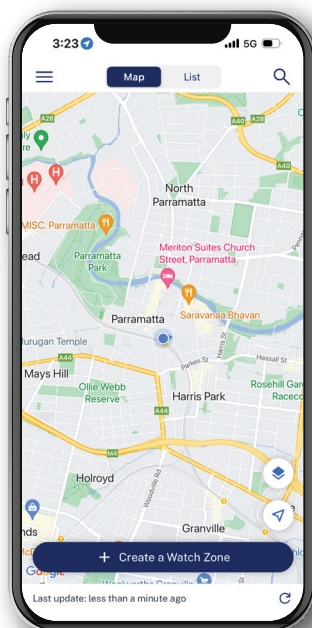# Hazards Near Me NSW

How to set up Watch Zones

Hazards Near Me NSW helps you to stay safe with information about local emergencies, including flood, bushfire and tsunamis. The app can send you push notifications when there are new incidents or when information changes.

Personalised 'watch zones' allow you to receive alerts on incidents specific to your area.
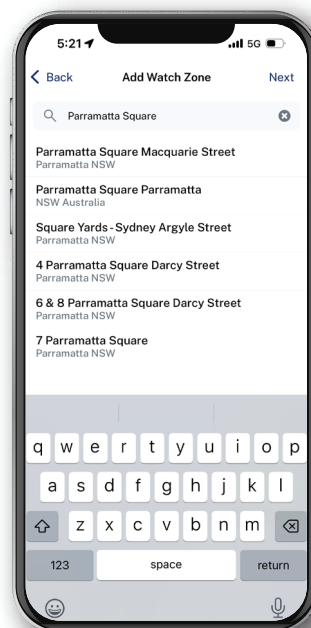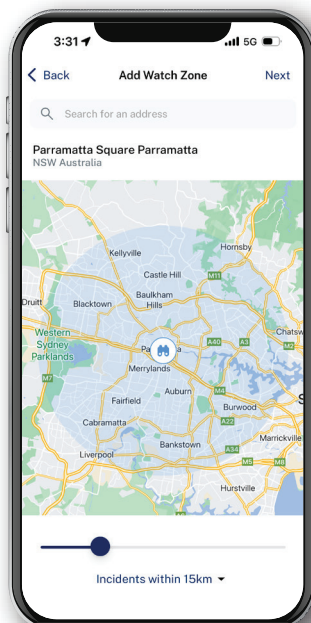
Step 1

Open the Hazards Near Me NSW app.

When the map opens, it should automatically detect your location. (Note, Hazards Near Me NSW requires access to your location. Check device settings to ensure the app has access.)

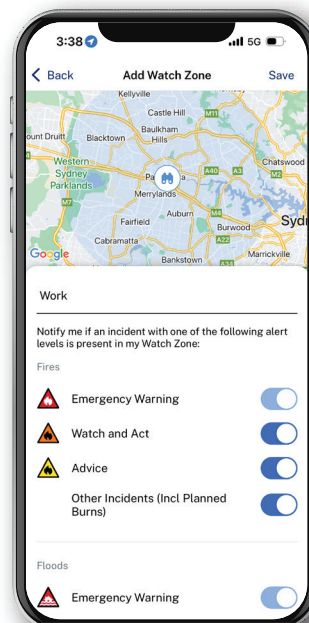Press the + Create a Watch Zone button on the lower area of the map.

Step 2

Search for the exact address of where you would like to add an area to watch.

Step 3

Choose the radius you want your Watch Zone to monitor - between 5 and 50kms.

Click Next.

Step 4

Name your Watch Zone and decide what incidents you want to be notified of by toggling the on-off buttons. Incidents include fires, floods, tsunamis and/or severe weather.

Click Save.

Important:

Combine app usage with other information channels including websites, local radio, social media, emergency service updates and personal observations to make informed decisions during a natural disaster.

Remember that in emergencies data and power services may become unstable.

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