



Wexford Town & Environs Flood Relief Scheme

Public Participation Day: Questionnaire

This PPD is held to present the viable options developed to relieve the fluvial and coastal flooding risks in Wexford, as part of the Wexford Town & Environs Flood Relief Scheme. Your input will inform the identification and selection of a preferred scheme.

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PART 1 – General

1. Please tick as appropriate (more than one option can be selected). Are you:

- A property owner/occupier directly affected by flooding ☐
- A member of the local community, not directly affected by flooding ☐
- A landowner affected by the proposed options ☐
- A member of a local community group ☐
- A member of a Statutory Consultee / Interest Group ☐
- Other (please state) _____

2. Before hearing about this PPD were you aware of this Flood Relief Scheme?

Yes ☐ No ☐

3. How did you hear about this Public Participation Day?

4. a) Do you own, rent or occupy a property within the study area?

Yes ☐ No ☐

b) If you answered yes, has this property been flooded?

Yes ☐ No ☐

c) If yes, what was the type of property flooded?

d) Please provide any other information, if available (how many times was the property flooded in the past, which year, what season of the year).

PART 2 – Flood Cell A (Irish National Heritage Park)

5. Considering the **fluvial** options presented for Heritage Park, please indicate how you feel about the various options:

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Channel Conveyance Improvement and Channel Diversion			
Option 2: Hard Defence and Demountable Defence			
Option 3: Demountable Defence and Channel Diversion			

6. a) For the Options stated above, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 3 = least preferred

Option 1 Option 2 Option 3

- b) Could you briefly explain why you prefer this option?

7. Considering the **coastal** options presented for Heritage Park, please indicate how you feel about the various options:

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence (shore side), Demountable Defence and Pump & Valves			
Option 2: Hard Defence (landward side), Demountable Defence and Pump & Valves			
Option 3: Property Protection			
Option 4: Setback Hard Defence and Demountable Defence			

8. a) For the Options stated above, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 4 = least preferred

Option 1 Option 2 Option 3 Option 4

- b) Could you briefly explain why you prefer this option?

9. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important each of the below issues are to you both for Heritage Park. You can give the same score to multiple items.
(1 = Extremely Important, 2 = Very Important, 3 = Moderately Important, 4 = Slightly Important, 5 = Not Important).

Protect the visitor centre and associated properties from flooding.	
Protect access routes and parking area.	
Reduce the impact of tidal locking and drainage constraints.	
Preserve/enhance the ecology of the area	
Minimise visual impacts of defences	
Provide adaptive options to climate change.	
Reduce construction impacts/footprint in private properties.	

PART 3 – Flood Cell B (Ferrycarrig Hotel)

10. a) Considering the **coastal** options presented for Ferrycarrig Hotel, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence and Demountable Defence			
Option 2: Property Protection			

- b) Of the options presented, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 2 = least preferred.

Option 1 Option 2

- c) Could you briefly explain why?

11. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important the below issues are to you.
(1 = Not Important, 2 = Slightly Important = 3: Moderately Important, 4 = Very Important, 5 = Extremely Important).

Protect the hotel building and access routes from coastal flooding

Maintain access while providing flood protection

Preserve the view from the hotel

Minimise construction impacts/footprints and disruption to site

PART 4 – Flood Cell C (Upper Farnogue River)

12. a) Considering the **fluvial** options presented for Upper Farnogue River, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence			
Option 2: New Pipe/Culvert			

- b) Of the options presented, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 2 = least preferred.

Option 1 Option 2

- c) Could you briefly explain why?

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13. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important the below issues are to you.
(1 = Not Important, 2 = Slightly Important = 3: Moderately Important, 4 = Very Important, 5 = Extremely Important).

Protect the properties from flooding

Reduce overtopping from the channel

Reduce flood risk from culvert capacity constraints

Minimise impacts on adjacent land and access

PART 5 – Flood Cell D (Carcur Road)

14. a) Considering the **fluvial** options presented for Carcur Road, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence, Demountable Defence			
Option 2: Property Protection			

- b) Could you briefly explain why?

15. a) Considering the **coastal** options presented for Carcur Road, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence (shoreside) and Pump & Valve			
Option 2: Raised Railway Embankment and Pump & Valve			
Option 3: Hard Defence and Pump & Valve			

- b) Of the options presented, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 3 = least preferred.

