



# Community Response Plan

For:

**Onemana**

**NEVER HAPPENS?**

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The community looking after the community in an emergency

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**When a natural disaster hits, the community may need to take care of itself for up to three days before help can arrive.**

**This Community Response Plan has been developed to ensure there are measures in place to help the community look after itself.**

## **THE PURPOSES OF A COMMUNITY RESPONSE PLAN**

- Help you to understand the hazards that exist in the community
- Let you know what level of risk these hazards pose to your community
- Help you to know what you can do to prepare yourself, and those who depend on you, to survive through an emergency
- Ensure you know the warning signals to evacuate, and where to evacuate to
- Help the community to put their response plan into action without any immediate help from emergency services or civil defence.

## **SIGN OFF OF THE COMMUNITY RESPONSE PLAN**

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## PLAN OVERVIEW

<b>Plan owner(s)</b>	Onemana Community Response Group
<b>Plan updates</b>	As Above
<b>Plan boundary</b>	Township including Peninsula Road (Whitipirorua Road)
<b>Ideal state</b>	<b>Within 72 hours our community wants to identify:</b>
	Who & what in our community needs support
	Ensure all have basic needs met - Food , Water, Shelter and Sanitation
	Identify all power outages
	Public Messaging and communication is running smoothly
	All medical needs attended to
	All security needs attended to
	Continued communication with outside communications team
Outside help into area ASAP	

## HAZARDS

<b>Hazard 1</b>	Flood from river
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	Low lying

<b>Hazard 2</b>	Damaging wind
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

<b>Hazard 3</b>	Sea Inundation (Tide or Tsunami)
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

<b>Hazard 4</b>	Road blocked or cut off - Isolation
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

<b>Hazard 5</b>	Earthquake
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

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<b>Hazard 6</b>	Volcanic Eruptions
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

<b>Hazard 7</b>	Electrical wires
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

<b>Hazard 8</b>	Bush Fire
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

<b>Hazard 9</b>	Pandemic
<b>Areas most vulnerable</b>	All

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## Key maps

# Onemana Tsunami Evacuation

## Where will you go?

### SAFE ZONE

#### Safe Zone

The white shaded areas are 20 or more metres above sea level and are the safe evacuation zones.

Walk to the white hatched areas when you feel the natural warning signs or are officially instructed to evacuate.

## Do not rely on the tsunami siren as your only form of warning.

- Evacuate immediately. Waves can arrive in minutes or take over an hour.
- Take a go bag with enough supplies in case you can't get home for seven days.



### Local source tsunami

If you are on the coast and experience any of the following natural warning signs:

- Feel an earthquake that lasts longer than a minute or is strong enough to knock you off your feet
- See a sudden rise or fall in sea level or hear loud and unusual sounds from the sea
- Move immediately to the nearest high ground or move inland as far as you can

### Tsunami siren

Single tone sounds continuously for 10 minutes

If you are in a coastal area prepare to evacuate immediately. Check radio updates and Red Cross Hazard app alerts. If you're told to evacuate, go as far up and inland as you can. Keep listening to your local radio station for updates until you are advised to return.

**If it's long, strong, be gone**

### Distant source tsunami

These are made by very strong earthquakes on the other side of the ocean. You will know they are coming because Civil Defence will send public messages out telling you what you need to do, so there's no need to panic.

**If it's far away, you've got all day**

For more detailed information see [www.waikatoregion.govt.nz/tsunamistrategy](http://www.waikatoregion.govt.nz/tsunamistrategy)

## ALERTS AND WARNING SIGNALS

Local source tsunami (Kerepehi Fault)	
Warning signs <b>Potentially 15 minutes or less notice of arrival</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Violent Earthquake that may knock you from your feet</li> <li>• Rolling vibrating earthquake that lasts more than a minute</li> <li>• Sudden or unusual changes in the tide</li> <li>• Loud roaring noises like a jet engine from out at sea</li> </ul> <p><b>Tsunami Siren</b> – Single tone sounds continuously for 10 minutes. <i>Siren might be activated in time to signal warning.</i>  <b>DO NOT WAIT FOR OFFICIAL WARNING – HEAD TO HIGHER GROUND IMMEDIATELY</b></p>
Actions to take	If you are in a coastal area evacuate immediately and go as far up and as far inland as you can and wait until you are advised it is safe to return. (Above 20-meter contour line advised)

