Implementing Tsunami Ready in the Indian Ocean

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Launch of Project Phase 2c:
"Strengthening tsunami early warning in the North-West Indian Ocean region through regional cooperation"
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Tsunami Ready and UN Ocean Decade

Implementation Plan for the UN Decade Tsunami Programme (TOWS WG 2021)
Contribute to achieving the societal outcome of A Safe Ocean with the aim of **making 100% of communities at risk of tsunami prepared for and resilient to tsunamis by 2030 through the implementation of the UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Programme**

Tsunami Ready in Indian Ocean
The ICG/IOTWMS **encourages member states to commit to implement the UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready guideline and indicators** and promote open access to high-resolution near shore bathymetry and topography data for accurate inundation and evacuation mapping in support of Tsunami Ready communities (*ICG/IOTWMS Chair at the 53rd IOC EC*)

UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme / UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready (TOWS WG 2022)
- Recommended that the IOC Executive Council at its 55th session consider approving the **establishment of the UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme (UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready)**
- To advise countries that are currently in the process of **implementing Tsunami Ready, to now follow the MG74** when submitting/applying for Tsunami Recognition, and that MG74 will apply for all future applications.
- Establishment of the **Tsunami Ready Coalition**.
- ICG **Tsunami Information Centres (TICs) to facilitate the UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme** in each region.

SAFE OCEAN

Not oceans and shores that do not have coastal hazards (*i.e- Tsunami*).
….. is coastal area and ocean that is understood, observed, can be predicted, and where the people can continue to interact with the sea and oceans for their livelihood and lifestyle without having the fear of coastal hazards (tsunamis), as they already have the awareness, knowledge, preparedness, skills, and abilities to safe themselves in case of an emergency (tsunami)

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The UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme

- Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme is a community performance-based programme that facilitates tsunami preparedness as an active collaboration of the community, community leaders, and national and local emergency management agencies.

- The main goal of the programme is to improve coastal community preparedness for tsunami emergencies, to minimise the loss of life, livelihoods and property, and to ensure a structural and systematic approach in building community preparedness.

- **STRATEGY:**
  Be Aware,
  Be Prepared

- **ACTION:**
  National programmes empower communities

Why Tsunami Ready ?

- An advance tsunami early warning system will not safe life if the **community at risk does not have the knowledge and capacity to respond** to the early warning.

  - High risk of loss of life and property in coastal community with weak or no **community preparedness** for tsunami emergencies.

    - In **near field tsunami**, the community need to react and take action without official warning or guidance

    - Weak or **broken warning chain** to community.

    - Lack or **limited focus in community preparedness** for tsunami.

The Aims of IOC-UNESCO Tsunami Ready Recognition Program

The Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme is a **voluntary international community-based** recognition programme developed by UNESCO/IOC.

It aims to **build resilient communities through awareness and preparedness strategies** that will protect life, livelihoods and property from tsunamis in different regions

Tsunami Ready Community Recognition: 43 Communities

Caribbean (11 communities)
1. St. Kitts and Nevis(1)
2. Anguilla (1)
3. British Virgin Islands (1)
4. Grenada (2)
5. Haiti (1)
6. Antigua and Barbuda (1)
7. Barbados (1)
8. St. Vincent and the Grenadines (1)
9. Trinidad and Tobago (1)
10. Jamaica (1)

Pacific (21 communities)
1. Honduras (3)
2. Costa Rica (11)
3. Samoa (1)
4. El Salvador (2)
5. Guatemala (2)
6. Nicaragua (2)

Indian Ocean (11 communities)
1. Venkatraipur India
2. Noliasahi, India
3. Tanjung Benoa, Indonesia
4. Tambakrejo, Indonesia
5. Panggarangan, Indonesia
6. Glagah, Indonesia
7. Kemadang, Indonesia
8. Pangandaran Indonesia,
9. Mandalika, Indonesia
10. Purus, Indonesia
11. Lolong Belanti, Indonesia

UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Indicators

|	TSUNAMI READY INDICATORS	
I	**ASSESSMENT (ASSESS)**	
1	**ASSESS-1**. Tsunami hazard zones are mapped and designated	
2	**ASSESS-2**. The number of people at risk in the tsunami hazard zone is estimated	← Understanding the Hazard and Risk
3	**ASSESS-3**. Economic, infrastructural, political, and social resources are identified	
II	**PREPAREDNESS (PREP)**	
4	**PREP-1**. Easily understood tsunami evacuation maps are approved.	
5	**PREP-2**. Tsunami information including signage is publicly displayed.	← Community Awareness
6	**PREP-3**. Outreach and public awareness and education resources are available and distributed.	
7	**PREP-4**. Outreach or educational activities are held at least 3 times a year.	
8	**PREP-5**: A community tsunami exercise is conducted at least every two years	
III	**RESPONSE (RESP)**	
9	**RESP-1**. A community tsunami emergency response plan is approved.	
10	**RESP-2**. The capacity to manage emergency response operations during a tsunami is in place.	← Planning and Capacity
11	**RESP-3**. Redundant and reliable means to timely receive 24-hour official tsunami alerts are in place.	
12	**RESP-4**. Redundant and reliable means to timely disseminate 24-hour official tsunami alerts to the public are in place.	

What is community?

- A community is a group of people who live in the same area (city, town, village, neighbourhood), includes its social and economic dimensions, its infrastructure, life-lines and supporting environmental systems.

- Scale of community is important.
  Its size (area, population), national governance structure, as well as its vulnerability, exposure, resources and capacity required, will determine how Tsunami Ready in implemented.

Cedeño, Honduras, Tsunami Ready Recognition Ceremony, February 2017. (Credit: ITIC)

Tsunami Ready Recognition Process
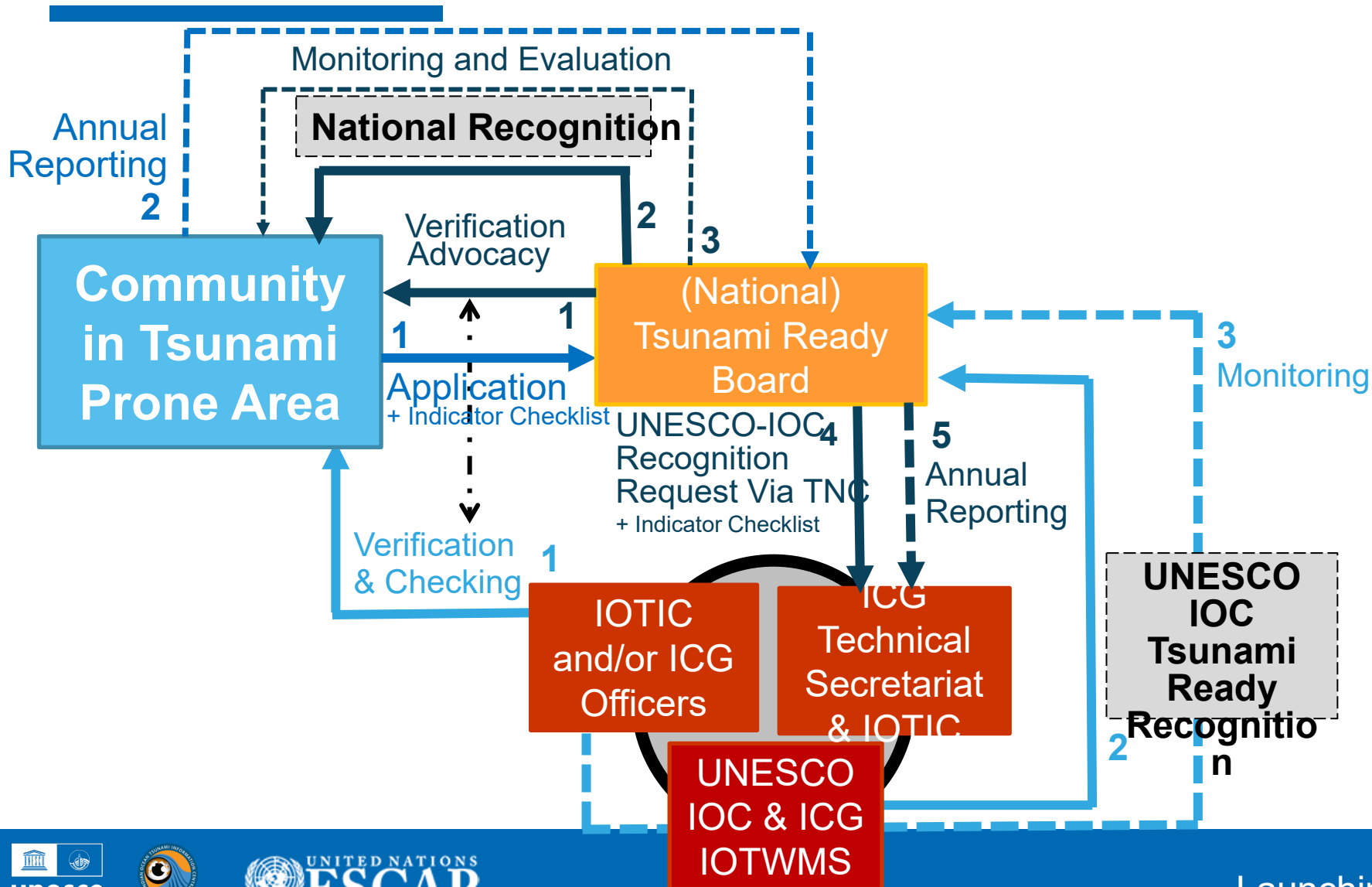
Why apply for Tsunami Ready recognition?

