# **Department/Station Business Continuity Plan Template**

Department/Station:	Tisbury Fire Station
Plan Owned by:	Service Delivery
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# **Activities Review**

The nominated manager must complete an 'Activities Review' to identify the activities within the Department/Station. These activities will be risk assessed, against our Business Continuity element of the Service's Risk Matrix, taking only the impact assessment into account, see guidance below:

without this function	<b>Moderate</b> Function can be suspended for over 7 days.	There can be some	<b>Major</b> There can be a delay of a maximum of 24 hours.	<b>Catastrophic</b> The Service can not fail – full availability must be maintained.
The short term partial failure of a <u>department</u> to deliver non critical function.	The short term failure of a <u>department</u> to deliver non critical function.	department to deliver a	Partial delay of the <u>Service</u> to deliver a critical function (up to 24 hours) requiring the introduction business continuity arrangements.	The failure of the <u>Service</u> to deliver an emergency response requiring the introduction of full business continuity arrangements.

List the activities within Department or Station	Impact Score (1-5)	
Operational Response to Emergency calls (RDS)		
Operational Response to Co Responder Calls	4	
RDS Drill nights	2	
RDS administration		
Community Engagement and Risk Work	1	

	Catastrophic & Major Impact Activities					
	How long can the Service tolerate disruption of this Catastrophic/Major Impact Activity (Place an X in the relevant box)					
	List the Catastrophic and Major Activities from above : Up to>			4Hrs	8Hrs	>24Hrs
1	Operational Response to Emergency calls	Х				
2	Operational Response to Co Responder Calls					Х

	Serious Impact Activities			
	How long can the Service tolerate disruption of this Serious Impact Activity			
	(Place an X in the relevant box)			
	List the Serious Impact Activities from above : Up to>		>7days	
1	RDS Drill nights		Х	
2	RDS administration		Х	

Moderate Impact Activities	
How long can the Service tolerate disruption of this Moderate Impact Activity	
(Place an X in the relevant box)	
List the Moderate Impact Activities from above : Up to>	+7 Days
1 Community Engagement and Risk Work	Х

# **Recovery Plan**

The planned actions within the recovery plan support the continuation of catastrophic activities and the re-establishment of major, serious and moderate activities for the Department/Station within an identified time frame and the measures required to be in place to manage the recovery of these activities.

#### Prior to the Event (where warning has been received)

	Activity	Recovery Measures	Role Responsible
1	Inform Control room	Contact Control to inform them of the potential for a disruption to business,	Any member of the station team
	manager	plan for event using the remainder of this plan as guidance.	
			LBCM will not have been nominated
	Contact relocation	Consider the requirement for relocation – if needed advise relocation site as	at this stage in the plan
	site.	to possible duration of relocation and resources that are relocating.	
2	Contact SWASFT	Advise SWASFT of disruption of service	DM

#### First Hour

	Activity	Recovery Measures	Role Responsible
1	Invoke Business Continuity	Contact Control to advise of an event causing disruption to the use of the Station	Any member of the Station Team
2	Identify the Lead Business Continuity Manager	Control to contact Duty Area Manager, to confirm situation and for confirmation of the invocation of the BC.	Control to advise
		If confirmed, follow business continuity procedure, advising the Duty Area Manager that they become the Lead Business Continuity Manager. (LBCM)	Control
3	Establish Incident Response team (IRT)	LBCM to select an IRT to support the LBCM in attending to the BC event. See Service's Business Continuity Procedure for full requirement, roles and responsibilities. An IRT Lead to be appointed, local Group Manager preferred.	LBCM
		The IRT team should include members of the Area Management Team where possible and a representative of Response/Resilience where possible to manage the National Resilience asset.	

4	Tenability of operation at current	Consider if the station/appliances need to remain on the run.	IRT Lead
	location	Control to advise the IRT Lead of the current situation of the Service and pump availability. Where possible, Control should review how stable this situation is.	Control
		If Station not required to remain on the run actions should still be taken, where needed to preserve buildings and equipment. (see remainder of plan)	IRT Team
		If Station is required on the run, consider what appliances are required (pumps, Nat Resilience, etc.). Commence relocation – see direction below.	
5	Affected Personnel	<ul> <li>Identify staff on duty and whereabouts, communicate with affected staff.</li> <li>Hold a Station Meeting to: <ul> <li>Advise of the current situation</li> <li>Advise where appropriate if relocation is required, and/or if the station will be closed</li> <li>Ensure RDS section is aware of the situation and impacts upon their response, confirm that Gartan can only be updated externally at present</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	IRT
6	Relocation of operational staff and appliances	When relocation required contact:- Relocation Site – Wiltshire Council – Nadder Centre, Weaveland Road, Salisbury, SP3 6HJ Contact – Debbie Stevens (Duty Officer) Tel. 01747 871141 Matthew Mullins (Duty Supervisor) Tel. 01747 871141 Caroline Stopps (Duty Supervisor) Tel. 01747 871141 Centre Manager Tel. 07740 682918	IRT