Regional and distant source tsunami (Tonga – Kermadec Trench)	
Warning signs <b>Potentially 1 – 3 hours' notice of arrival</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Violent Earthquake that may knock you from your feet</li> <li>• Rolling vibrating earthquake that lasts several minutes</li> <li>• Sudden or unusual changes in the tide</li> <li>• Loud roaring noises like a jet engine from out at sea</li> <li>• Media notification (Television and Radio)</li> <li>• Red Cross Alerting App and other social media warnings</li> </ul> <p><b>Tsunami Siren</b> – Single tone sounds continuously for 10 minutes. <i>Siren might be activated in time to signal warning.</i>  <b>DO NOT WAIT FOR OFFICIAL WARNING – HEAD TO HIGHER GROUND IMMEDIATELY</b></p>
Actions to take	If you are in a coastal area evacuate if you are advised to do so and go as far up and as far inland as you can and wait until you are advised it is safe to return. (Above 20-meter contour line advised)

River and stream flood events	
Warning signs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sudden and intense rainfall</li> <li>• Prolonged rainfall</li> <li>• River rising quickly</li> <li>• King tides</li> <li>• Emergency Mobile Alert</li> <li>• Red Cross Hazards APP</li> </ul>
Actions to take	Follow any instructions given by the emergency services or local Council / Civil Defence Sandbag your property prior to weather event if it is in a known flood zone Move stock to higher ground Prepare to leave your home should you have to

Storm and other weather events	
Warning signs	<p>Weather warning through media and MetService</p> <p>Intense rainfall</p> <p>Strong damaging winds</p> <p>Strong ocean surges/ large waves</p> <p>King tides</p> <p>Emergency Mobile Alert</p> <p>Red Cross Hazards APP</p>
Actions to take	<p>Follow any instructions given by the emergency services or local Council / Civil Defence</p> <p>Stay inside and bring pets inside</p> <p>Charge all devices while you still have power</p> <p>Sandbag your property prior to weather event if it is in a known flood zone</p> <p>Secure anything that could cause damage in strong winds (outdoor furniture)</p> <p>Move stock to higher ground</p> <p>Prepare to leave your home should you have to – have a plan</p>

Other emergency incidents (e.g. rural fire or hazardous spill or electrical wires)	
Warning signs	<p>Media notifications and natural warning signs – (smoke, strange smells, live wires)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Mobile Alert</li> <li>• Red Cross Hazards APP</li> </ul>
Actions to take	<p>Follow any instructions given by the emergency services or local Council / Civil Defence</p> <p>Waikato Regional Council, Thames-Coromandel District Council News releases, emergency e-mail, text, twitter and Facebook alerts and the <b>Red Cross Hazards App</b></p> <p>Television and Radio media</p>

Pandemic	
Warning signs	<p>Media and natural warning signs – serious infectious viruses circulating. Large portion of population sick</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Mobile Alert</li> <li>• Red Cross Hazards APP</li> </ul>
Actions to take	<p>National Crisis Management Centre, Ministry of Health, TV and Radio Emergency Mobile Alert (EMA) and <b>Red Cross Hazards App</b></p> <p>Follow any instructions given by the emergency services or local Council / Civil Defence</p> <p>Stay at home and ensure you have adequate supplies and medication / first aid</p> <p>Apply strict hygiene routine</p>

Earthquake	
Warning signs	Violent earthquake makes it hard to stand Vibrating earthquake that last for more than one minute
Actions to take	Drop Cover Hold Move to safe area once shaking stops Consider evacuating if in a low-lying coastal area as tsunami might arrive soon Follow any instructions given by the emergency services or local Council / Civil Defence

Volcanic Eruption	
Warning signs	Volcanic unrest / eruption Volcanic ash fall <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Mobile Alert</li> <li>• Red Cross Hazards APP</li> </ul>
Actions to take	Stay inside your house and secure doors and windows to keep ash from entering the house Ensure adequate supplies at home to stay at home for at least 3 days Water supplies could be affected – ensure water is stored and safe to drink Follow any instructions given by the emergency services or local Council / Civil Defence