1. To recognizes the effort and achievements of the community

2. To motivate the community to continue to improve its level of preparedness

3. To enhance the sustainability of preparedness in the community

4. To motivate others to follow the example of good practices

The Benefit of Tsunami Ready Recognition

❑ Strengthens tsunami preparedness of coastal communities
 – Improved **assessments of Hazards**, Risk, Inundation, and Evacuation
 – Improved **early warning systems/warning chain**, EOP, and EOC
 – Improved/Increases **public awareness, understanding of tsunami threat, build preparedness, and ensures exercises**.
❑ Strengthen **preparedness for other hazards**

❑ Encourages a consistent and sustainable approach
❑ Contributes to the UN Decade Program
❑ Received **Recognition** from IOC UNESCO as Tsunami Ready Community

Tsunami Ready Recognition in the Indian Ocean

INDIA
Noliasahi
Venkatraipur

INDIA:
1. Venkatraipur
2. Noliasahi

INDONESIA:
1. Tanjung Benoa Village – Badung
2. Glagah Village – Kulonprogo
3. Kemadang Village – Gunung Kidul
4. Pangandaran Village – Pangandaran
5. Panggarangan Village – Lebak
6. Desa Tambakrejo – Malang
7. Kuta Mandalika Village – Lombok Tengah
8. Purus Village – Padang Barat
9. Lolong Belanti Village – Padang Utara

Purus Village
Lolong Belanti Village
Kemadang Village
Tambakrejo Village
Panggarangan Village
INDONESIA
Kuta Mandalika Village
Pangandaran Village
Glagah Village
Tanjung Benoa Village

- ✓ **11 communities now Tsunami Ready recognized**

- ✓ **Australia, Iran, Maldives, Oman, Pakistan, Seychelles, Sri Lanka, Thailand, and Timor Leste planning to implement**

- ✓ **More support required reach Ocean Decade Goal 100% communities at risk Tsunami Ready**

