

Emergency Response Procedure

Closed road – Emergency services access

Symal will maintain lines of communication with emergency services throughout the construction process updating council via email of works, site contact information and times of works.

Symal will create small laydown areas (where possible) close to the works so all plant can be moved off the road in case of emergency.

Symal will stop work at all times when contacted by emergency services Police, Fire and Ambulance.

Symal will stop, move the piling rig and other plant off the road and make the road serviceable for emergency vehicles.

At anytime there is a fire, house fire or bush fire within the valley no work will start or work will be stopped immediately. Symal will have a water cart and fire extinguishers on site in case of construction fire on site.

If approached by a member of the public with a medical emergency from the high side of the construction works, Symal Supervisor will contact Paramedics immediately, stop works on the construction site and assist the injured personnel by foot or stretcher to the other side of the construction site.

If the injured person requires minor first aid, the first aid officer will assist.

All construction site personnel will undergo a toolbox talk on this procedure prior to starting work on site. An emergency drill will be undertaken so all workers are aware of their role in case of an emergency and if emergency access is required.

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