

Bustins Island

Fire/Medical/Police

Emergency Protocol Basics

1. **CALL 911** -You or another person on the scene must immediately call 911 to get Freeport first responders on their way. Identify the nature of the emergency (Police/Fire/Medical) and that you are calling from Bustins Island. The caller should stay on the line with Dispatch to relay information between dispatch and those at the scene.
2. The Island Truck (207-233-8368) must be alerted to meet the first responders at the PUBLIC FLOAT and deliver them and their equipment to the correct location.
If the truck is unavailable, someone has to go to the public float to meet the first responders. This is also the time to make sure enough neighbors are aware of the situation and can be directed to help.
3. There is a First Aid room under the Ships Inn Museum which has an AED, First Aid Kits, Stretchers, and oxygen tanks. The Fire barn has several vehicles including a user-friendly ATV.
4. Every emergency is different. Time of day, weather conditions, on island personnel, availability of private boats will vary. With advice from the 911 dispatcher, you will have to make some judgment calls. Make them. You will be protected by Good Samaritan laws.