Option 1 ☐ Option 2 ☐ Option 3 ☐

- c) Could you briefly explain why?

16. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important the below issues are to you.
(1 = Not Important, 2 = Slightly Important = 3: Moderately Important, 4 = Very Important, 5 = Extremely Important).

Protect the properties along the coast from flooding

Protect the access road from flooding

Preserve the view from the road

Preserve the terrestrial and aquatic ecology of the area

Reduce effects of tidal backwater and provide effective drainage

PART 6 – Flood Cell E (Quays/Town Centre)

17. a) Considering the **fluvial** options presented for Quays/Town Centre, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: New Pipe/Culvert at Bride Street			
Option 2: New Pipe/Culvert at King Street			
Option 3: Demountable Defence, Sump and Pump Sump connected to Stone Bridge Culvert			

- b) Of the options presented, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 3 = least preferred.

Option 1 Option 2 Option 3

- c) Could you briefly explain why?

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18. a) Considering the **coastal** options presented for Quays/Town Centre, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence (shoreside of club) and Demountable Defence			
Option 2: Hard Defence (landward side of club), Demountable Defence and Property Protection			
Option 3: Setback Hard Defence, Demountable Defence and Property Protection			

- b) Of the options presented, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 3 = least preferred.

Option 1 Option 2 Option 3

- c) Could you briefly explain why?

19. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important the below issues are to you. (1 = Not Important, 2 = Slightly Important = 3: Moderately Important, 4 = Very Important, 5 = Extremely Important).

Protect the town centre properties from flooding

Protect the access to the quayside and vessels

Preserve the view from the road

Protect the club and waterfront facilities

Reduce stormwater driven flooding along local streets

PART 7 – Flood Cell F (Upper Horse River)

20. a) Considering the **fluvial** options presented for Upper Horse River, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Culvert Upgrade			
Option 2: Channel Diversion			
Option 3: Hard Defence			

b) Of the options presented, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 3 = least preferred.

Option 1

Option 2

Option 3

c) Could you briefly explain why?

21. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important the below issues are to you. (1 = Not Important, 2 = Slightly Important = 3: Moderately Important, 4 = Very Important, 5 = Extremely Important).

- Protect the nearby properties from flooding
- Protect access roads from flood water
- Increasing culvert capacity
- Minimise disruption during construction

PART 8 – Flood Cell G (Kerlogue River)

22. a) Considering the **fluvial** options presented for Kerlogue River, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence (right bank of channel)			
Option 2: Hard Defence (outside the open fields and further downstream)			

b) Of the options presented, please state your order of preference: 1= most preferred to 2 = least preferred.

Option 1 Option 2

c) Could you briefly explain why?

23. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important the below issues are to you.
(1 = Not Important, 2 = Slightly Important = 3: Moderately Important, 4 = Very Important, 5 = Extremely Important).

- Protect the nearby properties from flooding
- Protect access roads from flood water
- Minimise impacts on the open fields

PART 9 – Flood Cell H (Ferrybank)

24. a) Considering the **fluvial and coastal** options presented for Ferrybank, please indicate how you feel about the various elements of those options.

	Like	No Opinion	Dislike
Option 1: Hard Defence + Demountable Defences + Property Protection + Pump & Valve			
Option 2: Hard Defence + Demountable Defence + Property Protection			

b) Could you briefly explain why?

25. Please let us know (on a scale of 1 to 5) how important the below issues are to you. (1 = Not Important, 2 = Slightly Important = 3: Moderately Important, 4 = Very Important, 5 = Extremely Important).

Protect the nearby properties from flooding

Minimise fluvial flooding associated with tidal backwater at outfall

Protecting local infrastructure including the pumping station

PART 10 – FINAL QUESTIONS

1. Do you have any concerns in relation to the environmental impact of the various flood relief scheme presented today, or any thoughts on opportunities for environmental enhancements?

2. Please provide below any other comments or observations you wish to make about flooding options or any of the information presented today.

Name (Optional): _____

Address (Optional): _____

Email (Optional): _____ Phone (Optional): _____

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- Arranging access to your land for the purposes of data collection by the Project Team and approved third party surveyors
- Clarifying information, you have already provided to the Project Team and obtaining further inputs

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