

STAFFORDSHIRE LOCAL FLOOD MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

Flood Risk Management Functions

	Lead Local Flood Authority	District or Borough Council/ Shropshire Council	Environment Agency	Water Company	Highways Authority	Internal Drainage Board
Flood Risk Management Functions						
National Flood Risk Management Strategy	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions	Develop, maintain, apply and monitor	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions
Local Flood Risk Management Strategy	Develop, maintain, apply and monitor	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions	Act with regard to	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions	Act consistently for flood risk management functions and with regard to for other functions
Flood investigations	Undertake where considered necessary and appropriate	No	No	No	No	No
Register and record of structures and features	Hold those that are considered significant	No	No	No	No	No

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Duty to co-operate	Yes, applies to all flood risk management functions listed	Yes, applies to all flood risk management functions listed	Yes, applies to all flood risk management functions listed	Yes, applies to all flood risk management functions listed	Yes, applies to all flood risk management functions listed	Yes, applies to all flood risk management functions listed
Power to request information	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No
Designation of third-party assets	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
Works powers	Surface water and groundwater	Ordinary watercourses outside IDB areas	Main River	Relating to the sewer network (not technically a flood risk management function)	Relating to highways drainage and works	Ordinary watercourses inside IDB areas
Consenting and enforcement	Ordinary watercourses outside IDB areas	No	Main River	No	No	Ordinary watercourses inside IDB areas
Scrutiny of Risk Management Authorities	Yes	Duty to be subject to scrutiny	Duty to be subject to scrutiny	Duty to be subject to scrutiny	Duty to be subject to scrutiny	Duty to be subject to scrutiny

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Flood Risk Regulations (2009)	In relation to largely local sources, undertake: Preliminary Flood Risk Assessment Identification of 'significant' Flood Risk Areas Flood Risk and Hazard Mapping and Flood Risk Management Plans for Flood Risk Areas	No	In relation to Main Rivers, the sea and reservoirs, undertake: Preliminary Flood Risk Assessment Identification of 'significant' Flood Risk Areas Flood Risk and Hazard Mapping and Flood Risk Management Plans for Flood Risk Areas	No	No	No
Other functions that could affect flood risk (not intended to be exhaustive)						
Development management	Statutory consultee as LLFA for surface water drainage County Council development, highways and Minerals and Waste	Most development management functions	Currently a statutory consultee for river flooding	Not currently a statutory consultee	Highways development control	Not currently a statutory consultee
Development (policy) planning	Minerals and Waste Local Plan Support development of Local Plans	Local Plans	Support development of Local Plans	Support development of Local Plans	Support development of Local Plans	Support development of Local Plans

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Emergency Planning	Category 1 responder under the Civil Contingencies Act (2004) (preparing for, responding to and helping communities to recover from flooding)	Category 1 responder under the Civil Contingencies Act (2004) (preparing for, responding to and helping communities to recover from flooding)	Category 1 responder under the Civil Contingencies Act (2004)	Category 2 responder under the Civil Contingencies Act (2004)	Category 1 responder under the Civil Contingencies Act (2004) (County Council) Category 2 responder under the Civil Contingencies Act (2004) (Highways Agency)	Not a Category 1 or 2 responder but are involved for example in emergency response to pumping stations
Other	Climate change adaptation Conservation Infrastructure provision and investment	Climate change adaptation Parks and open spaces Street maintenance Environmental management inc environmental health Infrastructure provision and investment	Climate change adaptation Environmental management Infrastructure provision and investment	Climate change adaptation Wastewater treatment and water quality Infrastructure provision and investment	Climate change adaptation Infrastructure provision and investment	Climate change adaptation Environmental management Infrastructure provision and investment