



Kent Resilience Forum

**Overview of the Kent Resilience Forum (KRF) including the Kent
Resilience Team (KRT)**



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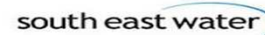
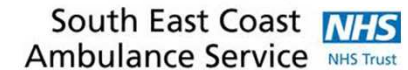
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KRF Partners

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Over 100 Organisations within the KRF

Risks and Threats

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1953

1968

1987

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2014

Incidents and Events In Kent

Operation Stack 2015

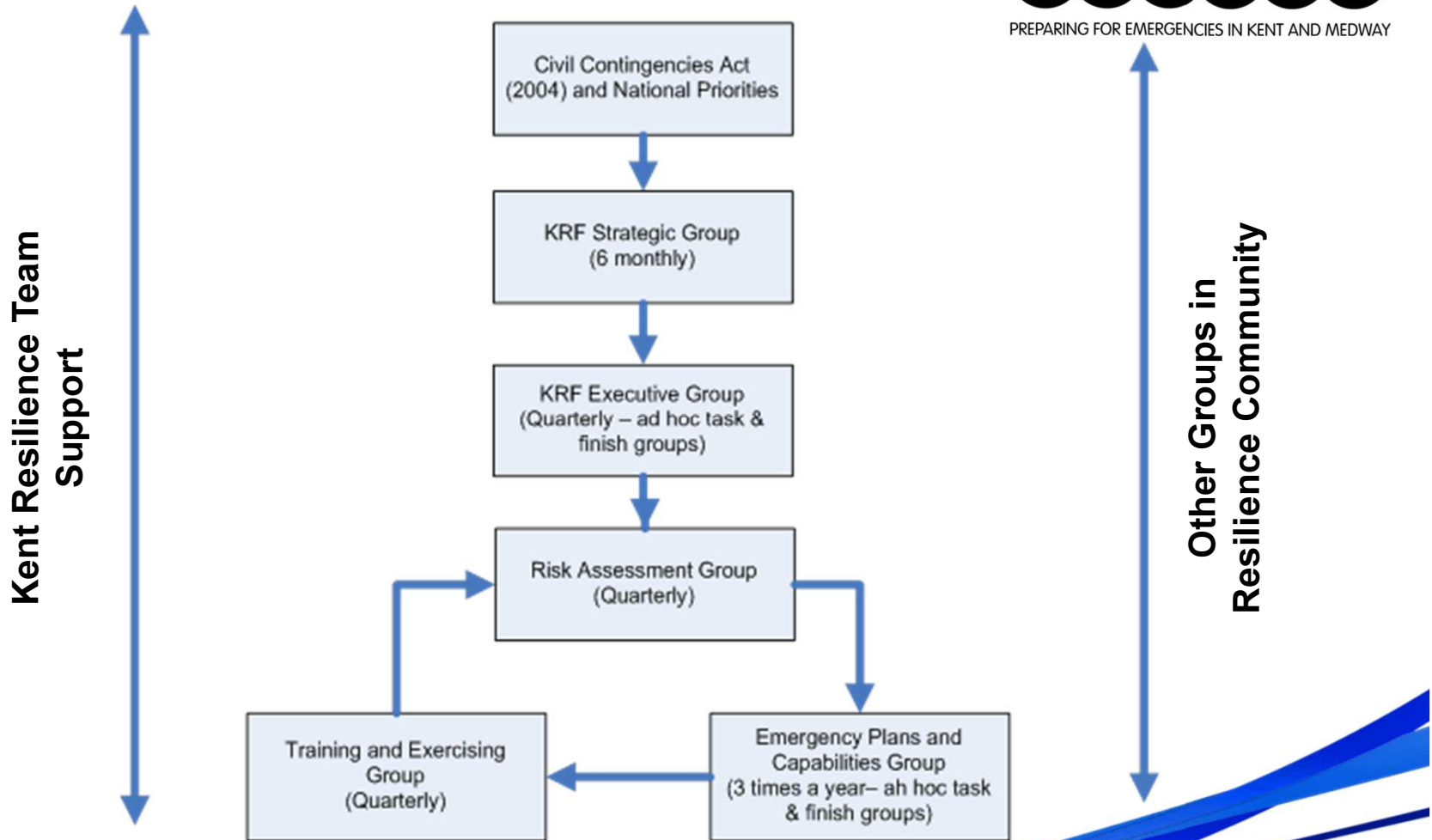


KRF Structure

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Risk Assessment Group

The KRF has:

- Published the Kent Community Risk Register 2016.
- Carried out a full capability analysis.
- Introduced a risk review programme.