7	Contact SWASFT	<ul> <li>IRT Lead to advise Control</li> <li>Make arrangements for the movement of appliances</li> <li>Advise relevant staff (those on call and those off where possible) – Telephone/text message system</li> <li>Consider requirements to re locate complete appliance crews or skeleton staff</li> <li>Send a Station Manager to manage move into the new site/s Consider transport arrangements for equipment, inc PPE</li> <li>Advise SWASFT of disruption of service</li> </ul>	DM
8	Salvage of Key	Consider, where appropriate, the salvage of equipment. Where is it to go	IRT
0	equipment	(relocation site/other Service storage area), how it will be moved and by who.	
9	Consider what equipment required	<ul> <li>Essential Equipment to be moved to the relocation site. Essential equipment list provided by Station Manager if applicable. List available to view on the wall in the Watch Room.</li> <li>Also consider:</li> <li>Operational equipment incl.</li> <li>BA cylinders</li> <li>Non mobile equipment</li> <li>Supporting equipment incl.</li> <li>Stationery</li> <li>Contact numbers for station personnel</li> </ul>	IRT
10	Personal Items	Where possible, crews to be advised to review what personal items they would need to take to the relocation site and collect items prior to leaving station.	IRT
11	Communicate event to neighbouring Station/Officers	Consider requirements for awareness of the remainder of the Service, taking into account the impact on other local stations.	IRT Lead
		Ensure that all flexi duty managers are aware of the situation.	Control
		Email all staff to advise of the situation.	IRT
		Consider advising neighbouring Services	IRT Lead/LBCM

12	Isolate Services	Where appropriate isolate all Services in to the Station.	IRT
		Consider also Door locks (8 Hours max battery back up). Contact logistics for advice.	IRT
13	Relocation testing	Arrange for a test of the response of staff to the relocation site where possible. Alert and time the response. Ensure that control is aware if the timeframe for response is delayed. Ensure that all staff can respond appropriately.	IRT/Control
14	Decisions and Issues	Set up a folder to use during the management of the event and ensure appropriate access.	IRT Member
		Set up an issues and decisions log using the templates provided within the BC arrangements. Ensure that all issues and decisions are logged and reviewed on-going through the event.	IRT
		Admin member of IRT to be assigned to support IRT Lead.	IRT

#### 4-8 Hours

	Activity	Recovery Measures	Role Responsible
1	Media	Consider media attention and the requirement of public advice on the situation.	IRT Lead
		Ensure that there is a suitable member of the IRT team with Media experience. Provide media with relevant information suitable for the situation. Agree final format with the IRT Lead/LBCM	Media member of IRT
2	Welfare of personnel	Consider the welfare of those who have relocated and/or those moving equipment and dealing with the situation. Make arrangement for food and drink to be supplied on a regular basis until the situation has been resolved. Consider transport home or sleeping arrangements. Consider all staff at relocation site, and liaise with them to ensure their needs are met.	IRT

3	Communicate with the rest of the Service	Contact and make arrangements for personnel changing shift and detachments.	IRT
		Ensure that off duty Station Personnel are fully aware of the situation. Provide an all staff update.	IRT Media
4	Review requirement of equipment, vehicles and	Consider other equipment requirements on station/including vehicles and appliances.	IRT
	appliances.	Consider movement and storage for duration of the event. Consider transport arrangements for equipment and staff.	
5	Premises security	Review arrangements to ensure that the Station is secure.	IRT
		Review security arrangement of the relocation site ensuring that any appliances, kit and personnel are secure.	
6	Update affected staff	Provide on-going updates to affected personnel.	IRT Media
7	Supplies to station	Consider expected internal deliveries, redirect or delay.	IRT
		Consider any external deliveries, redirect or delay.	
8	Use of Station from non-Service agencies.If the Station is used by external agencies/partners review any diarised arrangements. Contact, advise of the situation and cancel until further notice.		IRT
9	Review status of eventReview current situation Review availability of the remainder of the Service. Review arrangements at relocation (where required). Speak to affected staff and ensure their welfare and address any issues confirm actions or plan alternative.		IRT Lead
10	Area Management	Consider availability of personnel and arrangements for Gartan reviews Laptop availability	
11	Gartan Availability	Consider arrangements for Gartan updates and reviews.	IRT

