



Interface Control Document InformaCast® Fusion and E911 Anywhere®

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Introduction

RedSky and Singlewire have partnered together to allow notifications triggered by an emergency call handled by RedSky® E911 Anywhere® or Horizon Mobility® to extend to InformaCast Fusion. This will allow the details of the emergency call, such as Location information, to also be delivered as an InformaCast Fusion notification, which can incorporate a wide array of additional notification targets.

1 InformaCast Fusion Configuration

1.1 Creation of Distribution Lists

Create a Distribution List for each group of recipients that will be targeted with emergency call notifications from E911 Anywhere[®]. Multiple lists can be created if different individuals are responsible for responding to emergency call alerts from different locations.

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1.2 Creation of Message Templates

Create at least one message template to serve as the building block for E911 Anywhere® notifications. Multiple templates can be created if additional "site-specific" recipients such as Device Groups (e.g., IP Phones or IP Speakers) or Outbound Systems (e.g., WebEx or Microsoft Teams spaces) are utilized.

The message template should have the following fields set to *Customizable* to allow E911 Anywhere® to populate those fields, accordingly:

- Distribution Lists
- Subject
- Body

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Notification Assign a notification	Profile Settings (Optio on profile to your message temple	nal) ate—setting delivery, content, and layout prefere	nces—and optionally customize its settings in plac	ce.			v
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911 Call							
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1.3 Creation of Service Account

Create a Service Account that will host the API token needed for E911 Anywhere® to initiate an InformaCast Fusion notification. Admin > Integrations > Service Accounts > Create Service Account.

1. Set *Type* to 'Custom API'.

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ate a service account, which is a way for external programs to r	equest and receive information from Ir	formaCast.	
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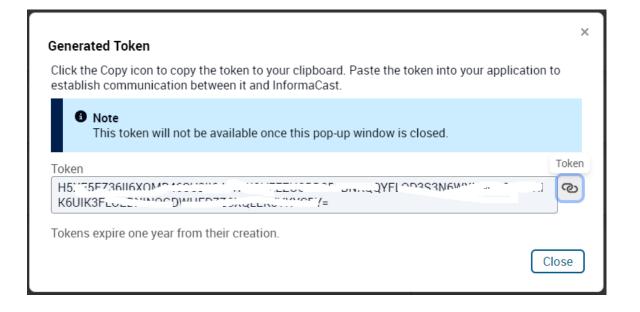
2. After creating the Service Account, click on the *Security* tab, scroll down to the Tokens section and select the (+) icon to add a new token.

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Security Groups - Manually Added Assign this user to security groups.		
+ Assign to Security Group		
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Note No Tokens		
ve the token a descriptive name.		
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Create Token		
Name		
RedSky Integration		

5. Copy and save the generated token in a safe location. This token will need to be provided to your E911 Anywhere® Administrator to complete the E911 Anywhere® side of the configuration.

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1.4 Elevate Application Permissions

1. Click on Common Permissions

Service Accounts Service Account Details: RedSky Integration View/edit a service account's details and tokens.	: Actions
General Notifications Sent Notifications Security	
Security Information	
Security Groups - Manually Added Assign this user to security groups.	
+ Assign to Security Group	
Common Permissions	Toggle Common Permissions Section

 It is recommended to limit access to only the Distribution List(s) and Message Template(s) E911 Anywhere® needs access to. To limit this access, select *View Distribution List Permissions* from within the *Common Permissions* section and place a checkmark into the *View* column of each Distribution List E911 Anywhere® should access:

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- 3. Select *Done* to save your changes.
- 4. Next, select *View Message Template Permissions* from within the *Common Permissions* section. Place a checkmark into the *View* column of each Message Template E911 Anywhere[®] should access:

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- 5. Select *Done* to save your changes.
- 6. Finally, the Application needs permission to send a notification. Navigate down to the *Global Permissions* section and expand the *Notifications* | *Notification History* | *Notifications* object. Place a checkmark next to the *Create* privilege:



7. Select *Done* to save your changes.

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2 E911 Anywhere® Configuration

2.1 Connect E911 Anywhere® to InformaCast

On the E911 Anywhere® Admin portal, expand the *Administration* navigation menu section and select *Organization Management*.

Paste in the token that was created during the InformaCast configuration steps and select *Test & Save.* You should receive a notification that the connection was successful. In the event you receive an error please contact your system administrator.

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•	InformaCast 911 Alerting	0
	*InformaCast Access Token H5XE5FZ36II6XOMB46SU2II6J7MHVJUHLMVRD24	
	SUCCESS! We were able to successfully connect to Informacast! Your InformaCast Access Token has been saved.	

2.2 Configure InformaCast 911 Alert Entities

The *Notification Integrations* page is where an administrator will create InformaCast 911 Alert Entities, which are simply mappings of the Distribution Lists and Templates, created on the InformaCast portal. These entities will be used when defining alert subscriptions in the next step.

The *Notification Integrations* page is found under the *Administration* navigation menu section. To create a new alert entity, select the *Add InformaCast 911 Alert Entity* button. An alert entity consists of three fields:

- InformaCast 911 Alert Entity Name a name for the newly created alert entity. This name will be used when creating alert subscriptions.
- InformaCast Distribution List Select the Distribution List(s) to receive the alert. The Distribution Lists are configured in the InformaCast portal.
- *InformaCast Template* Select which template should be used for the alerts. The templates are configured in the InformaCast portal.

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2.3 Create Alert Subscriptions

The *Alerts* page is where an administrator can subscribe an InformaCast distribution list, belonging to an InformaCast Alert Entity, to notifications for emergency calls across all buildings, or specific buildings. Alert subscriptions can leverage native RedSky® email or SMS alerts, as well as the InformaCast Notifications configured in the previous step.

The *Alerts* page is found under the *Configuration* navigation menu section. To create a new alert subscription, select the *Add Subscription* button. The following information will be required when creating an alert subscription:

- Name An identifier for the new alert subscription.
- *Alert Type* Select which event type should trigger the alert. Valid options include:
 - o Emergency Call Received
 - o ECRC Emergency Call Received (a call with no location)
- *Template* Select from a list of E911 Anywhere[®] templates that correspond to the Alert Type selected.
 - The E911 Anywhere[®] template chosen will be inserted into the InformaCast Template that was configured as part of the alert entity subscriber selected.
- *Time Zone* Used for the time stamp in the alert message.
- *All Buildings* Leave the toggle on to select all buildings by default or slide the toggle off to select individual buildings.

• *Recipients* – From the *InformaCast* tab, select the InformaCast 911 Alert Entity, configured in Step 2.2, that corresponds to the InformaCast Distribution List you would like to notify with this alert, and add it to the *Recipients* list.

The same InformaCast 911 Alert Entity can be used for multiple alert subscriptions.

Add Subscription				CLOSE	
* _{Name} InformaCast Alert Subs	cription				
*Alert Type Emergency Call Receiv	ed			•	
*Template Standard Emergency C	Call Alert Template			•	
*Time Zone Central (UTC-06:00)				•	
*Buildings			All Buildings	•	
All Buildings					
Recipients					
USER	SMS	EMAIL	INFORMACAST		
InformaCast 911 Alert E	InformaCast 911 Alert Entity				
	Recipients				
HQ Alert G	HQ Alert Group				

3 Testing

Once configuration steps are complete within InformaCast Fusion and E911 Anywhere[®], simulate a test call within E911 Anywhere[®] to verify the Emergency Call details are propagated to the designated InformaCast recipients.