

## GUIDANCE NOTE – STORMS & PROPERTY DAMAGE

**Identify any of your neighbours who may be disabled or elderly who would benefit from your assistance.**

### HOME

#### In anticipation

- Secure / store loose objects outside to prevent flying hazards.
- Close / fasten doors and windows securely.
- Park vehicles in a garage or well away from trees, walls, buildings, and fences.

### PERSONAL SAFETY

- Stay indoors as much as possible – do NOT go outside to repair damage whilst storm in progress.
- Do **not approach** electrical or phone **cables** that have been **blown down** or are **still hanging**.
- Be careful where trees and shrubs have either fallen or been uprooted.