

Community Resilience Report September 2020

Emergency Plan Summary Booklet

The booklet has been amended to take account of Councillors feedback.

A final version document was circulated to Councillors prior to submission of an application for funding to cover print and circulation costs from the Devon Emergency Resilience Fund.

It is now likely that, if funding is provided, the booklet will be inserted in the pre Christmas Parish Magazine.

The Devon Communities Together team gave very favourable feedback regarding the booklet, and seem likely to promote it as a template for other communities to adapt and adopt.

Community Response Team

Hi Viz suits and head torches have now been provided for 8 CRT volunteers - 6 in East Budleigh and 2 in Yettington.

It is obviously challenging to fully develop the team at present, but each member has an advance draft copy of the summary booklet to give them a decent understanding of what their role entails.

The Emergency Plan

I continue to convert our draft Flood Plan into a broader scope Emergency Plan.

My current focus is on means and clarity of communication prior to, during, and after any emergency event.

COVID 19

With our Clerk's assistance I intend to carry out a full review of our volunteers list, and update our data to ensure compliance, and refresh individuals' information we hold to reflect current availability and willingness to help.

New volunteer guidance will be provided as part of this exercise.