

Likelihood and Impact (Severity) Scoring Scheme

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Score	Description	Description	Parish Council	People/Assets	Cost (£K)
5	Likely: Almost certain to occur.	Catastrophic:	Unable to deal with the problem. External emergency or higher level assistance required	Death or life-changing injury	> £50K
4	Probable: Very likely to occur.	Major: (Critical)	All efforts required to deal with the problem. Emergency services required.	Major injury (eg broken bones, infection) or severe equipment damage requiring extensive repair and/or loss of function	£50K - £20K
3	Possible: Reasonably likely to occur (50:50)	Significant:	Considerable efforts required to deal with the problem. Emergency services potentially required.	Significant injury (eg deep lacerations, eye damage, sharps) or equipment damage requiring extensive repair and/or loss of function	£20K-£10K
2	Conceivable: Credible circumstances may exist, but 2 or more significant factors must be present at the same time.	Minor: (Marginal)	Daily management effort required to resolve the problem or time-limited focused effort.	Minor injury (eg shallow cuts, bruising) or equipment damage requiring minor repair	£10K-£5K
1	Unlikely: Circumstances would have to be extreme, but can't discount the possibility.	Insignificant:	Recoverable through rescheduling of resources; more an inconvenience than a disruption.	Superficial injury (eg scrapes, pinches) or negligible/cosmetic equipment damage	< £5K