#### ALERTING PLATFORMS

Alerting platforms	
Websites	<a href="http://www.tcdc.govt.nz">www.tcdc.govt.nz</a> <a href="http://www.waikatoregion.govt.nz">www.waikatoregion.govt.nz</a> <a href="http://www.metservice.com">http://www.metservice.com</a> <a href="http://waikatoregioncdemg.govt.nz/">http://waikatoregioncdemg.govt.nz/</a> <a href="https://www.civildefence.govt.nz/">https://www.civildefence.govt.nz/</a> <a href="https://getready.govt.nz">https://getready.govt.nz</a> <a href="https://www.nzta.govt.nz/">https://www.nzta.govt.nz/</a> <a href="https://www.geonet.org.nz/">https://www.geonet.org.nz/</a> <a href="https://www.powerco.co.nz/">https://www.powerco.co.nz/</a>
Social media channels	<a href="http://www.facebook.com/waikatocivildefence">www.facebook.com/waikatocivildefence</a> <a href="http://www.facebook.com/thamescoromandeldistrictcouncil">www.facebook.com/thamescoromandeldistrictcouncil</a> <a href="http://www.twitter.com/civildefenceWKT">www.twitter.com/civildefenceWKT</a> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/NZCivilDefence/">https://www.facebook.com/NZCivilDefence/</a> <a href="https://twitter.com/NZcivildefence">https://twitter.com/NZcivildefence</a>
Email alerts	TCDC news releases and emails Sign up for TCDC alerts <a href="http://www.tcdc.govt.nz/Your-Council/News-and-Media/Subscribe-to-our-TCDC-E-Newsletters/">http://www.tcdc.govt.nz/Your-Council/News-and-Media/Subscribe-to-our-TCDC-E-Newsletters/</a>
Text & Mobile Alerts	TCDC Text alerts, National Mobile Alerts (EMA) , RED CROSS HAZARDS APP <a href="http://www.tcdc.govt.nz/Your-Council/News-and-Media/Subscribe-to-our-TCDC-E-Newsletters/">http://www.tcdc.govt.nz/Your-Council/News-and-Media/Subscribe-to-our-TCDC-E-Newsletters/</a>

## ASSEMBLY POINTS

Main assembly centre is Onemana Fire Station

- Up Onemana Drive
- Up Bambury Place
- Up Tuna Place
- Up Russel Bruce Place

## POSSIBLE COMMUNITY LED CENTRES

Building 1	
Name of building	Onemana Cafe
Locations	Cnr Onemana Drive and Bambury
Contact name	Indie
Phone	022 373 8534
Facility Description	Café and Dairy, kitchen and toilets

Building 2	
Name of building	Onemana Fire Station
Locations	Entrance to Onemana Village
Contact name	Jo Adams / Erica Seddon
Phone	021 028 28580
Facility Description	Rural Fire Station

Building 3	
Name of building	Onemana Pool Complex
Locations	Onemana Drive
Contact name	Ruhi / Sandra
Phone	027 294 1452
Facility Description	Toilets, meeting room, pool, spas

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## RESOURCES AVAILABLE

Resources	
What	Where
Medical assistance Doctor Erik McClain Nurses: Debbie Neill Annabelle Couldwell First Aid: Kim Mashlan Suzanne & Rex Latto	027 9343 287 106 Oratia Place  027 4495611 027 2803820  0277066146 0276147049
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diesel Generator</li> <li>• LMR</li> <li>• VHF</li> <li>• 5 x Handheld radios</li> <li>• Land Line phone</li> <li>• Food Tea/ Coffee</li> <li>• BBQ</li> <li>• 1 Fire Truck 4x4 (4 ton)</li> </ul>	Fire Station
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Water tanks</li> <li>• Defibrillator</li> <li>• Food</li> <li>• Generator/ Inverters</li> <li>• Walkie Talkies</li> <li>• Blankets</li> </ul>	105 Titiro Place; 102 Russell Bruce Place; 130 Oratia; 336 Onemana Drive Onemana Cafe & Dairy  Household supplies 105 Titiro Place; 215 Russell Bruce Place.  ORCA - Distributed Household supplies

## ALTERNATE COMMUNICATION

Communication details	
Method	Contact details
PA Fire truck	Jo Adams
Door knocks	John Freer
Walkie Talkie	John Freer
Notice Board – Public Toilets	Sandra Carley

## RADIO STATION

Radio station details		
Station	Contact number	Frequency
Coromandel More FM	0800 6673 36 (0800 MORE FM)	97.2
CFM	021 351 922 – John Grant	95

Radio NZ National	(04) 474 1999	
Newstalk ZB	0800 801080	

## VULNERABLE GROUPS

Group	How we can help group prepare
Elderly / Sick or Disabled	Ronnie Jones ? Phone ? Address ? Mrs Metcalfe ? Phone? Address? Robin - 106 Oratia Place
Transient passing through on road	Freedom Camping area

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## CALL OUT PROCEDURE

These are instructions for members of the Community Response Group and Emergency Services for initiating their pre-planned roles

<b>Arrange to meet at</b>	Fire station or Top of Onemana Drive Top Car Park
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- Liaise to determine what actions should be taken
- Consider who will be affected and where
- Activate community warning systems (e.g. phone tree, sirens, notice boards etc)
- Consider the location of a control point/centre
- Consider the establishment of a Community Response Centre
- Notify the emergency operations centre (EOC) of what actions have been taken - 07 868 0200