Emergency Plans and Capabilities

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The KRF has:

- Continued the flooding capability work.
- Introduced a Resilient Communities Strategy.
- Imbedded the JESIP principles in all KRF plans.
- Published the KRF Mass Fatalities and Evacuation and shelter plans.



Training

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The KRF has:

- Delivered an ambitious training programme.
- Enhanced Business Continuity Training.
- Delivered Joint Command and Control training
- Trained over 200 local Flood Wardens

Exercises

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The KRF has delivered a number of large exercises this Year, including:

- Exercise Unified Response, Kent SCG (February 2016)
- Exercise Combine (April 2016)
- Exercise Distant Echo (May 2016)
- Operation Fennel table top (November 2015, July 2016)
- Exercise 'Surge' (October 2016) as the KRF Exercise for 2016/17
- Exercise Cygnus (October 2016)

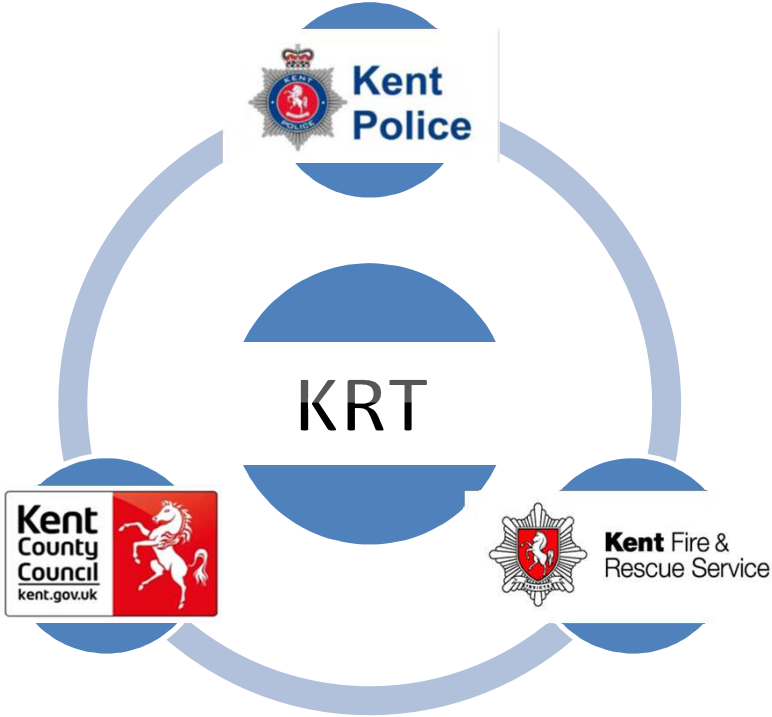


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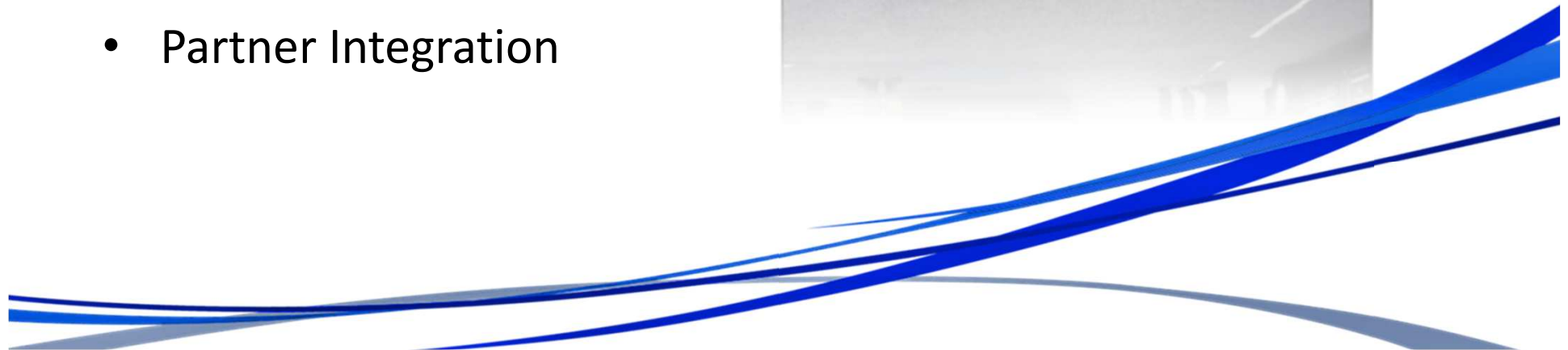
What is the KRT?

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- Fully integrated team
- Co-located
- Centre of excellence
- Expertise and Engagement
- Single point of contact
- Partner Integration



KRT Vision

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Strategic Intentions

1. Implement and embed 'partnership agreements'
2. Review the KRF
3. Establish the KRT as a permanent team
4. Continue to streamline the process for the development of emergency plans.
5. Enhance the Counties business continuity arrangements.
6. Embed a strategy which increases the resilience of communities and businesses.
7. Improve the ability for communities and businesses to recover quickly.

