

Adopted: 5/6/03 by Lowell Town Official Signature: s/o Richard Pion
 (Date) (Legislative Body) (i.e., Chairperson)

UPDATED:

VERMONT RAPID RESPONSE PLAN

Town of Lowell Orleans County

Business Address: 2170 VT Rte. 100, Lowell, VT 05847 Population: 738

(mailing address, city, state, zip)

Tel: 802-744-6559 Fax: 802-744-2357 E-mail: lowell@tax.state.vt.us

#1 - ALERT AND MOBILIZE LOCAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION

Rapid Response Team	Name	Phone/Pager
For example: E.M. Coordinator, Fire Chief, Public Works Foreman, Police Chief, etc	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> = Contact Person/Action accomplished	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1. EMC	Select Board	744-6559/744-2758
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2. Fire Chief	Alden Warner	744-2758
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3. Select Board Chair	Richard Pion	744-6838
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4. Roads Foreman	Reginald Pion	744-6129/744-6510
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 5. Law Enforcement	Constable – Wayne Richardson	744-2008
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 6. Town Clerk	Nanette Bonneau	744-6559/744-6812

#2 - ALERT VT. EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (VEM): 1-800-347-0488 or 1-802-244-8721

- 1. Assess, map and document damage, identify needs and magnitude of disaster. (Use Emergency Status Report Form and attach)
- 2. Alert **VEM** of status, need for assistance, and use of other State agencies.
- 3. Elected officials declare **Local Emergency** per assessments above. (Use Declaration of State of Emergency and attach)

#3 - ALERT GENERAL POPULATION AND EVACUATE AS NEEDED

(For example: siren, public address system, Door-to-door, etc.)

- Method of alert: Door to door, sirens, radio station: WLVB (Morrisville)
- Evacuation route: Rte. 100 & Rte. 58

#4 - ACTIVATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER (EOC)

Facility Name	Address	Phone(s)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Choice # 1: Town Offices	2170 VT Rte. 100	744-6559
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Choice # 2: Fire Dept.	Newport Command Center (Portable)	744-2450
<input type="checkbox"/> Choice # 3:		

#5 - OPEN EMERGENCY SHELTERS

Facility Name	Address	Phone	Contact Person
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelter # 1: Lowell School	52 Gelo Park Rd.	744-6641	Scott Boskind
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelter # 2: St. Ignatius Parish Hall	157 Hazen Rd.	744-2446	Gail Sicotte
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelter # 3: Baptist Church	361 Hazen Notch Rd.	744-2025	Roy Palmer
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelter # 4: United Church of Christ	2506 VT Rte. 100	744-2753	Alvin Warner
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelter # 5: VT Red Cross	(agreement)	525-1234	Dee Heuslein

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#6 - USE THE "LOCAL OFFICIALS DISASTER HANDBOOK" FOR INSTRUCTIONS, FORMS, PHONE NUMBERS & TIPS.

Critical Phone Numbers

Level	Service	Phone	Contact Person
STATE	Vermont Emergency Management: <input type="checkbox"/> Clean Drinking Water, Generators, Heavy Equipment, Sand Bags, etc. <input type="checkbox"/> VEM can activate state resources such as AOT, Agency of Natural Resources, Labor & Industry, National Guard, Health Dept. etc. <input type="checkbox"/> HAZMAT Hotline (spills, etc.)	1-800-347-0488 1-802-244-8721 1-800-641-5005	
LOCAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fire/911 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelter Coordinator/Select Board & Fire Dept. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rescue <input type="checkbox"/> Public Works <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Hospital /North Country <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement/State Police <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regional Planning Com./NVDA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> School District: IOENSU <i>Superintendent</i> <i>Local Principal: Lowell School</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sheriff/Orleans County <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Radio Station/WMOO 92.1 FM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other contacts/VT Health Dept. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other contacts/Town Health Officer	 <u>744-2758</u> <u>911</u> <u> </u> <u>334-7331</u> <u>766-2211</u> <u>748-5181</u> <u>334-8598</u> <u> </u> <u>744-6641/9989</u> <u>334-3333</u> <u>WLVB</u> <u>334-4391</u> <u>744-6877</u>	 <u>Alden Warner</u> <u> </u> <u> </u> <u>Terry Robbins</u> <u> </u> <u>Merike Petrich</u> <u>Rod Weston</u> <u>Rod Weston</u> <u>Scott Boskind</u> <u>Lance Bowen</u> <u>WIKE/766-4485</u> <u>Barbara Thompson</u> <u>Martha Vantubergen</u>
OTHER RESOURCES and MUTUAL AID	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> American Red Cross Burlington <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CERT (Volunteer Community Emergency Response Team) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fire/ Town of Jay/Troy/Eden & Irasburg/Lowell <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rescue/Town of Missisquoi <input type="checkbox"/> Public Works/Town of <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Bell Atlantic Telephone <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: VT Electric Coop	 525-1234 (802) 334-6733 (802) 873-9002 Ambulance 555-1611 Repair 635-2331	 Dee Heuslein Paul Duquette Dennis Kelley, Cert Leader 911 863-0672 Admin.

