

RAMSBURY FIRE STATION

About your station



1
fire engine



6
On-call Firefighters

Your area




5,309
population

Ramsbury is located in the northeast of Wiltshire. The village is in the Kennet Valley near the Berkshire border. The nearest towns include Hungerford, Marlborough and Swindon. The station area covers approximately 124 sq km. There are no significant future developments planned.

Current availability and response times



29.74% availability
(mostly weekday evenings)



48.73% of incidents
(where this station was closest), occur between 8am and 6pm



15mins 58secs
calculated average response time when available



21mins 42secs
calculated average response time when the station is unavailable

How often is my station needed?*



32
incidents a year on station ground




10
actual incidents attended on station ground



8
additional mobilisations to support other incidents

* Figures based on a yearly average taken over a five year period

Station costs



£5,359
per mobilisation
(vs average of £1,831 for a similar station)



£165,355
annual saving if station closed

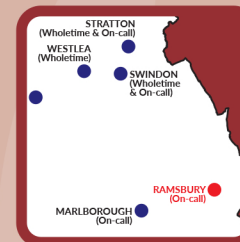
What changes if my station closes?



5mins 44secs
calculated average response time increase if the station is closed

When the station is unavailable, or if it were to be closed, a fire engine from another station responds. At the moment this happens 70.26% of the time.

We currently use, and would continue to use, the nearest fire engines to Ramsbury. These are:



- Marlborough** (1 fire engine) with 13 minutes travel time
 - Swindon** (2 fire engines) with 23 minutes travel time
 - Stratton** (2 fire engines) with 23 minutes travel time
 - Hungerford (Royal Berks FRS)** with 11 minutes travel time
- Times based on normal road speed. This will be quicker using blue lights.

How to get involved

Join our public meetings:

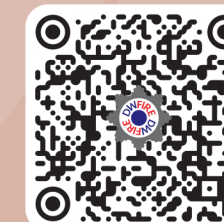
At Ramsbury Memorial Hall, 26 High Street, Ramsbury SN8 2PB

On Monday 2nd March, 6pm - 8pm or Tuesday 3rd March, 10:30am - 12:30pm



Alternatively, join our online meeting on Wednesday 15th April, 6pm - 7pm. Scan this QR code or

[click this link](#) in the pdf version of this document.



Let us know what you think by filling in our on-line survey. Scan the QR code to the left, or go to:

www.dwfire.org.uk/proposed-station-closures