

## **Preliminary flood risk assessment: Sefton Borough Council**

**This addendum by Sefton Borough Council (2017) updates the council's preliminary flood risk assessment report published in 2011. Read the addendum in conjunction with the [preliminary assessment report](#).**

### **Addendum**

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

### **Past flood risk**

No change to report.

### **Future flood risk**

CAPITA produced a PFRA desktop study in 2013 to improve understanding. We have undertaken some more detailed modelling of Formby, Maghull and Seaforth/Litherland to help improve our understanding of how the system works. We have also undertaken some work to install groundwater monitoring equipment to understand fluctuations in ground water in the borough.

### **Flood risk areas (FRAs)**

The following FRAs have been identified for the purposes of the Flood Risk Regulations (2009) 2nd planning cycle:

- Formby
- Liverpool area  
Southport

Parts of the Sefton Borough Council lead local flood authority (LLFA) area lie within one of the named FRAs.

### **Other changes**

None

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