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Recipe for Resilience

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Internal capacity

**Towards
Community
-Led
Emergency
Resilience**



Community Capacity



Partnerships



Landscape Management



Recipe for Resilience

Ingredients:

- Recovery Ready Halls project
- Recovery Operations Manual
- Adelaide Hills Community Action
Bushfire Network
- Bushfire Mitigation Strategy
- Community education and community-led
preparedness



Recovery Ready Halls



The community of Charleston exercising their recovery plans.



Resilience staff facilitate workshop with the Adelaide Hills Community Action Bushfire Network.



Council staff participate in desk top bushfire recovery exercise.

Recovery Operations Manual

and

Adelaide Hills Community Action Bushfire Network



Bushfire Mitigation Landscape Strategy



Bushfire Mitigation Landscape Strategy

2024-2028

A plan for how we manage vegetation on public and private land to reduce the risk of bushfires



Resilience staff discuss vegetation management with the community.



Person-Centred Emergency Preparedness (P-CEP) Peer Leadership course participants



Adelaide Hills children take part in preparedness education

Community Education

and

Community-Led Preparedness



Our Method





Step 1: Feed People

- Values people's time
- Provides comfort
- Improves mood and ability to think
- Reinforces our shared humanity





Step 2: Welcome everyone

- Ask “what works for you?”
- Find ways to hear quieter voices
- Open minded, not defensive



Step 3: Nurture relationships

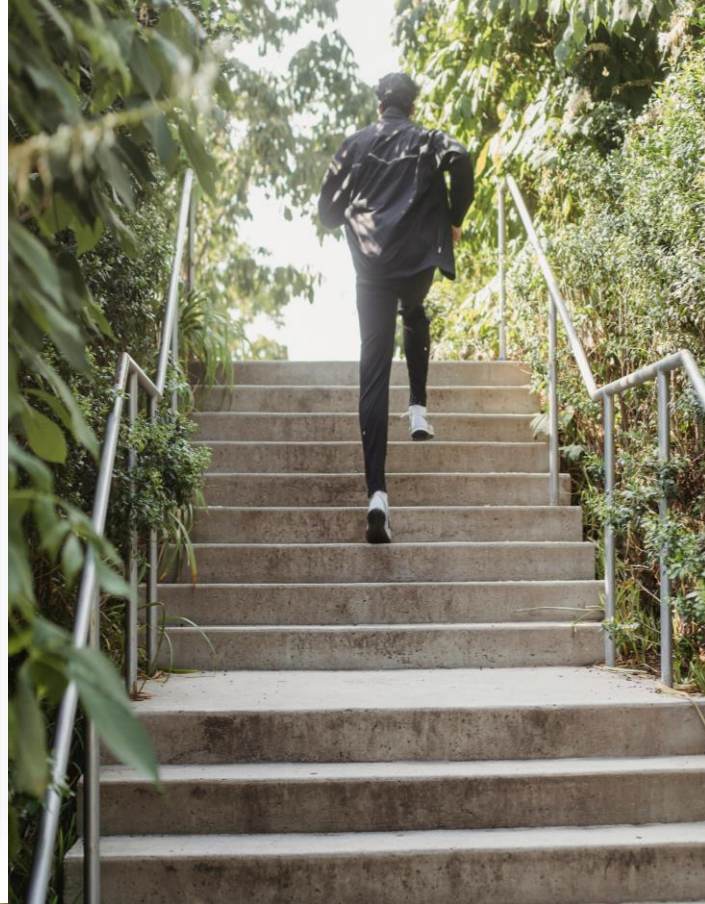
- Authenticity builds resilience
- Embrace humility and growth
- Community are the context experts
- Be prepared to do the heavy lifting





Preparing For Fire Danger Season

Every step helps everyone



Step 4: Small steps

- Progress depends on capacity
- Not always linear
- Focus on what's been achieved, not “gold standard”



Step 5: Celebrate!

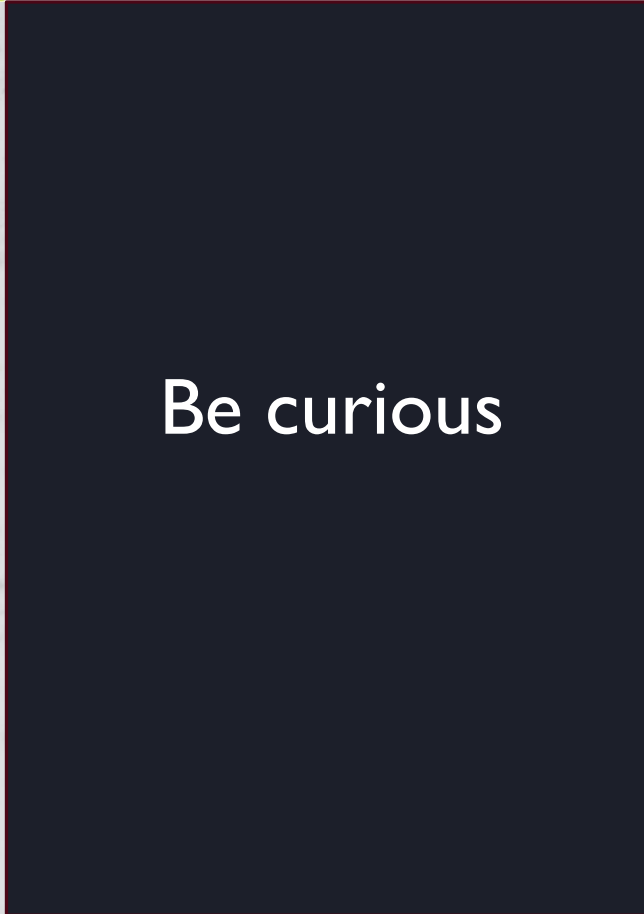
- Recognition
- Makes people feel valued
- Positive feedback loop - keeps them coming back



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Recipe for Resilience

Method:

1. Feed People
2. Welcome Everyone
3. Nurture Relationships
4. Small Steps
5. Celebrate!

Season with curiosity as you go 😊