	With Communications	Without Communications or ES
<b>Call out procedure</b>	Onemana Fire Station OR Top of Onemana Drive carpark	Onemana Fire Station OR Top of Onemana Drive carpark
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	Follow instructions from ES or CD	Activate Group – Consider H&S and follow plan/ instructions
	↓	↓
	Note actions taken	Note actions taken

## SIGN OFF PROCEDURE

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Plan Champion	John Freer
Local official	

## Emergency Services Notification and Advisory List

RFFC – Onemana  
Jo Adams  
0274 493 034



### Alternative contact Phone Fire Crew Onemana

1. Alan / Linda Mitchell 07 865 6550 / 021 075 0104
2. Erica Seddon 021 028 28580

OPEN Station – Drive affected parts (lights and sirens only if time permits)



Mark Nugent 021 807 422



Mike Price (Farmer)



Onemana Café Dairy  
Indie 022 373 8534/ 07 865 7200



Norman Coleman - Bambury Place  
07 865 9889



Julian West 027 222 4364

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# Onemana Emergency Response Plan (Community Response Group)

This plan is activated at the request of the Thames Coromandel Emergency Management Unit or the Onemana Residents and Community Association should, as a result of a disaster or pending disaster, Onemana is inaccessible to external emergency services.

## Disaster/Emergency Type

<b>Storm</b> 1 Pre Event 2 Post Event	<b>Flood</b> 1 Pre Event 2 Post Event	<b>Earthquake</b> 1 Post Event	<b>Tsunami</b> 1 Pre Event 2 Post Event	<b>Fire</b> 1 Pre Event 2 Post Event
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## Personnel

Command Team, Area and Street Representative, Emergency and Medical, Helpers

Roles

Command team - oversee all activities and actions. Liaise with TCDC EMU and emergency services as required. Located at Onemana Fire Station or Central location.

Designated Area and Street Representatives and Helpers – provision of communications to residents, property checks to identify injury or property damage along with providing assembly locations.

Emergency and Medical – enabling rescue, transportation and medical assistance.

Helpers – providing human resource to enable rescues and or providing assistance when and where required.

## Equipment

Primary - Radios, Cellphones, Generators, Loud Hailers, Batteries, Torches, Lanterns, Medical Kits, Spray Paint, Helicopter access

Secondary – Blankets, Water, Food, Transport, Shelter, Rope, Tents

## Actions

Onemana’s disaster response sits under two categories - Pre and Post Alerts. Pre is applied when notification is available of a pending disaster. Post is applied once a disaster has occurred . The plan identified the potential disaster events hence a response has been developed for each – obviously some actions are repeated.

## General Response

Pre- Temporary Command Centre to be activated so that alert warnings can be coordinated. Appropriate action to be applied depending on the alert event.

<b>Storm (Pre)</b> Street and Area Representatives advised of potential storm. Notification passed to residents by phone tree or using loud hailers. Safety message provided.	<b>Flood (Pre)</b> Street and Area Representatives advised of potential flood. Notification passed to residents by phone tree or using loud hailers. Safety message provided including moving people out of potential flood zones.	<b>Earthquake (Pre)</b>	<b>Tsunami (Pre)</b> Street and Area Representatives advised of potential tsunami. Notification passed to residents by phone tree or using loud hailers. Safety message provided including evacuation to safe assembly zones if required.	<b>Fire (Pre)</b> Street and Area Representatives advised of potential fire threat. Notification passed to residents by phone tree or using loud hailers. Safety message provided including potential evacuation to safe zones if deemed appropriate.
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**General Response**

Post – Command Centre to be activated at Fire Station or appropriate location.

