

Attachment A: DEM Notifications and Support

REQUIRED NOTIFICATIONS

DEM Emergency Response (*anytime, any release*)

Weekdays, 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM – Phone (401) 222-1360

After-hours, weekends, holidays – Phone (401) 222-3070 or 800-498-1336

Mike Mulhare, Emergency Response Administrator

Phone: (401) 222-4700 or 222-2771, ext. 7124

RI EMA

Anytime, any emergency – call (401) 946-9996

CONDITIONAL NOTIFICATIONS

WHEN PUBLIC HEALTH MAY BE AFFECTED:

Rhode Island Department of Health (HEALTH)

Walter S. Combs, Jr., Director, Division of Environmental Health

Call (401) 222-3118; FAX (401) 222-6953

Ernest Julian, Chief, Office of Food Protection

Call (401) 222-4775; FAX (401) 222-2749

After-hours emergency: (401) 272-5952

WHEN EXPLOSIVES ARE SUSPECTED:

State Fire Marshall

Phone: (401) 294-0861

WHEN RADIOLOGICAL HAZARDS ARE SUSPECTED:

RI EMA

Anytime phone: (401) 946-9996

Lou Ferrante, Phone: 462-7112 or 751-1516

HEALTH (when incident entails transport of radioactive waste or scrap)

Jack Ferruolo, Supervising Radiologist

Phone: 222-7747

Marie Stoeckel, Chief of Occupational Health

Phone: 222-7755

After-hours emergency: (401) 272-5952

Additional Support:

Repositories in RI

Nuclear Science Center

Director, Terry Tehan, Phone: 789-9391

Rhode Island Hospital

Radiation Safety Officer, Doug Shearer, Phone: 444-5961

Brown University

Radiation Safety Officer, Ninni Jacob, Phone: 863-1738
US Department of Energy
Police Headquarters, Brookhaven National Laboratory
Dispatcher of Rapid Assistance Program (RAP) Response Team
Anytime (24/7) phone: (631) 344-2200
Commercial Brokers and Processors
Radiation Safety Associates (Paul Steinmeyer)
Phone: 860-228-0487
Radiac Research
Phone: 800-640-7511
Seb Cannata (in CT), Phone: 860-529-4054
See lists on-line: <<http://www.crcpd.org/CommercialServices/>>
Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors (CRCPD)
Phone: 502-227-4543

WHEN OIL OR HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES HAVE BEEN OR MAY BE RELEASED:

For releases in navigable waters:

[National Response Center](http://www.nrc.uscg.mil/nrcrptxt.htm) (NRC), U.S. Coast Guard. See
<<http://www.nrc.uscg.mil/nrcrptxt.htm>> for summary of reporting requirements
All discharges/releases of oil or hazardous substances into navigable
waters must be reported immediately by the spiller (person in charge of
the vessel or facility) to the National Response Center (NRC). The NRC
will contact appropriate local USCG or Environmental Protection Agency
(EPA) offices.

Call (800) 424-8802 or (202) 267-2675

If it is not practical to contact the NRC, contact the USCG, Marine
Safety Officer (MSO), Providence Main Office

24-hour line: (401) 435-2300 or 800-644-0217

All reports should include as much information as possible for the "ICS
Initial Incident Information" form in the RI DEM ERP.

Standard [NRC Report Forms](#) are also available on-line at
<<http://www.nrc.uscg.mil/reportxt.htm>>.

For inland releases in RI:

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 1

In addition to notifying the appropriate state, for spills occurring in the
Inland Zone of Rhode Island and Southeastern Massachusetts contact
the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1

Day time: (617) 918-1111/1591

24-hour line: 800-424-8802

For releases apt to affect MA:

Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection

All discharges/releases of oil or hazardous substances into Southeastern
Massachusetts must be immediately reported to Massachusetts DEP.

Day time: (508) 946-2850

24-hour line: 888-304-1133

For releases apt to affect CT:

Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection ()

All discharges/releases of oil or chemicals in Connecticut must be immediately reported to the Connecticut DEP.
Call (860) 424-3338

WHEN RELEASE MAY AFFECT A SHORE OR WETLAND

Some emergency response and remediation activities that affect a watershed (e.g., beach cleaning) are exempted from normal permit requirements "to protect public health and safety from actual or immanent harm." However assent of the relevant authority may be required. Assent must be sought as soon as possible.

For coastal resources, e.g., shoreline, beach, salt marsh (RICRMP Section 180),
Coastal Resources Management Council (CRMC)

Grover Fugate, Director, or David Reis, Supervising Biologist
Phone: (401) 783-3370
Jeff Willis, Deputy Director
Phone: (401) 783-7187

WHEN RELEASE MAY AFFECT A CULTURALLY SIGNIFICANT SITE

Anyone whose actions affect a site of archeological, cultural, or historical significance in Rhode Island is required to consult The State of RI Historical Preservation and Heritage Commission (RIHPHC). Likewise, activities that affect properties of traditional religious and cultural importance to the Narragansett Indian Tribe must consult the Narragansett Indian Tribal Historic Preservation Office (NITHPO).

