Preliminary flood risk assessment: Wirral Metropolitan Borough Council

This addendum by Wirral Metropolitan Borough Council (2017) updates the council's preliminary flood risk assessment report published in 2011. Read the addendum in conjunction with the <u>preliminary assessment report</u>.

Addendum

The preliminary flood risk assessment (PFRA) and flood risk areas (FRAs) for Wirral Council were reviewed during 2017, using all relevant current flood risk data and information.

Past flood risk

Past Floods: 13th August 2012 15th August 2012 29th August 2012 24th September 2012 5th December 2013 August & September 2015

Understanding of flood risk has increased both with respect to areas at risk and multiple sources of risk. Increased knowledge has informed both the local flood risk management strategy (LFRMS) and S19¹ Action Plans and influenced priorities in the investment programme.

Future flood risk

No new information relating to improved understanding of future flood risk, impact of climate change or through long term development has been created or received by Wirral Council as lead local flood authority (LLFA).

Flood risk areas (FRAs)

No FRAs have been identified within the Wirral Council lead local flood authority (LLFA) area for the purposes of the Flood Risk Regulations (2009) second planning cycle.

Other changes

There are no other important changes arising since the publication of the PFRA to be considered which impact on the assessment of flood risk as part of this review

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^{1 1} An investigation into a flooding event that a lead local flood authority (LLFA) is required to carry out under Section 19 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010, and according to the LLFA's local flood risk management strategy