



Kent Resilience Forum



PREPARING FOR EMERGENCIES IN KENT AND MEDWAY

EXERCISE SURGE

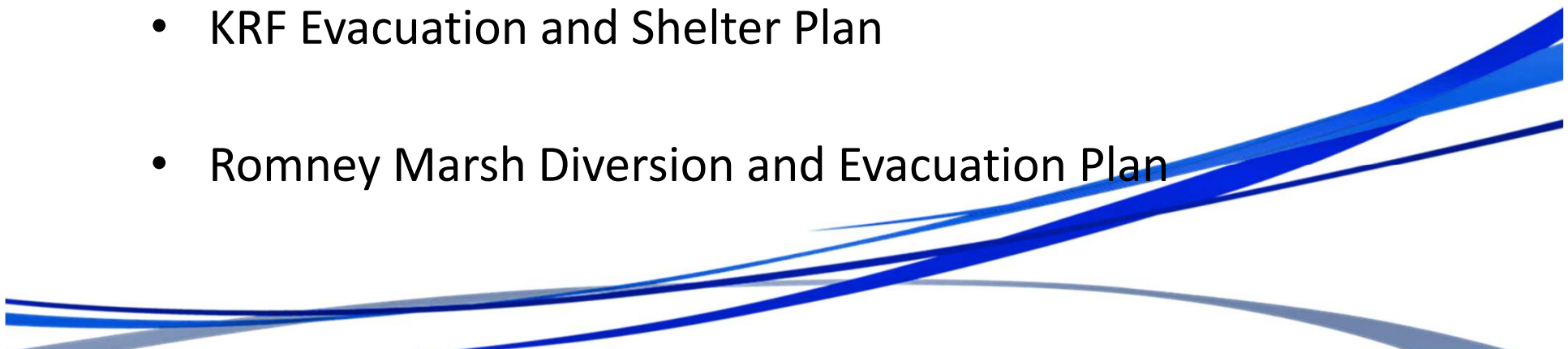
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19th – 29th September

Scenario



- Based on a 1:1000 year tidal surge affecting the whole of the Kent Coast
- Impact was based on a 1:500 year incident
- Kent Resilience Forum (KRF) Response and Recovery Plans
- Local Authority and Voluntary Sector Plans
- KRF Evacuation and Shelter Plan
- Romney Marsh Diversion and Evacuation Plan



Aims and Objectives

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The overall aim of Exercise Surge was to validate several key elements of the Kent Resilience Forum (KRF) and Local Partner Plans, Processes and Training



52 organisational objectives

Over 650 exercise documents were produced and managed with over 144 day 1 injects



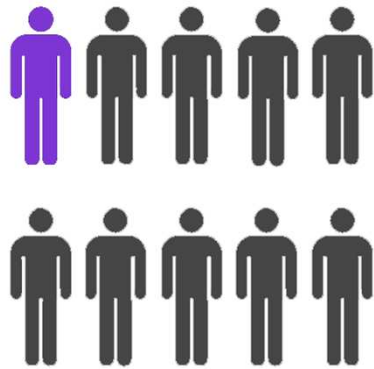
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Nearly 900 people participated over the course of the exercise



150 people were evacuated (1 person = 10 people in terms of the exercise)

37 weather and flood alerts/warnings



6 multi-agency teleconferences

Day 3 was attended by 150 delegates and supported by 50 Subject Matter Experts





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Public Health
England



Environment
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highways
england