RI Historical Preservation And Heritage Commission (RIHPHC)

Contact:

Ted Sanderson, RIHPHC Executive Director
Phone: (401) 222-4130; FAX: (401) 222-2968

Alternates:

Richard Greenwood, RIHPHC Project Review Coordinator.
Phone: (401) 222-4134
Paul Robinson, State Archeologist
Phone: (401) 222-4139

Narragansett Indian Tribal Historic Preservation Office (NITHPC)

Contact

John Brown, Preservation Officer
Phone: (401) 539-1190; FAX: (401) 539-4217

Alternate:

Doug Harris
Phone: (401) 539-1190

Locating Heritage Sites:

[RIGIS](http://www.edc.uri.edu/rigis-spf/statewide/state.html#cultural) posts geographic data (albeit several years old) on such sites at <<http://www.edc.uri.edu/rigis-spf/statewide/state.html#cultural>>. They include:

- Archeological Sites (distribution restricted)

- Historic Districts and Properties on National Register of Historic Places
- Sites and Monuments on National Register of Historic Places
- Districts, Properties, Buildings, and Monuments that are historically significant but not (yet—as of 1989?) on the National Register of Historic Places

Since both registered and eligible sites require consultation, the age of digitized records may be acceptable. For security purposes, archeological GIS data are both low-resolution (20-acre grid) and limited in access. For access, contact John Stacklehaus at RIGIS (222-6483) or RIHPHC (222-2678).

Since it is the most frequent user and contributor to data on heritage sites, the Department of Transportation (DOT) is working with RIHPHC to update and digitize records for GIS. In the meantime, for help in using data on these sites or field experience with them, contact:

Mike Hebert

Phone: (401) 222- 6935, ext. 4040; FAX: (401) 222-2207

or Barry Simpson

Phone: (401) 222- 6935, ext. 4056

WHEN RESPONSE MAY REQUIRE SUPPORT FOR DEBRIS OR WASTE DISPOSAL Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation (RIRRC)

Dennis aRusso, Landfill Manager

Phone: (401) 942-1430, ext. 201

James Allam, Deputy Executive Director

Phone: (401) 942-1430, ext. 213

Claude Cote, Attorney

Phone: (401) 942-1430, ext. 221

WHEN AN INCIDENT POSES AN ECONOMIC EMERGENCY

When an incident threatens the survival of RI businesses, the RI Economic Development Corporation (EDC) can expedite the delivery of emergency economic services (e.g., small business loans, unemployment compensation, or food stamps for fishing or tourism operations near an oil spill). EDC is prepared to coordinate these efforts with the RI Department of Labor and Training and the Department of Health and Human Services. Through the Rhode Island Tourism Division, EDC can also help find hotel rooms for visiting responders.

Call EDC at (401) 222-2601

Earl Queenan, Finance, ext. 129

Andy Dzykewicz, DEM Liaison, ext. 110

Mike McMahon, Director , ext. 104

Bill Parsons, Deputy Director, ext. 109

Rick Reed, Administrator, ext. 126

DEM EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS

Contact the DEM Office of Law Enforcement:

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Ken McKay, Chief of Staff

Phone: (401) 222-8060

Tim Brown, Senior Advisor for Public Safety

Phone: (401) 222-8133

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT FOR EMERGENCY RESPONDERS

In securing the site, contact the police department of the jurisdiction (see contact information below).

In suppressing or preventing fire, contact the fire department of the jurisdiction (see contact information below).

Note: community emergency numbers are available on-line at <http://www.state.ri.us/riema/locald.htm>

RI POLICE DEPARTMENTS

Location	Emergency Phone 911 or (401)	Non-emergency Phone (401)	FAX (401)
Barrington	437-3930		437-3939
Block Island	466-3220		466-3228
Bristol		253-6900	253-1540
Burrville	568-6255		568-9499
Central Falls		727-7411	725-4211
Charlestown	364-1212	364-1214	364-1232
Coventry		826-1100	826-3419
Cranston	942-2211		944-3370
Cumberland		333-2500	334-4855
East Greenwich		884-2244	886-8653
East Providence	431-1100	435-7600	431-2320; 435-7609
Foster	647-3334	397-3317 397-3318	397-8731
Glocester		568-2533	568-3280
Hopkinton		377-7750 377-7751	377-7755
Jamestown		423-1212 423-1670	423-3710
Johnston	231-8100	231-4210	231-9650
Lincoln	333-1111	333-8281	334-4244 (Det fax) 334-5020
Little Compton	635-2311		635-8782
Middletown		846-1144 846-1104	847-0196
Narragansett	789-1011 789-1091		789-8819

