

## Suffolk Local Resilience Strategy Overview

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Communities: Building cohesive, healthy, and resilient communities, supporting the whole of society approach to resilience.

- Mobilising: Enhancing the capacity of communities to deal with emergencies and mobilising community participation in response and recovery via the Suffolk Voluntary Community Sector Emergencies Partnership and Community Emergency Planning groups.
- Cohesion: working within the Suffolk Safer and Stronger Communities Board, integrating with prevent and community safety partnerships.
- **Relationships**: Strengthen relationships between various community group networks, encourage joint working, shaping and promoting existing frameworks.
- Resilience: Finding ways to increase community resilience.
- **Support**: Working with the voluntary and faith, business and academia sectors at the local and national level to maximise the capacity to support communities through strong partnerships.











## Understanding Risks: Enhancing resilience understanding

- Risk: Understanding hazards and vulnerability in Suffolk, including by identifying emerging and interdependent risks developing the localised risk assessment process and utilisation of the Suffolk Community Risk Register.
- Measuring: Measuring resilience through the use of metrics and baseline assessments.
- **Innovation:** Developing new ideas to address risk and achieve resilience dividends.
- Opportunity: Understanding and addressing the emerging challenges and opportunities of new technologies and partnerships.







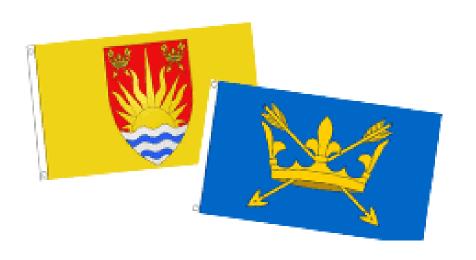




Leadership, responsibility and accountability: Shaping resilience within Suffolk

- Governance: Building on the governance structures and partnership working of the Suffolk Resilience Forum to coordinate and drive resilience building activities directed by the Chief Resilience Officer
- Political Accountability: As part of the Stronger LRF Pilot / Programme, integrate the SRF with the political landscape of Suffolk
- **Shaping**: Shaping and influencing resilience agendas across Suffolk, nationally and internationally to make them relevant and supportive to Suffolk's communities
- **Integration**: Promote and encourage the integration of resilience planning into normal working practices.
- Outcomes: Ensuring that the delivery of the Resilience Strategy represents value for money and improves outcomes for people in Suffolk







Place: Business, Climate and Funding: Being ready for future challenges



- Economy: Using a resilience lens to enhance our economy working with the Chamber of Commerce and business sector.
- Natural Environment: Protecting and promoting the resilience value of the natural environment, looking at climate adaptation via the Suffolk Climate Change Partnership
- Funding: Leveraging funding to make us more resilient





Responding, Recovery & Emergency Planning: Sustaining effective preparedness, response and recovery from emergencies

- Collaboration: Assessing the risk of civil emergencies through multi-agency collaboration and partnerships via the Risk Working Group.
- Preparedness: Developing plans and capabilities to enable effective response and recovery following emergencies.
- Response Collecting and disseminating information through the Multi Agency Information Cell (MAIC) to provide responders with relevant and current information to inform response and recovery.
- **Information**: Providing the public with information and guidance and supporting community resilience to increase emergency preparedness





Learning & Training: Identifying and utilising learning from incidents to strengthen response and recovery arrangements.

- **Collaboration:** working with multiagency partners to debrief major incidents, exercises and multiagency incidents of note.
- Information: using the Lessons Identified SRF process to ensure learning is embedded into local systems and processes
- Training: Designing, programming and delivering multi-agency training and exercising to improve responders' awareness and skills, and to validate plans
- Performance: The proactive engagement of the Suffolk risk and capabilities matrix to improve in all aspects of resilience; utilise critical partners or peer reviews to improve performance.
- Learning: Development of a repository for learning and case studies including single and multi-agency Lessons Identified to increase emergency preparedness.



