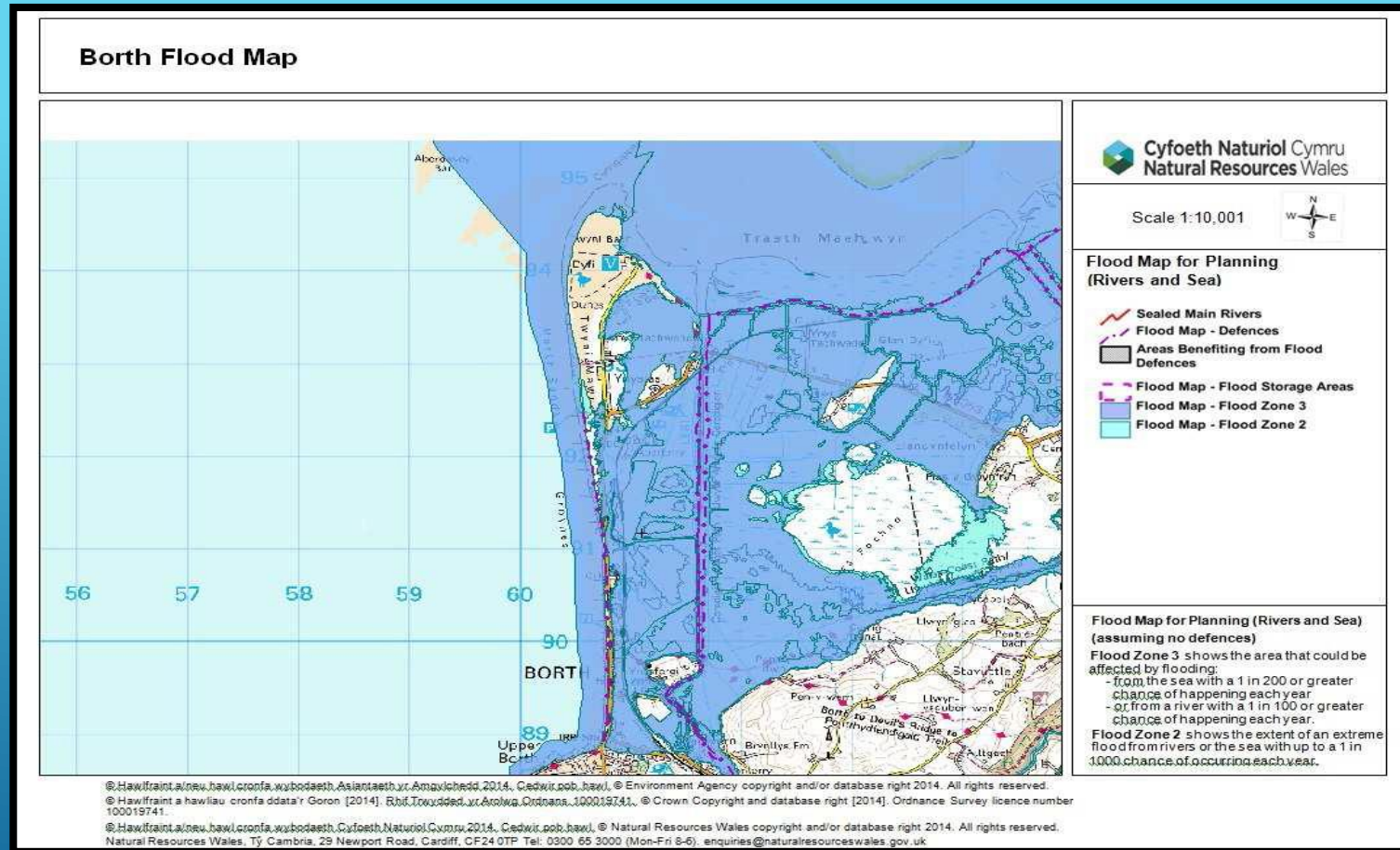


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Partnership – Experience – Local knowledge

