

Equality Impact Assessment

Name of project/proposal Flood Risk and Coastal Defence Programme
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Description of Service / Policy

Since 2011, the County Council has committed over £7.0million of capital resources to fund works for flood defence and coastal sites through its Flood Risk and Coastal Defence Programme. It is considered that the proposal will have no impact on groups with protected characteristics as the priorities within this proposal are based on the risk of flooding in a geographical location and is not based on groups or individuals.

Geographical impact* All Hampshire

Description of proposed change

The additional investment provided by the County Council will support the implementation of measures at more locations identified in the 'Main' and 'Pipeline' programmes of the Flood Risk and Coastal Defence Programme. The change will enable more people, communities and locations to benefit from improved flood resilience.

Engagement and consultation

Has engagement or consultation been carried out? Yes

Consultation and engagement is being carried out on a location by location basis as proposals are developed.

Impacts of the proposed change

This impact assessment covers HCC Staff (and partners)

Statutory considerations	Impact
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Age	Neutral
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Disability	Neutral
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Sexual Orientation	Neutral
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Race	Neutral
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Religion and Belief	Neutral
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Gender Reassignment	Neutral
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Gender	Neutral
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Marriage and civil partnership	Neutral
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Pregnancy and Maternity Neutral

Other policy considerations

Poverty Neutral

Rurality Neutral

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Additional Information