Torbay Council Flood Risk Management Strategy

Annual Action Plan 2016/17

Flood Risk Management	 Undertake the Council's flood risk management functions as Lead Local Flood Authority in accordance with the statutory duties identified in the Flood and Water Management Act 2010.
Minor Flood Alleviation Works and Improvements	 Investigation and delivery of minor flood alleviation and improvement works subject to resources and funding being available. Investigate opportunities to partner with other risk management authorities.
Planning Consultations	 As Torbay is a Critical Drainage Area the drainage team will act as a statutory consultee to planning on flood risk and surface water drainage associated with all developments within Torbay. Prepare and publish a developer's guide to sustainable drainage requirements within Torbay.
Minor Flood Investigations and Studies	 As required within our Flood Risk Management Strategy undertake flooding investigations and produce a flood report where more than five properties have been flooded internally during a storm event. Delivery of flood investigations, surveys and studies subject to resources and funding being available. Investigate opportunities to partner with other risk management authorities.
Hollicombe Cliffs Rock Armour Revetment Scheme	 Undertake the detailed design of the coastal protection scheme at Hollicombe cliffs. Produce contract documents and procure a contractor to undertake these works. Commence the rock armour revetment works in the autumn of 2016. All works are planned to be completed during late spring 2017. Investigate further opportunities to secure partnership funding from other risk management authorities.
River Fleet/Torquay Town Centre Flood Alleviation Scheme	 from other risk management authorities . Undertake a detailed feasibility study including hydraulic modelling in order to identify the preferred options for the River Fleet/Torquay Town Centre flood alleviation scheme. The feasibility study will be undertaken in partnership with South West Water and the Environment Agency. Identify opportunities to secure partnership funding from other risk management authorities for this scheme. Produce a detailed business case for the flood alleviation scheme to support an application to the Environment Agency for grant in aid funding.
Highway Drainage	 Provide support and advice to Torbay Council's highway section on surface water drainage. Review developer's highway drainage Section 38 submissions.