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Kent Fire &
Rescue Service



Ministry
of Defence



HM Coastguard



Department for
Communities and
Local Government



Department
for Transport



Delivering peace of mind



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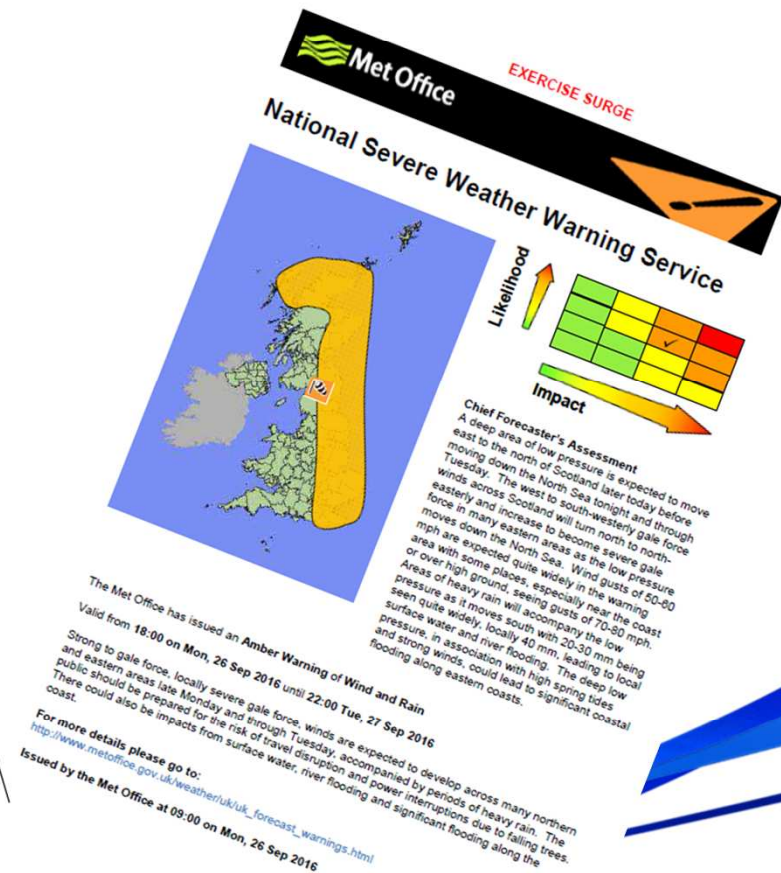
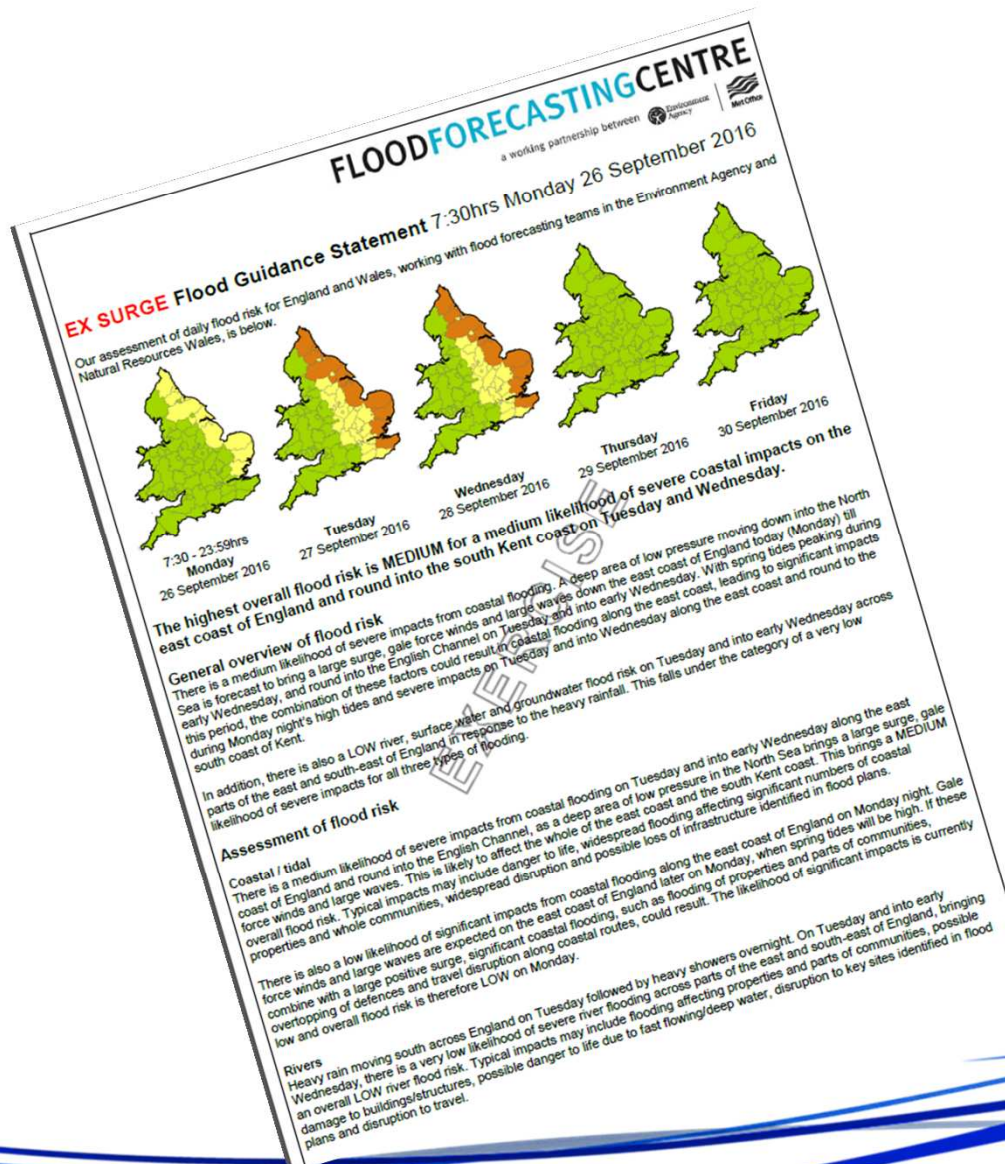