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#7 - USE PUBLIC WORKS STAFF, VOLUNTEERS AND AMERICAN RED CROSS TO BEGIN THOROUGH, ONGOING DAMAGE ASSESSMENT AND DOCUMENTATION.

Full Operations Staffing & Activities

Activity	Personnel	Scope
Direction & Control	EMC	Staffing, functioning of EOC and Chain of Command
Evacuation	Law Enforcement	Evacuation, transportation, sheltering
Communications		Local communications, phone, radio, ARES or RACES
Alert & Warning	Fire Department	Public alert
Shelter	American Red Cross	Red Cross: shelter, meals, care, social services, registration and message management.
Law Enforcement	VSP & Constables	Traffic, law & order
Fire & Rescue	Fire Department	Fire & rescue & evacuation
Public Works	Roads Foreman	Roads, bridges, sewer, water
Public Information	Select Board – Pub. Info. Officer	Public & media information
Resources Management	EMC	Supplies, equipment, labor, clean water, storage, etc.
Hazardous Materials Radiology	VEM	HAZMAT Hotline: 1-800-641-5005
Damage Assessment & Disaster Status	American Red Cross & Listers	Building and public works, inspection, assessment, evacuation, records & reports.
Declaration of Emergency	Select Board	VEM: 1-800-347-0488, 1-802-244-8721
Records & Reports	Town Clerk	Costs, purchasing, labor hours, volunteer hours, staffing.
Donations Management		Logistics & notices
Mass Casualty & Public Health	VT Health Dept. 800-642-3323	Health & morgue
Volunteers	Local Health Officer: Martha Vantubergen 744-6877	Staffing & assignments, Salvation Army, public services
Mapping and Charts	NVDA & Clerk	Maps, wall charts in EOC, Vital Statistics, records management
Government Liaison	EMC, Select Chair & Clerk	Coordinate with State & Federal Agencies