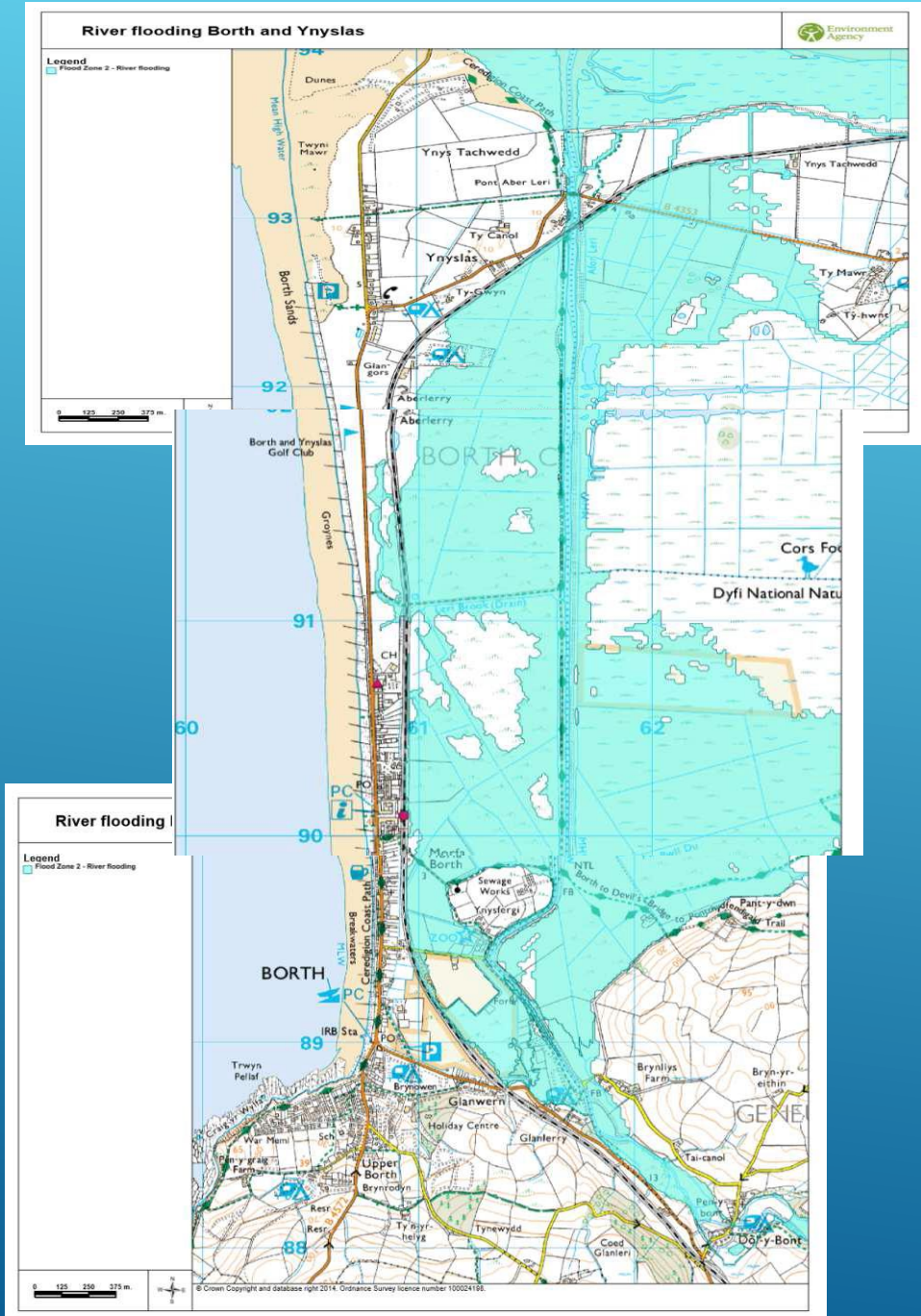
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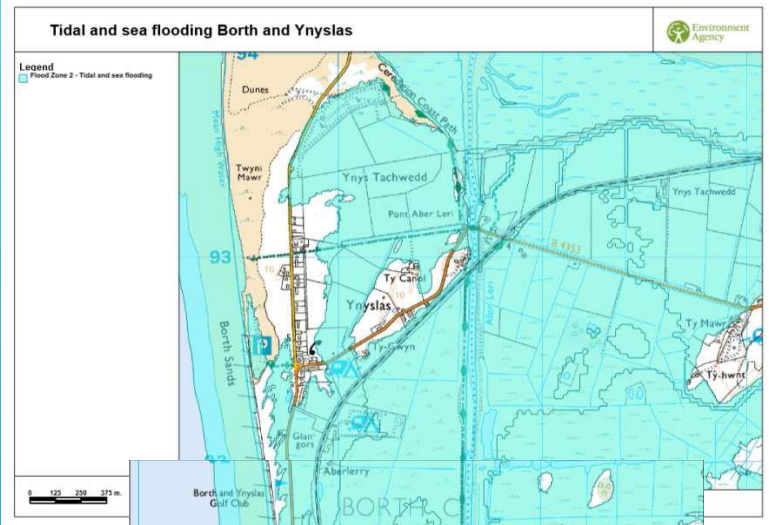


