

<p>Cumbria flood action plan</p> <p>Shap community action table</p> <p>The purpose of this action table is to highlight the flood management that is currently in place and the specific actions that are happening or proposed within the Cumbria flood action plan for this community.</p> <p>Please read this table in conjunction with the full Cumbria flood action plan and summary document, which can be found online by visiting www.gov.uk and searching Cumbria flood action plan.</p>	<p>Shap better protected</p> <p>1) Do now (within next 12 months):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Publish and review flood investigation report • Complete appraisals of possible actions to manage flood risk <p>2) Develop (2-5 years):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take forward recommendations in the flood investigation report and identify possible options to reduce flood risk • Continue to support sharing knowledge and best practice through the network for Community Action Groups • Develop opportunities for natural flood risk management and engineered storage where feasible <p>3) Explore (5+ years):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop opportunities for natural flood risk management.
<p>Catchment: Eden</p> <p>Impact of December 2015 flood: Approximately 28 homes and businesses were flooded.</p> <p>Description: Shap is a village 10 miles south of Penrith with a population of approx 1,400. The main watercourse running through the village is Shap Beck, the majority of which is culverted.</p>	

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<p>Upstream management</p> 	Currently there is limited use of upstream management in the sub-catchments upstream of Shap.	Explore opportunities for engineered and natural flood management solutions to be used upstream in order to 'slow the flow' and manage peak river levels.	Short term (1 to 2 years) or medium term (5 years)	Farmers Landowners Community groups Trusts Eden Catchment Management Group)	
<p>Maintenance</p> 	Maintenance of surface water culverts and pipework in the village.	Ensure all drainage within the village is fit for purpose.	Short (within next 12 months)	LLFA and Highways	
<p>Resilience</p> 	Shap does not currently have a community action group.	Work with parish council and communities to establish a network of Emergency Groups to share learning and best practice.		Environment Agency (Flood Warning & Community Resilience) Communities Parish & District Councils Local Government	Local Levy, Flood Defence Grant in Aid
	There are no flood warning areas in Shap.				

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	Local authorities are administering the Flood Recovery and Resilience Grants.	People who flooded in December 2015 are being urged to apply for the £5,000 resilience grant from their district/borough council. The deadline for applications has been extended to Friday 31 March 2017. A further £2,000 top up grant can also be applied for from the Cumbria Flood Recovery Fund.	Closing date for grant applications – end of March 2017	District Council	Resilience grants of £5,000 per property
Water Level Management Boards 	There are no Water Level Management Boards in this area.				