		Arrange for ICT to review Wi-Fi options and where possible arrange for a Laptop to be made available at relocation where required. Provide staff update that this function is now available. Ensure that password access to the laptop is available.	
12	Partners and other Agencies	Consider our partners and other agencies and who should be advised of the situation.	IRT Lead

#### 24 Hours

	Activity	Recovery Measures	Role Responsible
1	Sustainability of relocation (where appropriate)	Consider the venue. Review the time frame of the situation. If it is possible that this will continue for a couple more days, continue with arrangements.	IRT
		If the Station is likely to be unavailable longer term meet with the LBCM to look at the options available.	
2	Review Station Premises	Ensure that an update on the status of the site is received, visit site where appropriate	IRT
3	Relocation site management.	Keep relocation site management updated of the situation and ensure that they are okay with the current arrangements.	IRT
4	Visit relocation site	Ensure that all information, equipment and appliances are secure and all facilities are up and running.	IRT Lead
5	All Staff Communication	Ensure that effected Station staff are spoken to and kept up to date with the situation. Arrange for all effected staff to meet to discuss the on-going situation, needs, concerns, etc.	IRT Lead/LBCM
		Send an all staff communication to ensure understanding of the situation.	IRT Media
		Ensure all flexi-officers are aware of the on-going issue.	IRT Lead
		Ensure Control have a full update.	IRT
6	Post to station.	Consider how this will be received.	IRT

7	Media	Consider media attention and local communities, and provide a response where required, approved appropriately via the LBCM	IRT Media
8	Station Notices	If the Station is not useable, ensure that appropriate signage is displayed with a contact number for queries. Ensure that the number provided is manned and staff aware of the brief to supply.	IRT
9	Community Activities and Risk Work	Consider continuation of activities, where this is not possible; ensure that relevant companies/organisations are contacted.	IRT

#### 48 Hours

	Activity	Recovery Measures	Role Responsible
1	Longer term arrangements for relocation.Review long term fall back plans (long term relocation site to be considered) A Service Recovery team (SRT) should be considered to manage longer term arrangements.Use business continuity procedure to confirm SRT requirements, resourcing and roles		IRT Lead/LBCM
2	Restoration of Station	Estates to meet with the LBCM, relevant IRT Members and SRT Lead to review the situation, repairs, timeframe, etc.	SRT Lead/IRT Lead
3	Communication	Arrange regular meetings with effected personnel.	IRT Lead
		Ensure continued communication with all staff. Ensure a relationship with the media is maintained.	IRT Media IRT Media

#### +7 days

	Activity	Recovery Measures	Role Responsible
1	Relocation Site	Review the on-going use of the relocation site. Is it feasible to stay at site,	SRT Lead (or IRT where SRT not
		consider alternative location with DWFRS and partner Agencies.	called)/LBCM SLT

# Service Impact Analysis

Resources				
Prior to event				
First Hour	Business continuity arrangements A minimum of; LBCM IRT Lead IRT Admin IRT Control			
4-8 Hours	IRT Media IRT Estates IRT ICT Review membership of IRT extend where required			
24 Hours	Same			
48 Hours	Same			
3-7 Days	Same			
+ 7 Days	Same Plus, consider SRT Team			

	Vehicles & Equipment				
Prior to event					
First Hour	Vehicles for moving equipment and personnel (where available stores van)				

	Consider mini bus or 2 x cars
4-8 Hours	Same
24 Hours	Same
48 Hours	Same
3-7 Days	Same
+ 7 Days	Same

	ICT				
Prior to event					
First Hour	Radio Communication and Mobile Phone for crews				
	ICT access, laptops and mobile phones for those managing the event.				
4-8 Hours	As above				
24 Hours	As above				
48 Hours	Full ICT Requirements				
3-7 Days	As above				
+ 7 Days	As Above				

#### **Relocation Site**

Relocation site details and options for the Department/Station

Site Name	Address/Location	Contact Name	Telephone No	Additional Information
Nadder Centre (Wilts Council)	Weaveland Road, Tisbury, SP3 6HJ.	Debbie Stevens (Duty Officer)	Tel. 01747 871141	
		Matthew Mullins (Duty Supervisor)	Tel. 01747 871141	
		Centre Manager	Tel. 07740 682918	

## **Additional Information**

**Stakeholders:** Identify the stakeholders likely to be affected by this plan.

Stake holders	Employees	Community	Suppliers	Partners	The Media	The Government
Place X in box	X	X	X	X	X	X

Elected Members	Users of Services	Neighbouring FRS's
X	Х	x

#### Vital Records

List any vital records that are not computerised and not held on a centrally backed up servicer.

Record	Location	Format
None		