

## MONTANANS FOR CIVIL DEFENSE

In November, a copy of the book *Fighting Chance* with the following letter enclosed was sent to the 19,000 mail addresses in and around Bozeman, Montana.

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In Montana no one questions the wisdom of putting on a coat before going out in a blizzard. All have spare tires and jacks in their cars and many carry emergency supplies. Montanans understand the Boy Scout Motto: **Be Prepared**. We know if we are prepared the worst probably won't happen.

But there is something that few in America are protected from: nuclear war. The surprising truth about Nuclear War is that American scientists learned 20-30 years ago what is necessary to protect people from nuclear blast and radiation. 28% of the world's people are now protected by excellent civil defense systems including the people of Switzerland, Sweden, the Soviet Union and China. In Sweden 55,000 spacious shelters have beds for 65% of the population. In Switzerland 85% of the people have a space in a blast shelter. America has not bothered to protect our own people. **Arthur Robinson, author of the enclosed book, is coming to Bozeman to teach us what we can do to protect ourselves, our families and nation.**

Civil defense is a psychological deterrent that doesn't threaten anyone or harm the environment. In Southern Oregon, grass-roots civil defense groups are working hard to make preparations for their communities. We owe it to our children to learn what we can do to protect them and to insure hope for their future. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

**So put on your coat, Thursday, December 3rd, and come to the meeting at 7:30 PM in Building #4 at the Gallatin County Fairgrounds. You'll find a lot of other practical, down-to-earth, hopeful people, just like yourself, determined to do what they can to secure our future.**

(See you there!)

Montanans For Civil Defense