



NATIONAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ORGANISATION (NEMO)  
MINISTRY OF NATIONAL SECURITY  
ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES  
WEST INDIES



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**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT**

The National Emergency Management Organisation (NEMO) in collaboration with the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency (CDEMA) Coordinating Unit and the University of the West Indies invite residents of Calliaqua and surrounding areas to a community meeting on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2023 at the Calliaqua Town Hall beginning at 5:30 p.m.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the implementation of the Caribbean Community Risk Information Tool (CCRIT) in Calliaqua which is identified as one of the three most vulnerable communities based on the application of the tool in Saint Vincent and the Grenadines. The CCRIT is a community-based data collection tool that uses quantitative geospatial data and qualitative community socio-demographic data. It facilitates the identification of potential hazards and associated socio-economic vulnerabilities that can affect the respective communities.

Residents of Calliaqua and surrounding areas are asked to make a special effort to attend this community meeting on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2023 beginning at 5:30 p.m.

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