

PUBLICATION OF DECISION LIST NUMBER 32/16-17

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If you have any queries or wish to obtain further report information or information on a decision please refer to:

— Claire Johnson (ext.4329)

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DECISIONS

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CALL - IN UPDATE -

Please note no decisions have been called in for review from previously published lists.

LIST REFERENCE: 1/32/16-17

SUBJECT TITLE OF THE REPORT

GOUGH PARK FLOOD ALLEVIATION SCHEME / EAST ENFIELD FLOOD ALLEVIATION SCHEME(EEFAS) EXTENSION

Part 1 or 2 (relevant exempt Paragraph)	Wards affected by decision	Decision taken by	Date Decision comes in to effect	Interest declared in respect of the Decision	Category of decision (i.e. Key, Non- Key, Council, Urgent)	Contact Details	Eligible for Call-in & Date to be called in by
Part 1	Chase & Town	Cabinet Member for Environment (Cllr Anderson)	Wednesday 19 October 2016	None	Non-Key	Graham Campbell 020 8379 4158	Tuesday 18 October 2016

DECISION:

AGREED: Subject to no call-in being received, the following decision will come into effect on Wednesday 19 October 2016:

- 1. To consider and approve the scheme which includes alterations to the environment of the park and small area of adjacent highway (total estimated cost £70k) in order to provide flood alleviation through surface water diversion. (Final design to be guided by consultation.)
- 2. To invite and evaluate tenders / quotation and, where suitable tenders / quotations are received, to award a contract for the works to realise the scheme.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED:

- 1. Do nothing: the option of doing nothing would maintain the current situation of 104 flooded properties (1 in 200-year event), 32 flooded properties (1 in 30-year event). This has been calculated as resulting in a potential £1,685k of damages.
- 2. Other areas of public highway boundary and park areas were identified for flood flow storage in the immediate areas such as:
 - The south side of Clay Hill/ Forty Hill roundabout
 - Areas alongside Myddleton Avenue
- 3. These options were dismissed due to reasons which made them impractical such as utilities / tree conflicts and lack of space.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS:

Anticipated benefits of the scheme include:

- Removing an expected 37 properties from surface water flood risk for a 1 in 100-year flood event across the Forty Hall study area.
- Improved public access and use of the park through thinning of the trees, refining internal paths and seating areas.
- Improved drainage measures in the park including the allowance to drain an area around the main entrance gates which suffer from a long-standing issue of subsidence due to damp conditions and require structural attention, the project will aim to facilitate this though providing drainage to the area.
- Improved biodiversity in the park in the form of a wetland system.
- Improved interaction of public and interested parties with heritage and cultural features in the area.

BACKGROUND

Please note that a copy of the Part 1 report is available via the Decision list link on the Council's Democracy pages.