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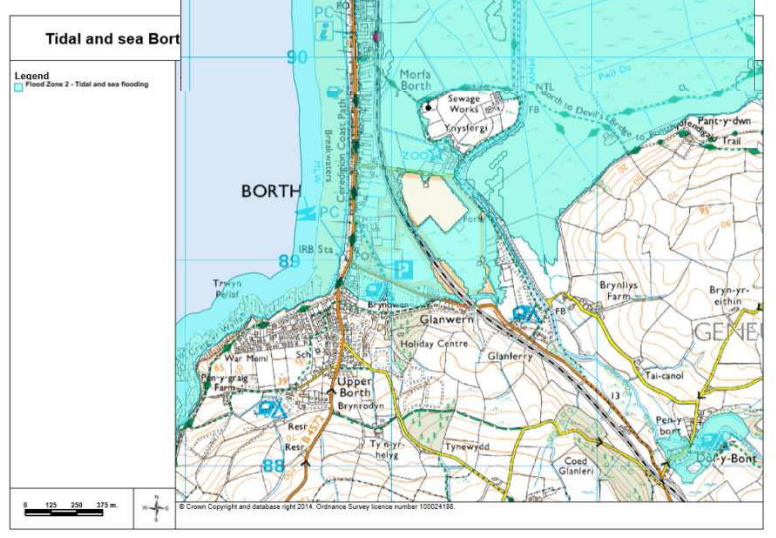
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Be aware