Tsunami Ready for critical infrastructure

✓ **Tsunami Ready for critical infrastructure eg Airport Tsunami Ready in Indonesia, port, and industrial zones**
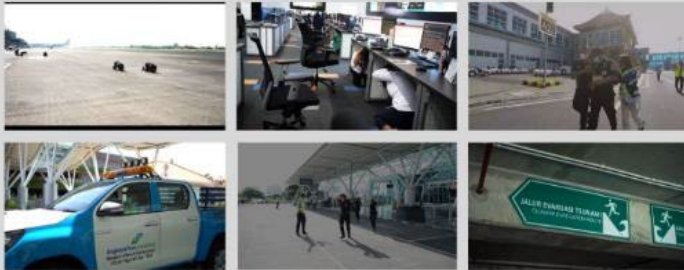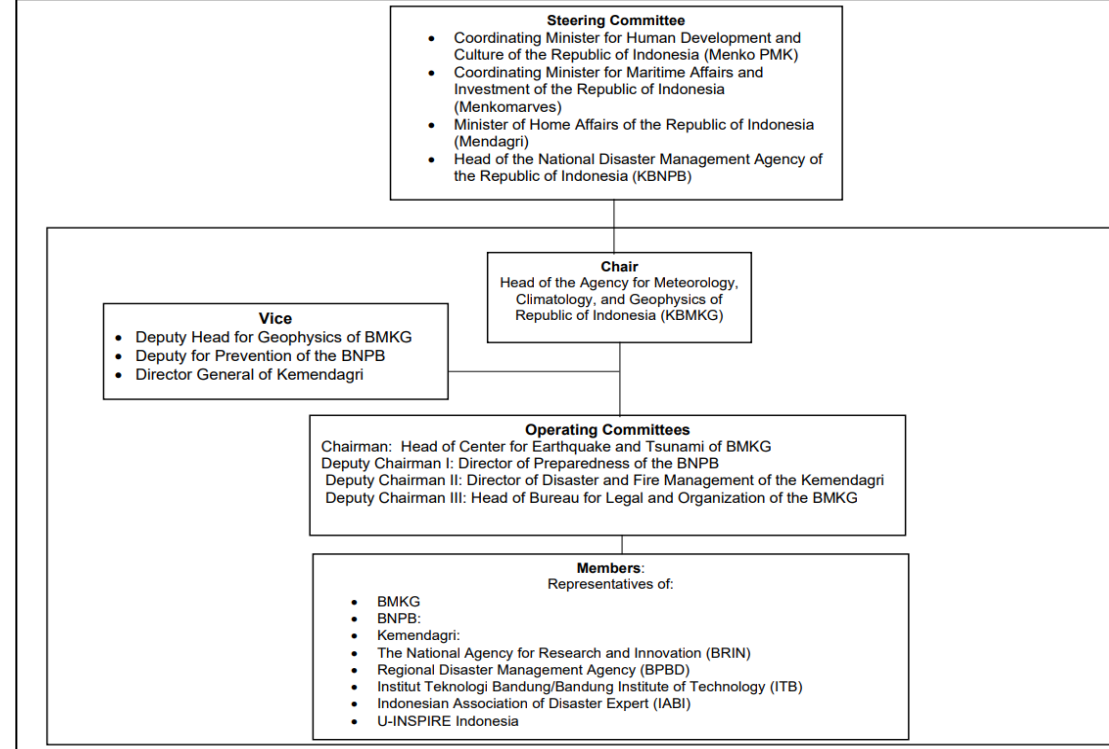
National Tsunami Ready Board

