

Swinderby Parish Council's Community Emergency and Flood Plan

Lincolnshire's Joint Emergency Management Service is responsible for co-ordinating the response serious to emergencies that may occur in our communities; examples of these include flu pandemics, aeroplane or major road crashes and serious flood events.

In an emergency the Emergency Services should be contacted on 999. However, the community can do much to help itself and support these services. This is because the community has knowledge of its resources and skills which could be deployed if the need arises. Many communities already help each other in times of need but experience shows that those who are prepared cope better with an emergency. Communities with local knowledge, enthusiasm and information are well placed to provide constructive and helpful support to all those involved.

The purpose of our Community Emergency Plan is to capture this local information and with the help of volunteers living in the Parish act to support our emergency services (Joint Emergency Management Service).

This Community Emergency Plan is designed to provide:

1. Co-ordination within the village and with the emergency services.
2. A list of volunteers to support the village response.
3. Short term safe refuge for people.
4. Long term support where necessary.
5. Vulnerable people in the community with support.
6. A list of useful contacts to ensure all members of the community can access the support they need.

This Local team is not intended to replace the response that would normally be provided by the emergency services and the local authority. (Lincolnshire's Joint Emergency Management Service).

Local Team - in the first instance contact a member of the team.

Local Team:

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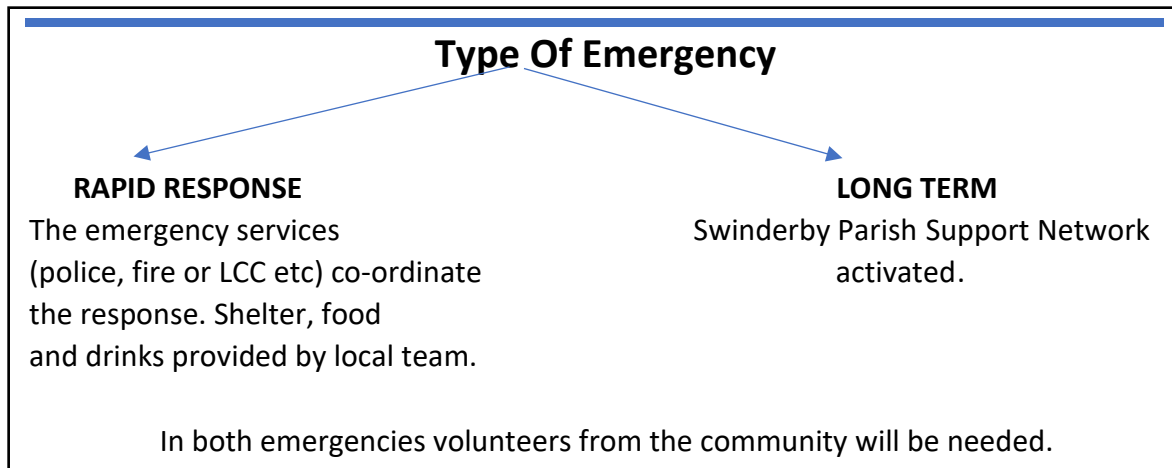
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If you wish to register as a volunteer, please contact a member of the Local Team.

If you are unable to contact any of the above, then contact a member of the Parish Council details in the Link Up.

Categorising the Emergency



Emergencies fall into two categories, requiring different responses: **rapid response** e.g. a flash flood or major accident on the A46 or **long term** e.g. a pandemic or adverse weather conditions.

Local resources for Rapid Response Emergency

- If you are involved in an emergency which does not require medical intervention and are able to do so, please phone a member of the Local Team and make your way to the village hall.
- **Swinderby Village Hall** can provide warm shelter in an emergency. It has the facilities to provide hot drinks and food. Volunteers will be co-ordinated by the emergency services.
- If you are a member of the emergency services and require shelter for those involved in a major incident, please contact a member of the Local Team.
- In the event of the village hall being unavailable or full the **Plough Public House** can offer warm shelter. Another alternative venue is **All Saints Church** with heating and a kitchen.

Local resources for Long Term Emergency

Swinderby Parish Support Network

- In the event of a long-term emergency, as experience with COVID, a support network will be created in the Parish.
- The Link Up and social media will be used to advertise support available.
- Volunteers will be needed for the duration of the emergency.

Access to a Defibrillator

If you need to use the defibrillator you must phone 999 and remain with the victim and administer CPR. Send a volunteer to collect the defibrillator from the village hall, post code LN6 9LT. When you or the volunteer phone 999 you will be given a code to open the defibrillator box. Remember the internet has numerous articles on how to administer CPR.

Localised Flooding

The Parish Council has been issued with a number of sandbags. If they are required, please contact a member of the Local Team.

