

Flood Warning & Evacuation Plan

Project: Cumbria Canine Park

Location: Distington, Cumbria

Date: April 2026

1. Site Overview

The site consists of a secure dog exercise area, car park, and controlled entrance/exit.

2. Flood Risk Context

Risk may arise from surface water or nearby watercourses. No overnight occupancy.

3. Flood Warning System

Monitoring via Environment Agency and weather alerts.

Trigger Levels:

- Flood Alert: Monitor
- Flood Warning: Close site
- Severe Warning: Evacuate immediately

4. Evacuation Plan

Primary route: Exercise area → main entrance/exit road

Assembly point: Outside site entrance on higher ground.

Procedure:

- Alert users
- Exit immediately
- Secure dogs
- Check site

5. Site Management

Maintain drainage, clear access, and monitor conditions.

6. Emergency Contacts

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Flood line: 0345 988 1188

7. Responsibilities

Operator manages alerts and closures.

Users follow instructions.

8. Signage

Install warning and evacuation signs.

Conclusion:

Low risk to life with procedures followed.