26th September - SWAG

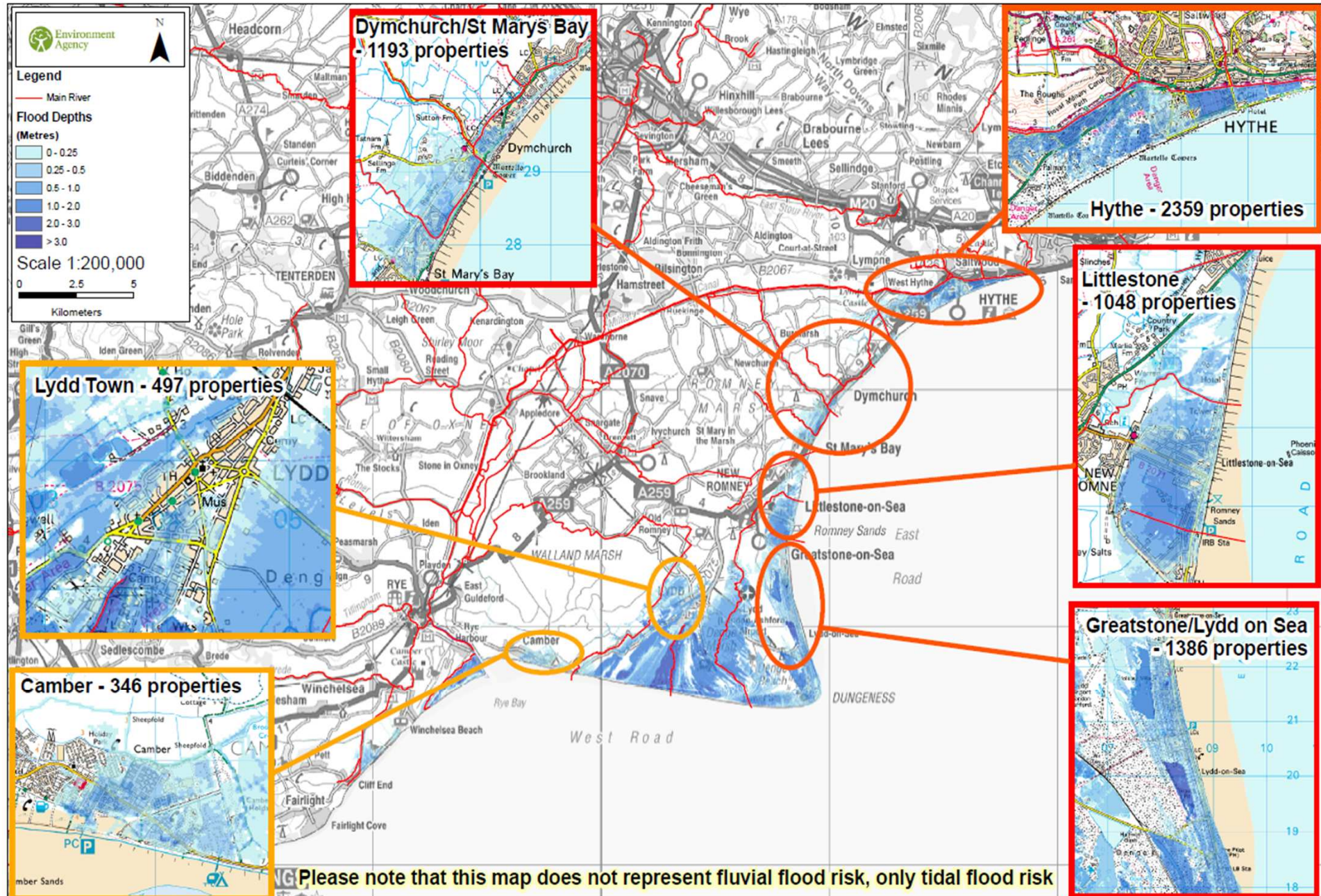
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Flood Extent & Depth Map for combined 1 in 1000 year Tide & 1 in 200 year Wave Event on Romney Marsh



