

Joint Resilience Committee

Amended Terms of Reference

The Joint Resilience Committee comprising of Elected Members from Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council and City & County of Swansea will:-

- Meet **bi-monthly** to oversee the development of emergency planning, business continuity and risk management strategies and processes so that the Authorities meet their Civil Contingency duties.
- Review, scrutinise and inform the development of a Resilience Work Programme for both Authorities.
- To promote improved Resilience partnership working with the South Wales Local Resilience Forum, partner agencies and stakeholders.
- To raise the understanding of the Local Authorities' statutory duties under the Civil Contingencies Act and other Emergency Planning Legislation, and to escalate issues within each Authority, as appropriate
- Promote and support the work carried out by the Joint Resilience Unit to raise awareness of the implementation of the civil contingency duties of the Local Authority as a Category 1 responder.
- To build and develop through Community Leadership the awareness and need for more resilience within our own communities
- Arrange Elected Member Seminars, training, awareness and informing events to further develop the resilience agenda.