# Whatever the emergency







**HEATWAVE** 

**STORM** 

**FIRE** 

# **Expect the unexpected**

Emergencies can be hard to predict and emergency services may be unable to reach you in a disaster.

What will you do for the first 72 hours if you have no services, such as:







**NO WATER** 



**NO GAS** 



**NO RECEPTION** 



NO ROAD ACCESS



LIMITED FOOD

# **Be Prepared**

Prepare yourself and your family for a stressful emergency situation.

For 24/7 crisis support call Lifeline 13 11 14 or Beyond Blue 1300 22 4636

# **Develop a Plan**

Use your plan and support network to help you through this time.



# For further information

call Greater Shepparton City Council on 03 5832 9700 or visit shepp.city/emergencies



#### Collaboration between:

Alpine and Moira Shire Councils

## In conjunction with:

Country Fire Authority Victoria State Emergency Service Albury Wodonga Ethnic Communities Council

#### In consultation with:

Hume Region Municipal Emergency Management Enhancement Group

Thank you to Corangamite, Alpine and Moira Shire Councils for the initial work



# What are you going to do?



You can handle any emergency better if you are prepared!











Make an emergency plan

Back up



information a kit

**Prepare** 



Stav



informed

#### WHO ...

do I need to consider? do I need to tell?

## WHAT ...

do I need to know? do I need to do?

#### WHERE ...

will I go? do I get information? do I keep my plan?

## **HOW** ...

will I get there? will I get there - plan B?

## WHY ...

do I need to make a plan?

#### TO SUPPORT PLANNING:



To prepare for fire cfa.vic.gov.au



To prepare for flood and storm ses.vic.gov.au



Set up a watch zone emergency.vic.gov.au



Rediplan

redcross.org.au/prepare

## Important things to save:

- Your emergency plan
- Identification (to prove who you are)

#### **DOCUMENTS**

- Insurance policies
- Property documents
- Medical information and prescriptions
- ☐ Financial records

#### **HOME INVENTORY**

- Photos of possessions
- Photos of house assets
- Receipts, warranties etc.

#### **CONTACT LIST**

- Family
- Utility providers
- Other:

## **Gather and store items** ready to support you and your family for 72 hours:







**MEDICATION** 

**BATTERIES** 







TORCH

**DOCUMENTS** 

FOOD







**FIRST AID** 

**CLOTHES** 

**TOILETRIES** 



MONEY

CHILDREN'S

**NEEDS** 





PHONE & **CHARGER** 



PET'S NEEDS



GLASSES



WHAT FLSE?

#### **WARNINGS AND ADVICE**

It is important to tune in to official and accurate information channels to stay informed with the facts before, during and after an emergency.



VIC **EMERGENCY** 

emergency.vic.gov.au Hotline: 1800 226 226

Press 9 for interpreter



**EMERGENCY RADIO BROADCAST** 

#### Frequency:

Warnings – It's important to read the whole warning for information on evacuations, Emergency Relief Centres and more.