Locations at risk from river flooding

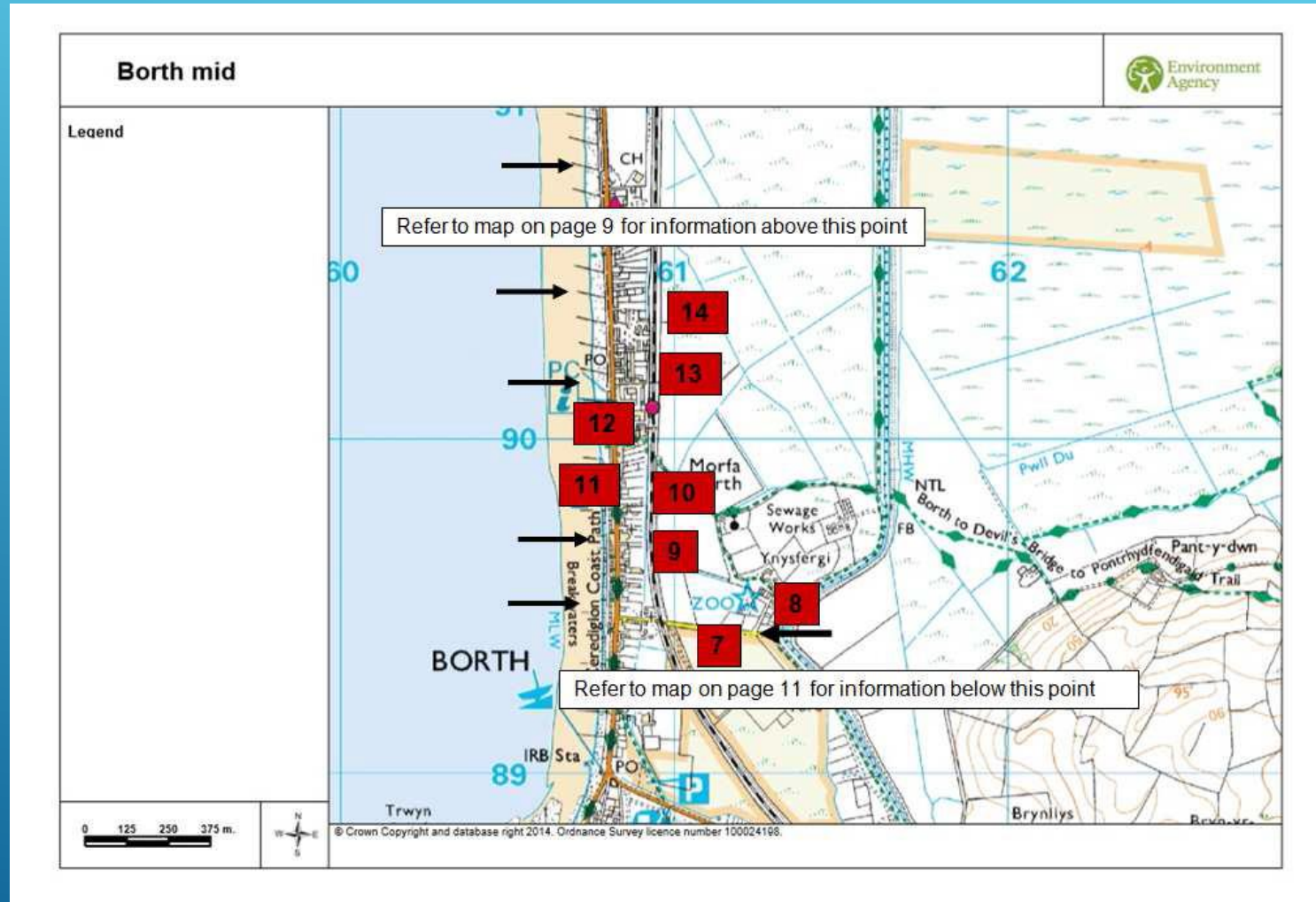




Locations at risk from tidal & sea flooding



Locations at risk, source and Local Actions



Flood Wardens

Vital link

- ~25 flood wardens, cover identified areas.
- Messages about flood risk, personal plans, registering.
- Messages about active flood alerts.
- Residents who may need assistance.
- Monitoring and communication.
- Getting information out.

More Flood Wardens welcomed!

Register Floodline Warnings Direct

Floodline Warnings Direct: Register a Home

First we need to find out if your home is at risk from flooding. Please supply us with your postcode. house name will also help us to find your address, although these are not required.

Required fields are marked with *.

