

Incident Situation Report Form

Event	Grenfell Tower Fire			SitRep No.	1
Incident Date	14.06.2017	Time	0054	hrs	Completed by
SitRep Date	16.06.2017	Time	0700	hrs	Authorised by
					Louise Elstow
					David Kerry

HEADING	DETAIL					
Type/Description	Major fire at Grenfell Tower Block resulting in multiple fatalities and complete loss of building. CAD number: 482 of the 14.06.2017					
Location of Incident	Grenfell Tower Block, Grenfell Road, London, W1 1WA					
Date and Time Incident Occurred	Fire first reported at 00:54 14.06.2017. First reported to LBKC Duty Officer at 02:03			Major Incident Declared	Yes	
Special Hazards (if any)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presence of cyanide confirmed in building (reported from Silver Meeting by LALO) – but minimal risk. Presence of asbestos confirmed, but minimal. PHE have tested air quality and advised that there is no ongoing health risk, smoke from the fire was not toxic, air quality is good (reported at SCG on 14.06.2017 at 1930) 					
Road Access and Cordon Information	Full extent of roads closures on 14-15.06.2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Silchester Road between Bramley Rd and and near to Verity Close Bramley Raod closed between Silchester Road and Whitchurch Road Grenfell Road Bowmore Road Dulford Street Clarendon Road between Dulford Street and Cornwall Crescent Reduced cordon put in place from 0500 16.06.2017.					
Agencies involved	RBKC LAS MPS LFB NHS England National Grid PHE Thames Water UKPN		BRC Environment Agency TfL HM Coroner Faith Sector London Resilience Group DCLG GLA HSE			
Receiving Hospitals	Kings College Hospital Chelsea and Westminster Royal Free Guys and St Thomas's St Mary's Paddington Charing Cross					
Casualties	Deaths:	17 confirmed (more to be confirmed)	Injured:	69 treated by LAS on scene	Missing:	37 reported in media
Evacuees (total)	Approx 200	Buildings Evacuated	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grenfell Tower (destroyed 120 units of 1 and 2 bed flats) Grenfell Walk (still evacuated) Barandon Walk (Re-occupied from approx. 2100 15.06.2017) 			

