

Flood Aware - Be prepared

Flood Awareness and mitigation



Join us at Stanmore
fire station (650
Honeypot lane, HA7
1JS) on **February 16
2026 at 10am-3pm**
for an open day in
collaboration with
LFB and EA to learn
more about how to
keep your home
safe.



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Flood Risk in Harrow – Why It Matters



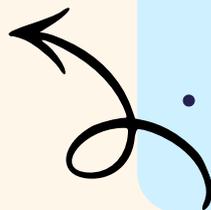
Q Dangers of flood water

Flood water is unsafe and unpredictable. It may contain:

- Hidden hazards
- Contamination
- Strong currents
- Electrical dangers
- Unstable ground

Where you can you must avoid contact with flood water. Do not let young people or pets play in it.

Scan below to visit the LFB webpage!



Flooding happens when heavy rainfall overwhelms drains and local rivers.

Some areas are at higher risk than others. Knowing your local risk can help you protect your home and keep your family safe.

Q Is my house at risk?

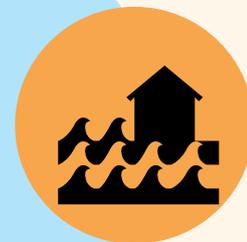
Areas with high flood risk include:

- Edgware Brook (Stanmore): affects approx. 1,761 properties
- Wealdstone Brook (Kenton): affects approx. 1,759 properties
- Yeading Brook East (South Ruislip): affects approx. 530 properties
- River Pinn (Pinner): affects approx. 650 properties
- Woodridings Stream (Pinner Green): affects approx. 120 properties
- River Pinn (Eastcote Village): affects approx. 220 properties

Join us in collaboration with **London Fire Brigade and the Environment Agency** for an interactive open day to learn more!

Stanmore Fire station, 650 Honeypot lane, HA7 1JS - 16 February 2026, 10am - 3pm. (Visit our social media for more information: [@HarrowCouncil](#)) 1

How can I reduce the impacts of a flood?



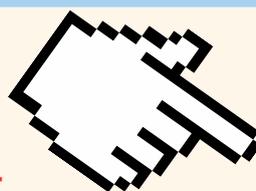
Knowing when there is a likelihood of a flood and preparing is important in protecting your home.



Flood Alerts

Sign up for free flood warnings by phone, email or app: gov.uk/sign-up-for-flood-warnings

Enable emergency alerts on your smartphone and download the Met Office app for severe weather updates.



What measures can I take?

- Fit flood barriers or door guards
- Install automatic air bricks
- Keep drains and gutters clear
- Store valuables and documents upstairs
- Check your insurance covers flooding
- See if you're eligible for the **Flood Re** scheme (learn more at our open day!)

Installing flood protection and putting emergency plans in place can help protect your home.



Visit the Environment Agency's webpage for further support:
<https://consult.environment-agency.gov.uk/hnl/prepare-respond-recover/>

What to do if you need to leave home



Remember to dial 999 in an emergency.



Q What should I take with me if I need to leave?

Prepare a small grab bag with:

- Essential medicines and first aid
- Baby/pet food
- Important documents and ID
- Phone chargers, torches and batteries
- Warm clothing, water and snacks
- Cash, keys, and pet supplies
- Turn off gas, electricity and water if it is safe to do so



Q Where can I go if I need to evacuate?

During serious flooding, Harrow Council may open Rest Centres offering safety, warmth, refreshments and support.

Updates will be shared via Harrow Council's website, social media and local radio.

Keep an eye out for locations as and when needed through the above mentioned communication channels.

Scan the QR for more information on LBH's emergency planning and our upcoming **open day on February 16 2026 10am - 3pm** where you can engage with our borough's firefighters and learn more about keeping your home and family safe.