Narragansett Tribal	364-3405		364-0784
Navy Base NETC PD	841-3241 841-3242	841-4041	841-2648
Newport	847-1302 847-1306	847-1212	(Records) 847- 5598
North Providence	231-4533	233-1433	233-1438
North Kingstown	294-3311	294-3316	294-6830
North Smithfield	762-1212		762-9412
Pawtucket	726-3911	727-9100, x 9	727-9133
Portsmouth	683-2422	683-0300	683-2020
Providence	272-1111	272-3121	243-6446
Prudence Island	683-2422		
Richmond	539-8292	539-8292	539-8293
Scituate	821-5900		823-7140
Smithfield	231-2500		231-1641
South Kingstown	783-3341	783-3321	788-9775
Tiverton	624-3222	625-5921	624-1750
Warren	245-1311		245-8220
Warwick	737-2244	468-4350	468-4358
Westerly	596-2022		596-7501
West Greenwich	397-7191		397-6890
West Warwick	821-4323		822-9206
Woonsocket	769-1111 767-8815		766-8897
State Police - HQ in Scituate	444-1000		444-1133 (Truck Squad) 444- 1140
- Block Island	Seasonal (Memorial to Labor Day) 466-5656		
- Chepachet	444-1065 444-1111 (via HQ)		
- Exeter	294-7377 539-2323 (via HV)		
- Hope Valley	444-1068		539-2326; 539-2411
- Lincoln	444-1100		722-0490
- Portsmouth	444-1066 444-1088		849-4446
- Wickford	444-1064 294-3371		295-7240

RI FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Location	Emergency Phone 911 or (401)	Non-emergency Phone (401)
Barrington Fire Dept.	437-3930	
Bristol Fire Dept.	253-6912	253-6912
Burrillville	-	
- Harrisville Hose Co.	568-2121	568-5110
- Nasonville	568-2121	568-5020
- Oakland/Mapleville	568-2121	568-5720
- Pascoag	568-2121	
Central Falls Fire Dept.	727-7444	727-7446
Charlestown Fire District	364-7711	
Central Coventry Fire Dist.	821-3456 821-3494	
- Coventry Fire District	821-3456 821-3494	
- Harris Fire District	821-3456 821-3494	
- Clariant Corporation	641-3700	823-2000, x2480
- Hopkins Hill Rd. Fire Dept.	821-3456 821-3494	821-6866
- Tiogue Fire Dept.	821-3456 821-3494	828-4359
- Washington Fire District	821-3456	822-4020
Cranston Fire Department	461-5000	461-1000
Cumberland Fire District	333-2600	333-4311
- Cumberland Hill Fire Dept.	333-2600	658-0544
- North Cumberland Fire Dept.	911	333-2244
- Valley Falls Fire Dept.	333-2600	722-5992
East Providence	431-1111	435-7678
Exeter	294-2233	294-6511
Foster Center Volunteer Fire Dept.	647-5944	
- Potterville Fire Dept.	911	647-3505

Glocester		
- Chepachet Fire Dept.	568-8282	
- Harmony Fire Dept.	568-8282	949-1188
- W. Glocester Fire & Rescue	568-5511 568-8282	
Hopkinton		
- Ashaway Volunteer Fire Assn.	911	377-4549
- Hope Valley/Wyoming Fire Dist.	911	539-2229
Jamestown Fire Department	423-1313	423-0062
Johnston	274-1111	351-1600
- Albion Fire District	333-1111	333-1242
- Lime Rock Fire District	333-1111	334-2131
- Lonsdale Fire Dept.	331-1111	725-8125
- Saylesville Fire Dept.	333-1111	728-2960
- Quinville Fire Dept.	333-1111	333-0081
Little Compton Fire Dept.	635-2323	
Newport		847-2695
North Scituate		
- Chopmist Hill Fire Dept.	821-5900	647-7205
- N. Scituate Fire Dept.#1	821-5900	647-9298
North Smithfield	762-1414	762-1135
- Primrose Fire Dept.	762-1414	762-1135
Pawtucket	725-1420	725-1422
Portsmouth	683-1155	683-1200
Providence	274-3344	274-3348
Richmond/Carolina Fire Dept		364-7051
Rhode Island, State of		
- RIANG/Quonset Crash Rescue	886-1300	
- RI Div. Of Fire Safety	294-0861	294-0861
- T.F. Green Airport Fire/Rescue	737-4000, x 266	737-4000, x 268
Scituate		
- Hope-Jackson Fire District		828-6460
Smithfield	949-1233	949-1330
South Kingstown		
- Union Fire District	783-2422	
Tiverton		625-6740
Warren	245-3411	245-7600
Westerly		596-0402
- Dunn's Corner Fire Dept.	322-0577	322-0577
- Watch Hill Fire Dept.	348-8933	348-8932
West Greenwich	397-3388	397-7519
- Lake Mishnock Fire Dept.	397-3388	397-7353
West Warwick	821-4211	822-9241
Woonsocket	766-1234	765-2500

**FOR OTHER RECOMMENDED NOTIFICATIONS AND RESPONSE RESOURCES
SEE ALSO "[SECTION 2 – NOTIFICATIONS](#)" IN THE RI DEM ERP**