



Quadra Island Emergency Program

Dear New Quadra Island Resident,

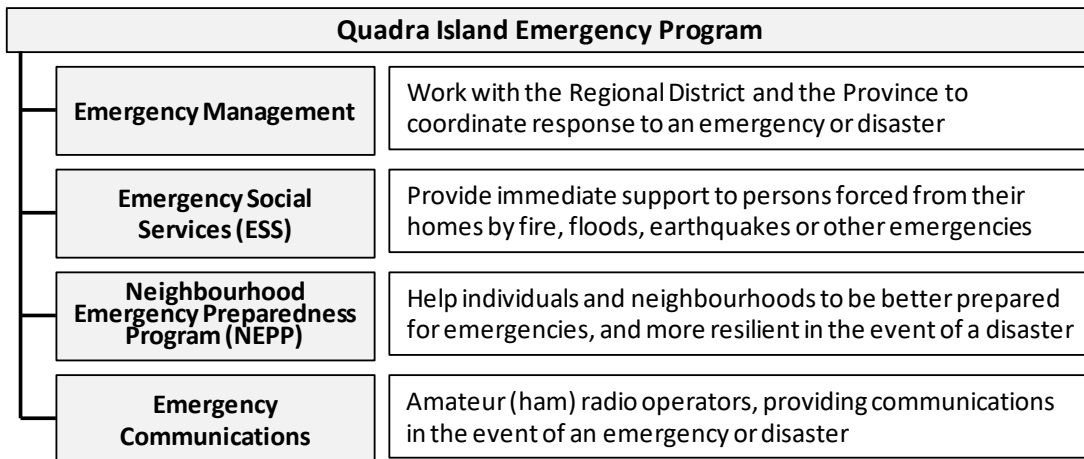
On behalf of the local Emergency Program on Quadra Island, I would like to welcome you to our island community, and take this opportunity to tell you a bit about our Emergency Program.

Quadra Island is home to an RCMP detachment, located at 738 West Rd, in Quathiaski Cove (“Q Cove”). In addition to Quadra Island, this detachment serves Cortes Island, Read Island, and Maurelle Island. The RCMP non-emergency phone number is 250-285-3631. For a police emergency, you should call 9-1-1.

The volunteer Quadra Island Fire Department provides service within the South Quadra Island Fire Protection District, operating from two Fire Halls: The main hall (Hall #1) is located at 844 Heriot Bay Rd near Q Cove, with a second hall (Hall #2) located at 1515 West Rd in Heriot Bay. The Fire Department’s non-emergency phone number is 250-285-3262. For a fire emergency, you should call 9-1-1.

Quadra Island is also home to a BC Ambulance station, adjacent to the #1 Fire Hall on Heriot Bay Rd. In the event of a medical emergency, you should call 9-1-1. BC Ambulance on Quadra Island is staffed 24/7 and in an emergency can access transportation off-island after ferry hours.

The Quadra Island Emergency Program is a group of over 100 trained local volunteers helping Quadra Island prepare for, and respond to, an emergency or disaster – such as an earthquake, wildfire, or other natural or man-made disaster. Our Emergency Program is structured as follows:



Once you have settled into your new home, if you would like to learn more about the Emergency Program, or volunteer to help, please contact Judy Hagen at 250-285-2150.

Jeff Ballingall
Emergency Program Coordinator
Quadra Island



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Top 5 Recommendations for Personal Preparedness

- Ask an out-of-province friend or relative to act as a contact for family members who may become separated during a disaster.
- Decide in advance, as a family, where to meet and where to shelter in case you are separated or unable to remain in your home in a disaster.
- Pack a separate small “Grab & Go” Kit for each family member, tailored to their needs.
- Store 7 days of drinking water and emergency foods in your home.
- Make copies of important photos and documents and store them off-site, on-line or on a USB drive.

Useful Emergency Preparedness Links

Quadra Island Emergency Program on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/quadraislandemergencyprogram

Quadra Island Emergency Program Website:

<http://quadraemergency.ca/>

Strathcona Regional District Emergency Program:

<http://www.strathconard.ca/preparedness>

BC Hydro Outages:

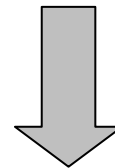
<https://www.bchydro.com/safety-outages.html>

Environment Canada Weather:

<https://weather.gc.ca/>

Drive BC Road Conditions:

<http://www.drivebc.ca/>



Sign up for community
emergency notifications:



<https://strathconard.connectrocket.com/>

Major Earthquake: Stay in your neighbourhood
Evacuation Order: Grab & Go bag, and leave!