Preliminary flood risk assessment: Middlesbrough Council

This addendum by Middlesbrough 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 Middlesbrough Council were reviewed during 2017, using all relevant current flood risk data and information.

Changes to the assessment of risk since the preliminary assessment report was published in 2011 are described in the statements in this addendum

The annexes to the preliminary assessment report have been reviewed and updated to show relevant new information since 2011

Past flood risk

Updated annex attached as appendix 1.

Some flood events occurred since publication of the original PFRA report in December 2011, but that they have not changed our understanding of significant flood risk in the Middlesbrough lead local flood authority (LLFA) area.

Future flood risk

Updated annex attached as appendix 2

Climate Change guidelines were issued in February 2016. The updated surface water management plan also have helped to better understand the risks.

Flood risk areas (FRAs)

No FRAs have been identified in the Middlesbrough LLFA area for the purposes of the Flood Risk Regulations second planning cycle.

Other changes

Working in partnership with the Environment Agency and the water and sewerage company on studies to identify all areas of flooding interaction in certain areas of the Borough.

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