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Remote 911 Calls

Even if your cell phone is showing no bars, it's always worth attempting a 911 emergency call in remote areas.

- All carriers are required to provide free 911 service, and another carrier might be able to connect your call even if your carrier has no service in the area.
- An attempted 911 call may leave digital breadcrumbs of time, date, and location information that searchers can access and use, even if your call never connects.
- If you're connected, immediately tell the emergency operator your location and phone number, in case you are disconnected. If you're disconnected and no one calls back, try again.

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