Exercise Locations

27th September



Tactical Co-ordinating Centre

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- Tactical Co-ordinating Group
- Evacuation Cell
- Transport Cell
- Media Cell



Day 1 (27th September) Table Top

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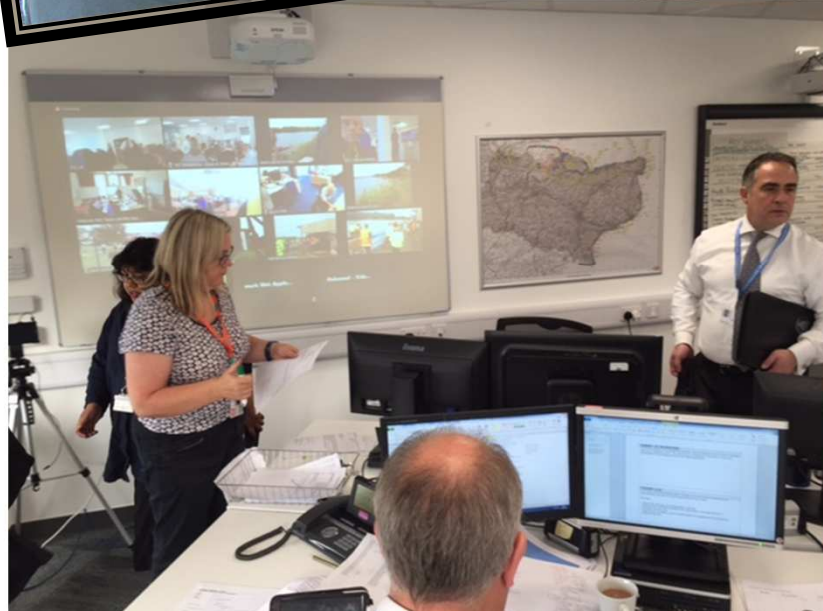


County Emergency Centre

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Shepway District Emergency Centre

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- Evacuation of local residents
- Evacuation Assembly Point co-ordination
- Rest Centre co-ordination
- Local Social Care staff

