

Activate Wollondilly

A project in partnership with Wollondilly Shire Council and funded by Emergency NSW through the Community Resilience Innovation Program (CRIP).

CRIP Supports a broad range of community-led projects designed to increase all-hazard disaster preparedness and build community capacity and resilience through collaboration and partnership between local governments, emergency services and emergency



Emergency
New South Wales

Key Priority Outcomes

- Support capabilities for disaster resilience,
- Communicate with and educate people about risks,
- Lead change and coordinate effort, and
- Partner with those who effect change to reinforce the resilience and preparedness of the community.

4 Forums

- Tuesday 7 Feb 6pm till 8pm (*Residents*)
- Wednesday 15 Feb 6pm till 8pm (*Business*)
- Tuesday 21 Feb 11am till 1pm
(*Community Organisations*)
- Wednesday 1 March 11am till 1pm
(*Emergency Services*)

What is Disaster Recovery?

- Disaster recovery is "the coordinated process of supporting disaster affected communities in the reconstruction of the physical infrastructure and the restoration of emotional, social, economic and physical wellbeing"

Disaster Recovery Plan

- A disaster recovery plan (DRP) is a documented process or set of procedures to recover and protect a community and its infrastructure in the event of a disaster.
- Such a plan, ordinarily documented in written form, specifies procedures, roles and responsibilities in the event of a disaster.

Wollondilly Local Disaster Recovery Plan

- The Wollondilly Local Disaster Recovery Plan is a supporting plan of The Wollondilly Local Emergency Management Plan. It outlines the strategic intent, responsibilities, authorities and the mechanisms for disaster recovery in Wollondilly and was developed using a suite of guidelines that outline the operational objectives and the range of activities that may be associated with recovery operations.

Preparedness

- The state of being prepared – readiness
- Forecasting and taking precautionary measures prior to an imminent threat when advance warnings are possible".
- Includes not only natural disasters, but all kinds of severe damage caused in a relatively short period

Resilience

- Process of adapting well in the face of adversity
- Ability to anticipate risk, limit impact and “Bounce Back” from difficult experiences
- Being connected, working together to function in the face of stress and trauma

Wollondilly Community Strategic Plan

- The Wollondilly Community Strategic Plan (CSP) is Council's highest level long term plan. It identifies and expresses the aspirations held by the Community of Wollondilly and sets strategies for achieving those aspirations.
- It is the story of our key issues, our strengths, opportunities and challenges for the future including disaster recovery.