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<b>Your story</b>	<p>Living at Moruya Heads &amp; seeing the amount of fallen timber &amp; undergrowth throughout the area is a real concern. If National Parks cleaned up their land, State Forest did the same &amp; private land owners were responsible for looking after their properties, this would go a long way to hopefully stop the spread of fire. With the fires we have just had, the RFS website was most of the time not up to date. We were constantly told to keep updated with their app, but it wasn't reliable enough to do so. The other issue was no phone or internet service at times, so we had no idea what was happening. Luckily 2EC radio ( when they were on air ) was the only source of notification that was available. The other concern is, if a fire was to start here, we have no firefighting equipment to control it. Is there a possibility that there could be a RFS station setup here? I realise volunteers would be needed, but I'm sure this could be organised. The council also need to have information on emergency phone numbers &amp; procedures that can be sent out with rate notices.</p>
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Having a central place where everyone knows to use as a information base, particularly for non residents visiting the area, such as Post Office, where a white board could be setup with relevant information on it. Most towns have a PO, maybe that could be standard place for all towns.

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**1.1 Causes and contributing factors**

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**1.2 Preparation and planning**

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**1.3 Response to bushfires**

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**1.4 Any other matters**

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