1. Coordinating the implementation of the Tsunami Ready Community through advocacy, promotion,and socialization
2. Ensuring consistency in the implementation of guidelines and UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready indicator
3. Checking and providing direction on assessments Tsunami Ready Community on the national level for the proposed coastal communities prone to tsunami;
4. Review, evaluate, and approve requests Tsunami Ready Community Recognition at the national level in accordance with UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready guide and indicators
5. Monitor, collect reports, and evaluate Tsunami Ready Community which has received recognition annually;
6. Recommend the Tsunami Ready Community to gain UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready Recognition,
7. Monitor and report on annual activities Tsunami Ready Community which has been recognized as UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready Community to ICG/IOTWMS;

Steering Committee
- Coordinating Minister for Human Development and Culture of the Republic of Indonesia (Menko PMK)
- Coordinating Minister for Maritime Affairs and Investment of the Republic of Indonesia (Menkomarves)
- Minister of Home Affairs of the Republic of Indonesia (Mendagri)
- Head of the National Disaster Management Agency of the Republic of Indonesia (KBNPB)

Chair
Head of the Agency for Meteorology, Climatology, and Geophysics of Republic of Indonesia (KBMKG)

Vice
- Deputy Head for Geophysics of BMKG
- Deputy for Prevention of the BNPB
- Director General of Kemendagri

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Deputy Chairman I: Director of Preparedness of the BNPB
Deputy Chairman II: Director of Disaster and Fire Management of the Kemendagri
Deputy Chairman III: Head of Bureau for Legal and Organization of the BMKG

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- BMKG
- BNPB:
- Kemendagri:
- The National Agency for Research and Innovation (BRIN)
- Regional Disaster Management Agency (BPBD)
- Institut Teknologi Bandung/Bandung Institute of Technology (ITB)
- Indonesian Association of Disaster Expert (IABI)
- U-INSPIRE Indonesia

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National Board to implement and the monitor Tsunami Ready Recognition programme and IOWave18 exercises in India

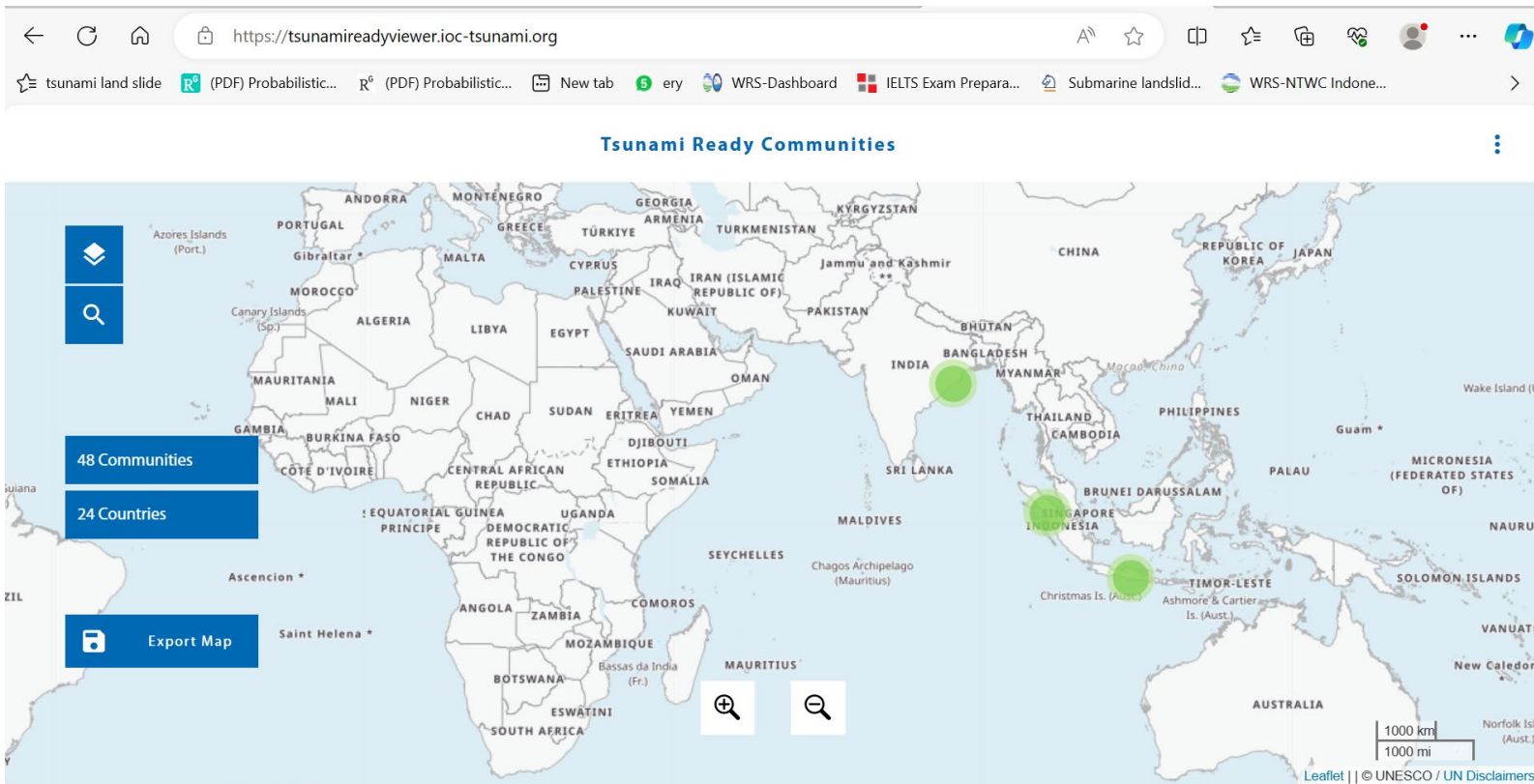|		
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3	Representative from MHA	Member
4	Representative from MoES	Member
5	Representative from DMO, Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Member
6	Representative from DMO, Odisha	Member
7	Head-TWG, INCOIS	Member Secretary