Home Property Address Finder

House number

House name

Postcode *

Floodline Number

0845 988 1188

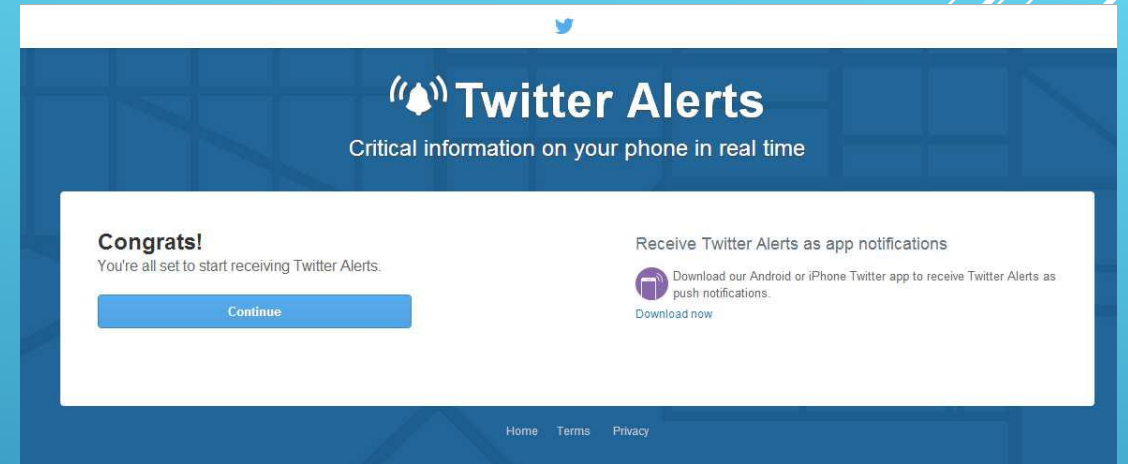
option 1, enter code

194406 (English)

184406 (Welsh)

Specific local information for Tidal area at Borth

Twitter Alerts



Telephone numbers

Coastguard 999

RNLI (Coastguard service) 999

Ceredigion CC

Welsh Water

BT

Scottish Power etc.

Equipment

- **Stormboards**

- Community Council will store.
- Coastguard/RNLI/volunteers to place and remove.

- **Storm gates**

- We close when need to.

- **Sand bags**

- CCC voluntary service.
- Priorities for placing.
- Effective use and re-use.

- **Flood prevention measures**

- Your responsibility.
- E.g. Kitemark flood gates, sandbags.



Evacuation/Rest centre

1st. Youth Centre
Upper Borth



2nd. Craig-yr-Wylfa School
Upper Borth



3rd. Memorial Hall
Off High Street, Borth



Youth Centre, Upper Borth



When relocating

- Notice from Emergency Services, flood alert, flood wardens, TV/radio.
- Timeframe to relocate within.
- May be advice on getting there (from Ynyslas, past seafront railings..)

At the rest centre

- Basic needs provided, no alcohol.
- Register in and out.
- Heating (take warm things)
- Pets.
- Considerate parking.

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Actions to be taken in a flood

Local flood warning triggers

- Floodline Warnings Direct.
- N. Ceredigion flood warning.
- Storm surge warning.
- Heavy/prolonged rain.
- Exceptionally high river level.
- Local knowledge/experience.
- Flooding witnessed.
- Coastguard/Flood Warden activates plan.



Actions to be taken in a flood

1. Activate Community Flood Plan

2. Contact on Flood Plan: community actions begin

- Flood Plan Co-ordinators.
- Flood Wardens.
- Residents: personal flood plan and prevention measures.
- Evacuation centre opened.
- Assistance by unaffected volunteers / residents.

Actions to be taken in a flood

3. Contact: NRW, CCC, Floodline

- Site specific flooding information.
- Source, depth, what's affected.

4. Remain vigilant

- Keep up to date.
- Floodline, Borth Community website, weather.

5. Assess the situation

- Improving/worsening.

6. Review and update the plan

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Additional information



Flood Alert

- Flooding possible 2 hours – 2 days.
- Be prepared to act on your flood plan. Flood kit of essential items.
- Monitor local water levels and the flood forecast.

Flood Warning

- Flooding expected within ½ hour to 1 day. Immediate action.
- Move family, pets and valuables to a safe place.
- Turn off gas, electricity and water supplies if safe to do so.
- Put flood protection equipment in place.

Severe Flood Warning

- Severe flooding. Danger to life.
- Stay in a safe place with a means of escape.
- Be ready if you need to evacuate.
- Co-operate with the emergency services. Call 999 if in immediate danger.

What to do next?

- Get prepared (water, wind, no electricity, debris).
- Floodline Warnings Direct free service.
- Look at the Community Flood Plan.
- Find out who your Flood Warden is.
- Ask any questions, ask for help.
- Information to help you make choices.



The End