
Ops Contact: Ted Carson 410-586-2476 (H/O) 301-943-9221 (c)
Alt. Contact: Mike Maher 301-751-3134
Primary Response Area: Southern Maryland *Secondary:* Northeast Maryland

Pending Resources

Search and Rescue Dogs of Maryland Dogs (USAR, Airscent, Cadaver, Trailing, Water
Dispatch #: 301-399-7599 *Dispatch Instructions:*
Tim Dingess
Ops Contact: Donald Brooks 240-375-5257 (C) 301-932-4107 (H)
Alt. Contact: Tim Dingess 301-399-7599
Primary Response Area: Southern Maryland *Secondary:*

Bay Area Recovery Canines Cadaver
Dispatch #: 443-994-0505 *Dispatch Instructions:*
Ops Contact: Heather Roche 443-994-0505 410-990-9122
Alt. Contact: Brian Ward, Training Officer 609-847-1751 SearchK9s@rcn.com
Primary Response Area: *Secondary:*

**Unverified Resources
Ground Search Teams**

Maryland Search and Rescue (ASRC) Ground SAR, Communications
Dispatch #: 410-903-2914 Art Ross *Dispatch Instructions:* Enter code 100# followed by call back
434-972-7840 ASRC number
Ops Contact: Pam Paulding 410-336-4958 (C) 410-730-0561 (H)
Alt. Contact: Bill Andrews 410-964-2564 (H) 301-596-1552 (W)
Dispatcher: Art Ross 410-903-2914 (C) 410-740-2913 (H) 301-725-8592 x 2568
Primary Response Area: Carroll, Howard, Anne *Secondary:* Will respond anywhere in MD
Arundel, Montgomery

Potomac Valley Search and Rescue (ASRC) Ground SAR, Management Support, Comms.
Dispatch #: 434-972-7840 *Dispatch Instructions:* Enter code 100# followed by call back
number
Ops Contact: Sam Lee President c) 703-618-5388 samlee84@gmail.com
Alt. Contact: Bruce Eberle, Training c) 631-807-2350 301-854-3142
Bruce_Eberle@msn.com
Primary Response Area: Montg., Fred., P.G. *Secondary:* Will respond anywhere in MD

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Mountain Area Rescue Group (ASRC)

Ground SAR, Wilderness Rescue, Management Support

Dispatch #: 304-329-0579 **Dispatch Instructions:** Dispatched through Preston Co 911 Center or ASRC

Ops Contact: Carl Wartz c) 304-290-2275 h) 304-291-5820

Doug Moore c) 304-288-3615

Alt. Contact: Don Ferguson c) 304-290-9118 h) 304-598-5043

Dan Patterson c) 304-329-1452 h) 304-282-8416

Primary Response Area: West Virginia **Secondary:** Garret/ Allegany Co's

ASRC Teams

434-972-7840 (pager) **Dispatch Instructions:** Enter code 100# followed by call back number

Ops Contact: Steve Weiss c) 703-740-6892 w) 703-416-3316

Alt. Contact: Send a short e-mail or txtmsg to mission@asrc.net. Ideal form would be: "100-<your phone #> DNRP req resources for SAR in <name of co>, MD."

Primary Response Area: **Secondary:**

Canine Search Teams

Shore K-9

Dogs (Airscent, Cadaver, Water)

Dispatch #: 443-521-5577 **Dispatch Instructions:** 302-242-8288

Ops Contact: Lisa Nyland 443-521-5577

Alt. Contact: Ethel Pew 302-824-1028 shorek9@aol.com

Primary Response Area: Eastern Shore **Secondary:** Will respond anywhere in MD

East Coast K-9 Search and Rescue

Dogs (Airscent, Cadaver, Water)

Dispatch #: 302530-8521 Tom Hall **Dispatch Instructions:** Pager 302-822-5959

Ops Contact: Grace Issacs 302-545-2675

Alt. Contact:

Primary Response Area: Eastern Shore **Secondary:**

Other

Search and Rescue Tacking Institute Visual Tracking

Dispatch #: (800) 468-8892 **Dispatch Instructions:** Dispatched through VDEM

Ops Contact: directors@sarti.us

Alt. Contact: sarti@sarti.us

Primary Response Area: Virginia **Secondary:** Maryland

Civil Air Patrol

Ground SAR, Aviation Fixed Wing

Dispatch Instructions: Go direct with Contact

Ops Contact: Maj John Henderson 443-677-1944

Alt. Contact: Maj Tim Strickland 410-960-1337

Primary Response Area: State **Secondary:**

Note: This is not an all-encompassing list of resources for the State of Maryland, nor does this list sanction any volunteer resources.