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Champions of the Tsunami Ready

Abah Anis and Patra Rina Dewi, the champions of Tsunami Ready Community in Indonesia

UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Tools

UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Viewer

Showing UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Recognized Community Globally

https://tsunamireadyviewer.ioc-tsunami.org/

UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Tools

UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Website

http://itic.ioc-unesco.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&id=2234&Itemid=2758

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**Standard Guidelines for the Tsunami
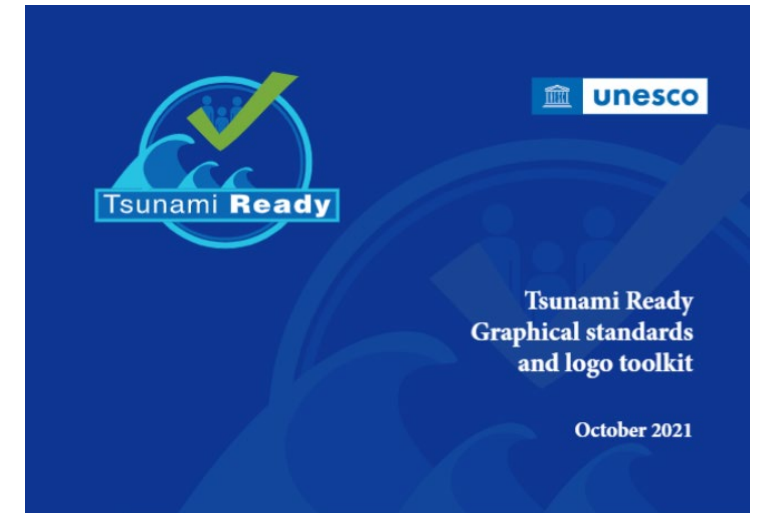Ready Recognition Programme**

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PREPARING FOR COMMUNITY TSUNAMI EVACUATIONS
From Inundation to Evacuation Maps, Response Plans, and Exercises

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