

Brisbane City Council

Temporary Refuge Shelter opening at RNA Showgrounds

5 March 2025

A temporary refuge shelter will be open from **7am Thursday 6 March** at the **RNA Showgrounds** in **Bowen Hills** for residents needing to leave their properties due to the impacts of Tropical Cyclone Alfred.

The Refuge Shelter will be a short-term facility designed to protect people during the predicted peak wind period of Tropical Cyclone Alfred and is a place of last resortkeep an eye on the

The Refuge Shelter will open from **7am Thursday 6 March 2025** and will accept residents up to **12pm**. After that time, the facility will be locked down.

The shelter will include only basic amenities and will not have beds, cooking facilities or catering.

Please bring non-perishable food and water if possible.

Council will continue to monitor the situation and keep you informed.

An evacuation centre is open at the **Logan Metro Sports and Events Centre** (357 Browns Plains Road, Crestmead) for those in need of emergency accommodation.

The centre is providing:

- Bedding
- Toilets and showers
- Food, tea and coffee

The centre will not be able to accept or house animals or pets. Helpful information about keeping your pets safe during an emergency is available at Protect your pet.

Assistance animals are welcome.