8 - HIGH HAZARD/VULNERABLE SITES AND HIGH RISK POPULATION ANALYSIS

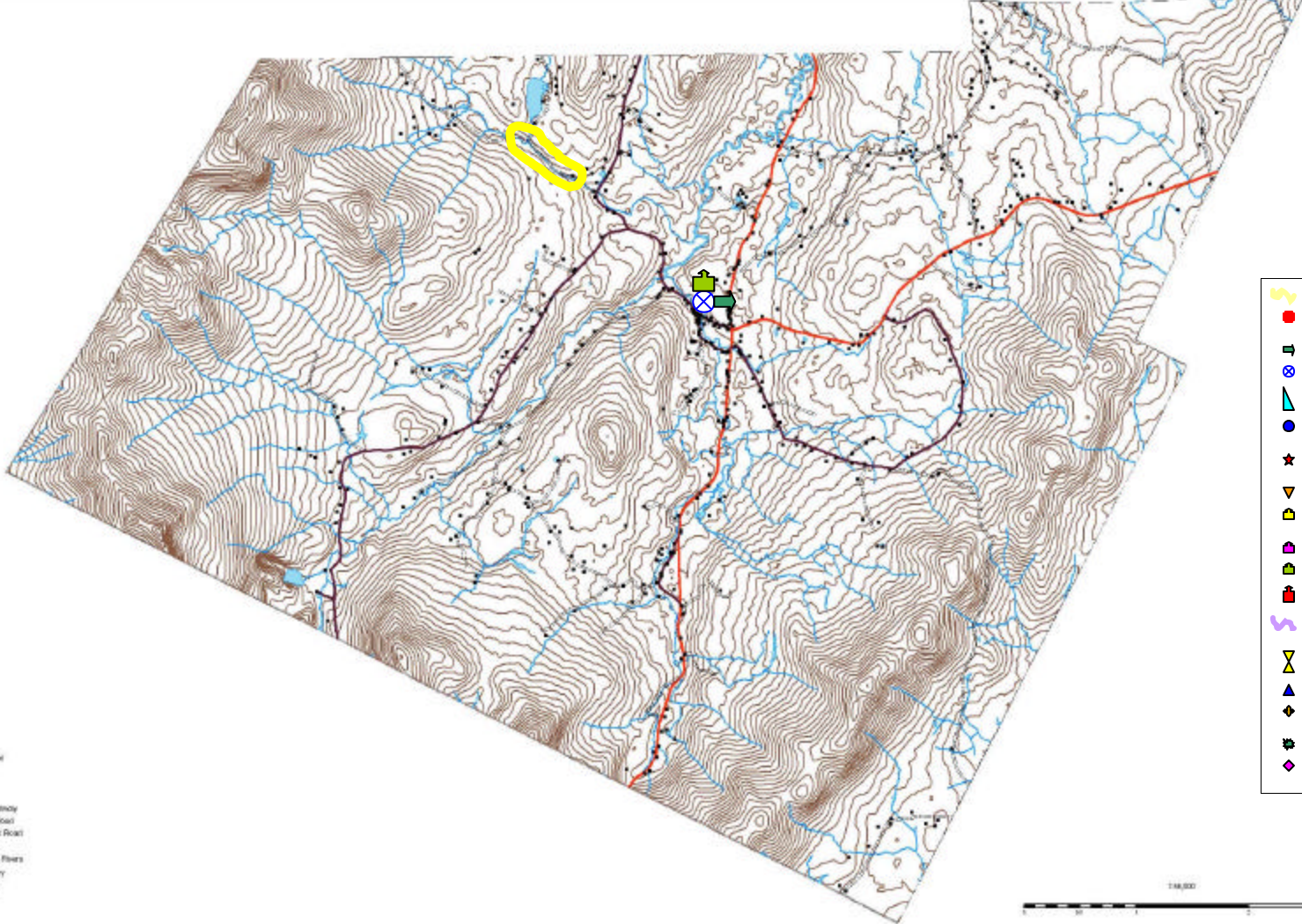
(Possible Mitigation Projects: verify low-lying areas; problem culverts & bridges; stream survey, railway crossing, etc.)

	High Hazard and/or Vulnerable Sites	Verified by:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1:	Bridges @ Replaced 4 due to 1997 Floods	Select Board
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2:	Roads @ T.H. #7 – Tillotson Rd.	Roads Comm.
<input type="checkbox"/> 3:		
<input type="checkbox"/> 4:		
<input type="checkbox"/> 5:		

(For example: verify schools, daycare centers, nursing homes, medical equipment-dependent seniors, handicapped residents, etc.)

	High Risk Population	Verified by:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1:	School (in session) Lowell Elem. – Students=109, Scott Boskind, Principal	Select Board
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2:	Pre-school – Route 100	Select Board
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3:	Missisquoi Manor – VT Rte. 100	Select Board
<input type="checkbox"/> 4:		
<input type="checkbox"/> 5:		

Town of Lowell



- BUILDING LOCATION
- Stream
- Contour
- Interstate
- US State Highway
- Front/Back Road
- Improved City Road
- 40' Center
- Lakes, Ponds & Rivers
- County Boundary
- Town Boundary

- Flood Area
- Shelter
- Fire Dept.
- Town Offices
- ▲ Dams
- Well/Muni. Water
- ★ Police/Sheriff
- ▼ Town Garage
- Nursing Home
- High School
- Elementary Sch.
- School/Shelter
- Wash out area
- ▲ Hospital
- ▲ Dry Hydrants
- ◆ Moose Crossing
- HAL
- ◆ Beaver Dam

