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PLACE OF SAFETY



What is it?

- Secure environment for your community during an emergency
- Somewhere that is able to provide care and comfort at short notice



Who opens and runs it?

- Local Community run venues
- Supported by Somerset Council
- Supported by Voluntary Agencies
- No contractual obligation to open



What does your Place of Safety ideally need?

- Disabled access
- Toilets
- Heating
- Light refreshments



What's Involved?

- Hot drinks and beverages
- Care and comfort to those affected
- Local point of contact for the responding agencies
- Inform Somerset Council Duty Emergency Planning Officer when open

Simple Plans Safer Places ☑

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