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Testerton Walk (Re-occupied from approx. 2100 15.06.2017) • Hurstway Walk except no's 501-562 (Re-occupied from approx. 2100 15.06.2017) • Treadgold House • Kensington Aldrich Academy • Kensington Leisure Centre
Family and Friends Reception Centre	In Westway Sports Centre – same location as the Rest Centre as many of the people involved are both residents and family and friends of the missing, injured and deceased. This is being managed by the police.		
Emergency Rest Centres and Housing Plan	<p>First rest centre was a hotel Bellusuis hotel, 13-15 Shepherds Bush Green, W12 8PH – offered the facility to RBKC who accepted. The Harrow Club at Freston Rd (a council rest centre) was also opened. BRC was called out to staff both.</p> <p>Multiple rest centres were opened spontaneously by faith community as well, but these were only open for first night until RBKC determined needed to have one location to maintain oversight of the situation. Main rest centre at the Westway Sports Centre – now set up with BRC staff on 8 hour shifts and an RBKC RC Manager and Senior Officer. Around 30 people on Weds night and 10-15 on Thursday night. Has been quiet and well managed.</p> <p>Residents from Grenfell and the vulnerable being put up in hotels – other evacuees have arranged own accommodation or can stay in RC.</p>		
Private Housing, etc, destroyed and damaged	Not aware of any – although some ash and falling debris that had landed on adjacent building has been cleared up.		
Public Buildings destroyed and damaged	Complete loss of building function – shell of the structure remains. Damage to other evacuated buildings caused by LFB and MPS gaining access to ensure properties were evacuated.		
Commercial Properties destroyed and damaged	Not aware of any – although some ash and falling debris that had landed on adjacent building has been cleared up.		
Gas	Was off – National Grid are restoring, priority being given to the vulnerable	Electricity On or Off	On
Water Supply On or Off	Water is on - but there is no hot water supply.	Drains & Sewers On or Off	On
Transport Disruptions	<p>Multiple road closures in place.</p> <p>A40 was closed on morning of the fire, but was confirmed that it had reopened by 0300 on 15.06.2017.</p> <p>Hammersmith and City Line was closed Hammersmith to Edgware Rd, fully reopened Thursday 15.06.2017.</p>		
VIP Visits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PM visited midday on Thursday 15.06.2017 • Jeremy Corbyn 15.06.2017 • Sadiq Khan 15.06.2017 • Royal Visit expected on Friday 16.06.2017 		
Issues being managed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flowers – Recommendation to Gold Group that these are to be left at Lancaster Road (between Grenfell Tower and the Sports Centre). • Financial Donations: Can be made to https://thekandcfoundation.com 		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Material Donations – Residents and interested people are being directed to the www.rbkc.gov.uk rather than make material donations. There are significant volumes of donations being handed in at a variety of locations around the borough. Sorting is taking place in the Town Hall. Various options for storage have been offered. Debbie Morris coordinating. • Offers of assistance – Huge volumes of assistance coming in (2000 offers by 1500 on 15.06.2017). These have now been directed to Grenfellvolunteers@rbkc.gov.uk to coordinate- managed by the Call Centre at RBKC. Need to be mindful of the need for assistance alongside the need to satisfy willingness by people to assist. Assistance also from more formal sources – military assistance, Police, M&S for vehicles. • Offers of accommodation: Offers flooding in from around the country as far as Bristol. Some people are getting angry that people are still in rest centres when they have offered accommodation. • Community Assistance Centre: This will need to be set up in next day. Various options for locations and offers have been made. • Mutual Aid for emergency roles (BECC/LALO/ RCManager): Being coordinated by LLACC (London Local Authority Coordination Centre) – part of London Resilience Group. • London Local Authority Gold (LLAG) is John Barrowdale from City of London. 			
Key Meetings taking place	Meeting	Date/Time of next meeting	Location of next meeting	Additional Comments
	MFCG:	16.06.2017 1400	location TBC	Chaired by Dr Fiona Wilcox (Coroner) Richard Buckley to represent RBKC
	Borough Gold	16.06.2017 1000	Kensington Room, KTH	Chaired by Nicholas Holgate (CEO)
	Tactical Meeting	16.06.2017 0900	Kensington Sports Centre	HSE dangerous structures engineer attending
	TCG	16.06.2017 0830	Teleconference	Police Silver
	Recovery Working Group	Not known	Not known	Chair- Not known Sarah Chakar from HSE attending see log 145
	RBKC Humanitarian Assistance Group	Not known	Not known	Chaired by Sue Redmond (Interim Exec Dir. Adult Social Care)
	London SCG	16.06.2017 1100	Teleconference and also at SOR, Lambeth	Chaired by Police. Attended by Tony Redpath and Stuart Priestly for RBKC
Strategic Priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Looking after those immediately affected • Assisting the statutory authorities with their investigations • Responding quickly and effectively to manage the incident • Providing visible leadership 			
Horizon Scanning/ outstanding issues or questions?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flowers: Who does that need to be communicated to? • Donations: These are becoming overwhelming. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Where are these going to be stored? ○ What is the comms message telling people 'Thanks for your kind donations and generosity but we believe we have sufficient and need to assess the need 			

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for what is actually required etc.....so we can ensure we are matching the need with the donation.

- **Offers of assistance:** Need to be mindful of the need for assistance alongside the need to satisfy willingness by people to assist.
 - How can we assure people we are making use of their offers?
- **Offers of accommodation:** How are we managing these? Are we being proactive on media?
- **Community Assistance Centre:** What are the aims of the HA Group? What are the timescales for setting.
- **Finance –** How do we activate Bellwin? (approx. £450K)

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