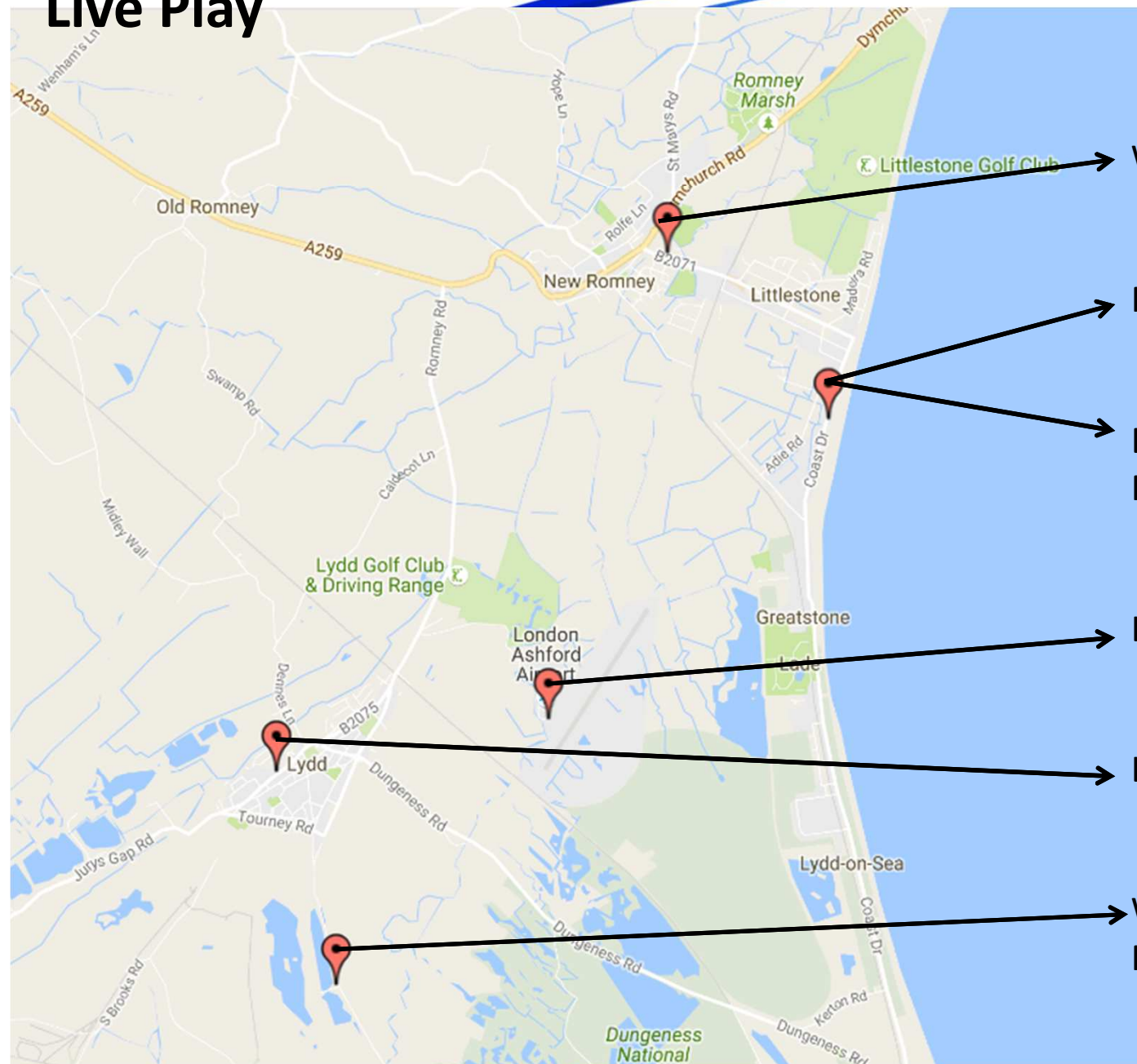


Live Play

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Welfare Centre

Flood Defence Barrier

Evacuation Assembly Point

Lydd Airport

Lydd Fire Station

Wet Rescue, Dengemarsh Road

Evacuation Assembly Point

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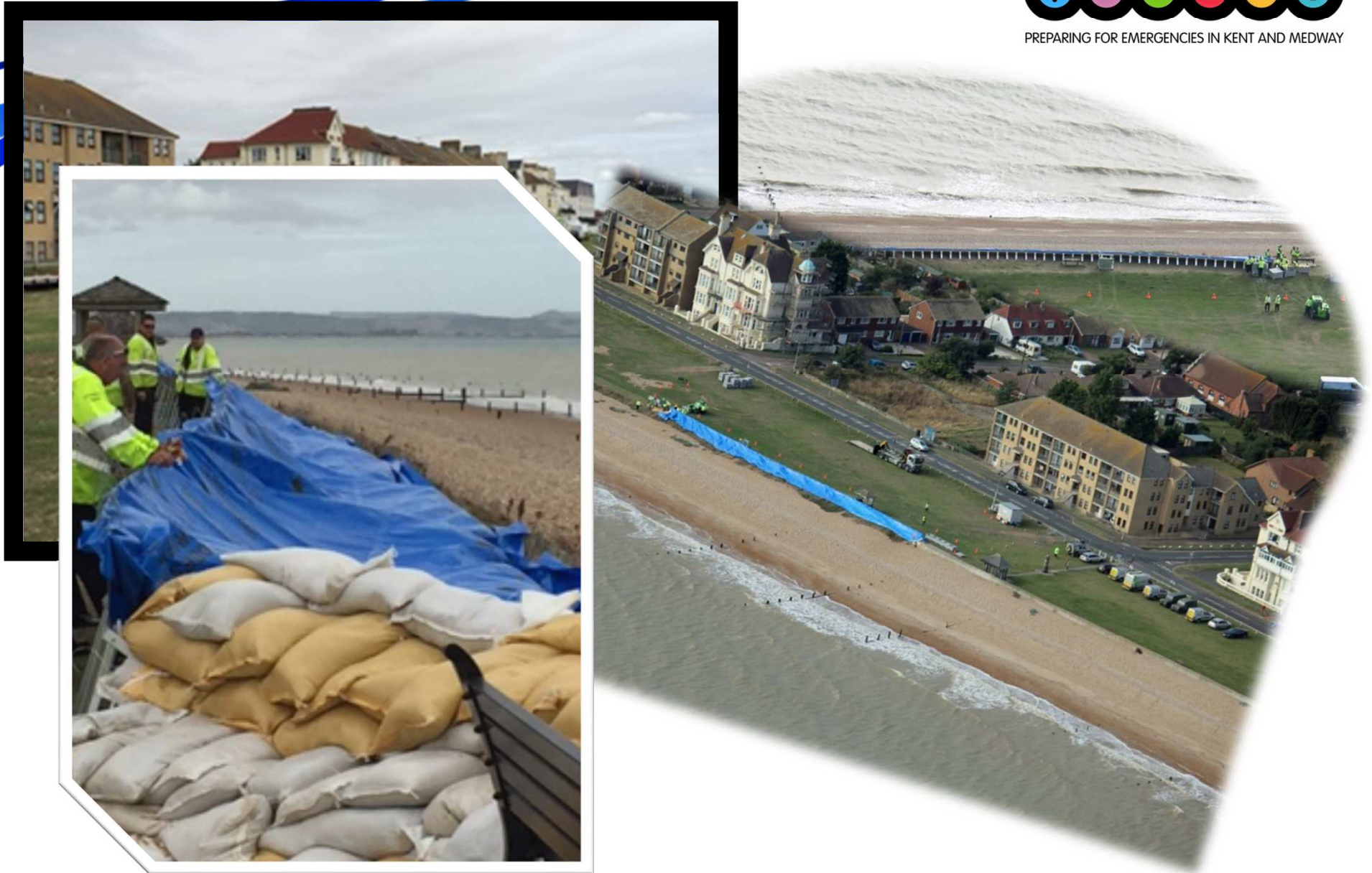


Flood Defence Barrier

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Wet Rescue

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Day 3 (29th September)

Recovery and Business Continuity

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- Three multi agency debriefs*
 - Exercise Planning
 - Local Authority
 - Multi-agency
 - *Plus single agency debriefs (KCC's on 17th October)
- Number of recommendations
 - Exercise Planning
 - Local Authority
 - Multi-agency