<b>Storm (Post)</b>	<b>Flood (Post)</b>	<b>Earthquake (Post)</b>	<b>Tsunami (Post)</b>	<b>Fire (Post)</b>
<p>Street and Area Representatives to check all properties for resident injury or assistance required. Command centre to be advised of requirements for each property. Note damage.</p> <p>Injured residents to remain at location command centre to send assistance – if this is not possible will advise area representative.</p> <p>Residents that require evacuation will be sent to local assembly site by Area Rep.</p> <p>If residence is not accessible, then Command to be advised for authorising special search teams when available. Area Rep to leave paint mark on road outside property once check is completed.</p>	<p>Street and Area Representatives to check all properties for resident injury or assistance required. Command centre to be advised of requirements for each property. Note damage.</p> <p>Injured residents to remain at location command centre to send assistance – if this is not possible will advise area representative.</p> <p>Residents that require evacuation will be sent to local assembly site by Area Rep.</p> <p>If residence is not accessible, then Command to be advised for authorising special search teams when available. Area Rep to leave paint mark on road outside property once check is completed.</p>	<p>Street and Area Representatives to check all properties for resident injury or assistance required. Command centre to be advised of requirements for each property. Note damage.</p> <p>Injured residents to remain at location, command centre to send assistance – if this is not possible will advise area representative. Residents that require evacuation will be sent to local assembly site by Area Rep.</p> <p>If residence is not accessible, then Command to be advised for authorising special search teams when available.</p> <p>Area Rep to leave paint mark on road outside property once check is completed.</p>	<p>If early warning had been provided all areas should have been evacuated. Street and Area Representatives to check all properties for resident injury or assistance required. Command centre to be advised of requirements for each property. Note damage.</p> <p>Injured residents to remain at location command centre to send assistance – if this is not possible will advise area representative. Residents that require evacuation will be sent to local assembly site by Area Rep.</p> <p>If residence is not accessible, then Command to be advised for authorising special search teams when available. Area Rep to leave paint mark on road outside property once check is completed.</p>	<p>With early warning implemented, all residents would be at assembly areas or have vacated the area. Once danger passed Area Representatives to check all properties for damage and determine if area safe or if any assistance required. Command centre to be advised of requirements for each property.</p> <p>Any injuries to be reported to command centre to send assistance – if this is not possible will advise area representative.</p> <p>If a residence is not accessible, then Command to be advised for authorising special search teams when available. Area Rep to leave paint mark on road outside property once check is completed.</p>

## Overview Actions

<p>Storm (Post)          Command and Area Representatives to identify evacuation areas – due to unknown damage locations this maybe required once the threat has passed. These to be houses where displaced residents can be provided with shelter in the first instance then food and water.          Houses to relocate injured to be identified and made available.          Depending on level of damage have Helpers assist by uplifting food, water and blankets from vacant homes.          Provision to be made for displaced pets.</p>	<p>Flood (Post)          Command and Area Representatives to identify evacuation areas – due to unknown damage locations this maybe required once the threat has passed. These to be houses where displaced residents can be provided with shelter in the first instance then food and water.          Houses to relocate injured to be identified and made available.          Depending on level of damage have Helpers assist by uplifting food, water and blankets from vacant homes.          Provision to be made for displaced pets.</p>	<p>Earthquake (Post)          Command and Area Representatives to identify evacuation areas – due to unknown damage locations this maybe required once the threat has passed. These to be houses where displaced residents can be provided with shelter in the first instance then food and water.          Houses to relocate injured to be identified and made available.          Depending on level of damage have Helpers assist by uplifting food, water and blankets from vacant homes.          Provision to be made for displaced pets.</p>	<p>Tsunami (Post)          Once the threat has passed properties to be made available where displaced residents can be provided with shelter in the first instance then food and water.          Houses to relocate injured to be identified and made available.          Depending on level of damage have Helpers assist by uplifting food, water and blankets from vacant homes.          Provision to be made for displaced pets.</p>	<p>Fire (Post)          Once the threat has passed properties to be made available where displaced residents can be provided with shelter in the first instance then food and water.          Houses to relocate injured to be identified and made available.          Depending on level of damage have Helpers assist by uplifting food, water and blankets from vacant homes.          Provision to be made for displaced pets.</p>
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## Establishment Logistics

Command Centre – Rural Fire Force Station  
 Area Representatives – Onemana Drive x 3; Tuna Place, Bambury Place, Oratia Place, Russell Bruce Place, Titiro  
 Communications – Hand-held radios, cellphones, loud hailers, phone trees  
 Assembly areas – To be determined. For Fire – Onemana Surf Club; Tsunami – as per TCDC plan  
 Power – Generators (Petrol powered)  
 Rescue equipment – Rural Fire Force and Surf Club  
 Food – Access pantries from local properties  
 Water – Council supply tank and local properties  
 Blankets – Access from local properties  
 Medical – Doctors, Nurses, First Aiders, Medical supplies  
 Air Access – Helicopter landing site  
 Resident Database – name, address, phone, email, assistance required, skills

## Community Response Group Contact Details

John Freer – 027 483 9426

Layne Sefton – 027 573 3287

Ruhi Pene – 0272 941 452

Bruce Scott – 021 715 419

Sandra Carley – 022 183 958

John Jordan – 021 827 788

Dale Schoeman – 021 288 6334

Dillion Care – 0211 886 276

Dr Erik McClain – 0279 343 287

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