Core Values

1. Enhancing the effectiveness of multi-agency planning and response
2. Ensuring value for money
3. Maintaining consistency of approach
4. Optimising adaptability and flexibility to accommodate the needs of partners in a changing environment
5. Developing closer working relationships between KRF partners
6. Optimising the efficiency of Resilience Forum work



Achievements

- Collaboration
- Governance
- Leadership
- Resources
- Finance
- Information Technology
- Accommodation
- Exercises
- Training
- Seminars
- Incident Response
- Plans and Documentation
- Resilience Direct
- Command and Control
- Resilient Communities
- Business Continuity and Recovery
- Partnership Agreements

Partnership Agreements

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10. Kent County Council
11. Kent Police
12. Kent Fire and Rescue Service
13. Medway Unitary Authority
14. NHS Organisations - through the Local Health Resilience Partnership (LHRP)
15. Ashford Borough Council
16. Canterbury City Council
17. Dartford Borough Council
18. Dover District Council
10. Gravesham Borough Council
11. Maidstone Borough Council
12. Sevenoaks District Council
13. Shepway Borough Council
14. Swale Borough Council
15. Thanet District Council
16. Tonbridge and Malling Borough Council
17. Tunbridge Wells Borough Council
18. Environment Agency



Partnership Agreements

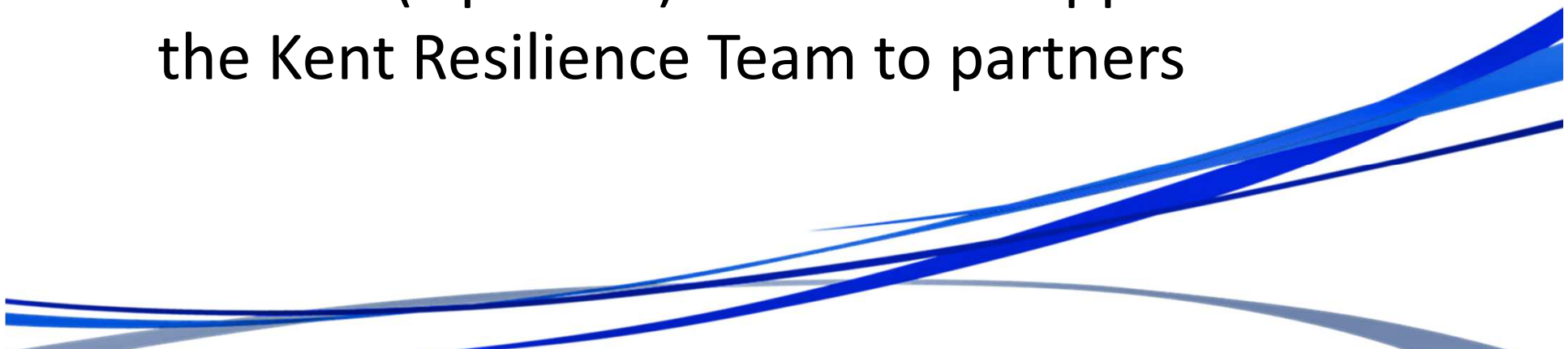
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3 year agreements introduced in April 2016.

- **Part 1** – Core agreement between Kent Resilience Forum Partners
- **Part 2** – (Optional) Embedding partners resources in the Kent Resilience Team
- **Part 3** – (Optional) Additional support from the Kent Resilience Team to partners



Partnership Agreements



ORGANISATION	P1	P2	P3
Kent Police	Y	Y	N
Kent Fire & Rescue Service	Y	Y	N
Kent County Council	Y	Y	N
NHS Organisations (LHRP)	Y	Y	N
Medway Council	Y	Y	N
Sevenoaks District Council	Y	Y	N
Swale Borough Council	Y	Y	N
Environment Agency	Y	Y	N
Ashford Borough Council	Y	Y	Y
Canterbury City Council	Y	N	Y
Dover District Council	Y	N	Y
Gravesham Borough Council	Y	N	Y
Maidstone Borough Council	Y	N	Y
Shepway District Council	Y	N	Y
Thanet District Council	Y	N	Y
Tonbridge & Malling Borough Council	Y	N	Y
Tunbridge Wells Borough Council	Y	N	Y
Dartford Borough Council	Y	N	N

Aims

1. Ensure all 18 partners have signed up to part 1 of the agreement.
2. Ensure that all 18 partners have signed up to either part 2 or part 3.



Any Questions ?

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