

Stay informed

It's important to know the different ways you can stay informed before and during an emergency.



**Bay of Plenty
Emergency Management**

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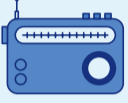
**Western Bay of Plenty
District Council website**

www.westernbay.govt.nz



MetService

[www.metservice.com/rural/
regions/bay-of-plenty](http://www.metservice.com/rural/regions/bay-of-plenty)



Local radio stations

Listen to local radio



Western Bay frequencies

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| National radio | 101.0 FM | |
| Newstalk ZB | 90.2 FM | 819 AM |
| The Hits | 95.0 FM | 1008 AM |
| More FM | 93.4 FM | |
| Sound | 92.6 FM | 104.2 FM |
| Radio Hauraki | 91.0 FM | |

Fire, Police or medical emergency, dial 111

Your identified local Evacuation Centres are:

- Waihi Beach RSA, 99 Beach Road, Waihi Beach
- Waihi Beach Community Centre, 106 Beach Road, Waihi Beach

Local information will be shared through Facebook:

- WBEmergencyResponse
- Waihi Beach Noticeboard
- Live Well
- Waihi Beach Information Centre



Kia takatu

Prepare for an emergency

Community guide to emergencies

Waihi Beach, Bowentown and Island View

Developed by your
Community Response Team

P. 027 282 5286 (North end)
P. 027 283 2397 (Bowentown and Island View)
www.facebook.com/WBEmergencyResponse

With support from:



Grab bags

If you need to evacuate in a hurry, take your essential supplies in a grab bag.

Tick items

- Phone and charger
- Torch
- Batteries
- Wallet, cash and ID
- Medication
- Water and snacks
- Car and house keys
- Hand sanitiser, mask
- Radio

Other items shown: First aid kit, Hand sanitiser, Personal ID and bank card, Snacks, Tissues, Medication, Masks, Cash, USB stick, Important documents, Radio, Emergency Plan, Notepad, pen and paper, Whistle, Seasonal clothing, Torch, Charger, Power pack, Batteries, Toiletries, House and car keys, Water.

What supplies will I need?

In an emergency, you may be stuck at home for three days or more. Work out what supplies you need for your household. Don't forget pets and those with medical and dietary needs.

- Water for three days or more** (at least 9 litres of water for every person).
- Food that doesn't need cooking** (unless you have a camping stove or gas barbecue).
- Toilet paper and large plastic buckets for an emergency toilet.**
- BQ or gas stove to cook on**

Talk to your whānau about how you will get through an emergency. Consider:

- If you can't get home, where will we meet?
- Who will pick the kids up from school/day care if we can't?
- Who: Tel:
- If we can't get hold of each other, who will we check in with?
- Who: Tel:
- If we need to evacuate, where will we go?
- Who: Tel:
- Who might need extra help?
- Who: Tel:

Make a household emergency plan

What would you do in an emergency?

Are you prepared for any of the following situations?

- No internet or phone
- Where will the dog go?
- Who will help Gran and Koru?
- No power or water
- Can't get home
- Need to evacuate

Hazards in the Western Bay of Plenty

Know the hazards and associated risks in your area.

- Tsunami**: If the earthquake is long or strong, Move to the nearest high ground or as far inland as possible.
- Earthquake**: Expect aftershocks. Move to the nearest high ground or as far inland as possible.
- Volcano**: If ash fall is forecast, head home and stay indoors.
- Landslide**: Check if your area is prone to landslides. MetService weather forecasts.
- Storm**: Keep up to date with rising water, head for high ground.
- Flood**: If you see rising water, head for high ground.

TSUNAMI EVACUATION ZONE: Waihi Beach



IMPORTANT

Parts of this area are at risk of tsunami

A **LONG** or **STRONG** earthquake could be your only warning.

LONG or STRONG: GET GONE



DO NOT ignore these natural warning signs:

- Strong earthquake where it is hard to stand up.
- Weak, rolling earthquake shaking for longer than a minute.
- Unusual sea behaviour, like sudden sea level changes.
- The sea making loud and unusual sounds, especially roaring noises.

WHAT TO DO?

- 1 Leave immediately, don't wait for an official warning.
- 2 Walk or bike quickly if possible. Only drive if you have to.
- 3 Move quickly to higher ground, or as far from the coastline as possible.

STAY OUT OF THE TSUNAMI EVACUATION ZONE AND LOW-LYING AREAS UNTIL YOU GET THE ALL CLEAR FROM OFFICIAL CHANNELS

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