

Report to:	SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
Item number	7
Relevant Officer:	Clare Nolan Barnes, Head of Coastal and Environmental Partnership Investments.
Date of Meeting	16 th October 2014

FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT AND DRAINAGE

1.0 Purpose of the report:

1.1 The Committee to consider a progress report on Flood Risk Management and Drainage.

2.0 Recommendation(s):

2.1 To note the content of the report and highlight any areas for further scrutiny.

3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):

3.1 To ensure constructive and robust scrutiny of the report.

3.2a Is the recommendation contrary to a plan or strategy adopted or approved by the Council? No

3.2b Is the recommendation in accordance with the Council's approved budget? N/A

3.3 Other alternative options to be considered:

None.

4.0 Council Priority:

4.1 N/A

5.0 Background Information

5.1 The Council has certain statutory duties as set out in the Flood Risk Regulations 2009, the Flood and Water Management Act 2010 and the Flood Risk Management Overview and Scrutiny (England) Regulations 2011.

5.2 Following the completion of a Flood Risk Management Scrutiny Review in 2013, the Scrutiny Committee is to receive a report on an annual basis, relating to progress on Flood Risk Management and Drainage.

5.3 Witnesses/representatives

5.3.1 The following Officer has been invited to attend the meeting to report on this item:

- Clare Nolan Barnes, Head of Coastal and Environmental Partnership Investments.

Does the information submitted include any exempt information?

No

5.4 List of Appendices:

5.4.1 Appendix 7 (a) – Flood Risk Management and Drainage progress report

6.0 Legal considerations:

6.1 None.

7.0 Human Resources considerations:

7.1 None.

8.0 Equalities considerations:

8.1 None.

9.0 Financial considerations:

9.1 None.

10.0 Risk management considerations:

10.1 None.

11.0 Ethical considerations:

11.1 None.

12.0 Internal/ External Consultation undertaken:

12.1 None.

13.0 Background papers:

13.1 None.