

Community Emergency Plan (CEP) for Bromsberrow and Bromsberrow Heath



BROMSBERROW PARISH COUNCIL

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1. Aim of the Community Emergency Plan is to increase resilience within the local community before, during and after emergencies, and to link into the Local Authorities and emergency services' emergency response structures. This Plan documents how Bromsberrow Plan would respond in an emergency situation e.g. while awaiting the assistance of statutory authorities/emergency services, or in support of them. **It is not the role of the community to take on the responsibilities of these agencies e.g. to save life, to take any risks to themselves or to cope for long hours without agencies' help and support.**

Objectives

- Identify the risks to the community and relevant response actions
- Identify vulnerable people / groups in the community
- Identify resources in the community available to assist during an emergency
- Provide key contact details for the Community Response Team, Key Community Resources, the Emergency Services and Local Authorities

2. COMMUNITY RESPONSE GROUP (CRG): Names and contact details of persons who will coordinate and be the point of contact with District Council/emergency services.

Name/role	Tel:	Email:	Postal address
Georgina Jones/ Village Hall	01531 650341	Jones_georgina1@sky.com	Redlands, Bromsberrow Heath HR8 1NX
Jo Davidson Co-chair- Manager/Bromsberrow Community Shop	01531 650744 07748 901120	hello@theshopatbromsberrow.co.uk	Unit 3, Bromsberrow Business Park, Bromsberrow Heath, Ledbury HR8 1PG
Laura Hankins/ Head - Primary School	01531 650 340	head@st-marys- bromesberrow.gloucs.sch.uk	Albright Lane, Bromesberrow, Ledbury, Herefordshire HR8 1RT
John Stephens/ Parish Councillor	07908 642522	wilfstephens@gmail.com	The Willows, Woodend Street, Bromsberrow Heath HR8 1NY

3. ACTIVATION OF THE PLAN: This plan will be activated when an emergency has occurred or if warnings are received, prior to an anticipated event. It will also be activated when emergency services need support or are not able to attend immediately e.g. in severe weather. If this is the case, the CRG in 2 above will assess the situation, and consult with the **District Emergency Planning Liaison Officer (DEPLO)** at Forest of Dean District Council on **01594 812524** or (out of hours) **01594 810000**. The Community Response Group will then put all or part of the Plan into effect as appropriate.

4. POSSIBLE EMERGENCIES AND RISK ASSESSMENT: Risk assessment of the types of emergencies that would have an impact on our community and how local emergency planning could help.

Type of emergency	Potential risks	Actions to address those risks
Traffic accident at key junction A417 /M50	Travellers in the queues behind are stuck for some hours	Identify alternative routes, including ones appropriate for HGVs, and inform police Open up Place of Safety (Village Hall and Community Shop) for tea, coffee, toilets
Sustained Power Failure	Loss of Home heating and Cooking	Contact National Grid, District Council. Check on Vulnerable People.
Sustained Water Failure	Lack of Water for vulnerable people/Blocked toilets	Contact Severn Trent - Alternative water supply. Check Vulnerable people.
Flooding	Homes Flooding People trapped. Traffic stranded on M50 and A417.	Check on vulnerable people. Open up Place of Safety (Village Hall and Community Shop) for tea, coffee toilets. Contact landowners for possible escape routes using their private roads.
Major Incident Chemical Spillage Fire Adverse Weather conditions	Harm to vulnerable people. Dangerous Liquid on top of road accident risks. Fallen Trees	Check on Vulnerable people. Open place of safety (Village Hall, Community Shop.) Provide first aid facilities. Gloucester Highways
Escaped Livestock	Accident potential to vehicles, cyclists and pedestrians	Contact District Council, Gloucester Highways and Police Contact Livestock owner if know
Health Epidemic	Parishioners particularly residents living on their own.	Contact NHS 111 service Check vulnerable people

5. COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS: People who have indicated they may be prepared to carry out if an emergency occurs and what resources they can offer. This list is not for general distribution.

Name	Contact	Offer of help/ resources

Notice: If you would like to be a volunteer contact one of the CRG members on page 1

6. EMERGENCY RESOURCES:

Emergency Resource Location (address)	Telephone No.
Parish Defibrillator Located at Old Phone Box, The Cross, Bromsberrow Heath	Ring 999 for code
Defibrillator Village School in Car Park	

7. LOCAL PLACE OF SAFETY: District councils are responsible for setting up a Rest Centre during an emergency. However, it may be necessary to set up a temporary place of safety within the community e.g. for visitors or for people evacuated from their homes. The Community Response Group will contact the keyholder/other volunteers as necessary.

Place of Safety (address)	Contact Name(s)	Telephone No.
Village Hall	Georgina Jones	01531 650341
Community Shop	Shop Manager	01531 650744
Bromsberrow St Marys C of E School	head@st-marys-bromesberrow.gloucs.sch.uk	01531 650991
St Mary's Church, Bromsberrow		

8. COMMUNICATION AND CONTACTS: Details of statutory authorities, emergency services.

Organisation	Tel:	Website/email address
Emergency Services	999	
Police (non emergency)	101	
Forest of Dean District Council	01594 810000	www.fdean.gov.uk
Gloucestershire County Council	01452 425000	www.gloucestershire.gov.uk
Gloucestershire Highways	08000 514 514	http://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/transport
NHS Direct	NHS 111	https://www.nhs.uk
Environment Agency		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Enquiries • Floodline 	03708 506 506 0345 988 1188	www.environment-agency.gov.uk
Severn Trent Water	0800 783 4444	www.stwater.co.uk/
Western Power Distribution (Power cuts)	0800 6783 105	www.westernpower.co.uk
Animal Rescue / Shelter	01242 523521	https://gawa.org.uk/
RSPCA Gloucester branch	01453 890014	https://www.rspca.org.uk/
Tree Surgeon / Fallen Trees Gloucestershire Highways	0800 514 514	https://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/highways
Flood Line	0845 988 1188	https://flood-warning-information.service.gov.uk/warnings
Staunton Health Centre	01452 840228	https://www.stauntonsurgery.co.uk/
1st Responder		
Door Knocking in Emergency	Volunteers	
Bromsberrow Parish Clerk -		https://bromsberrowpc.co.uk/ - bbpc@live.co.uk

9. PLAN REVIEW AND UPDATE: In order to keep this plan up to date, contact lists will be revised as needed, and the plan reviewed annually and post event evaluation by Emergency Plan Working Group of Bromsberrow Parish Council

Next review date: December 2023.

