**Consultation Response Form**

**The draft National Strategy for Flood and Coastal Erosion Risk Management in Wales**

Please return this form to reach the Welsh Government no later than 16 September 2019.

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This form can be downloaded from the Welsh Government consultation webpage here:

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| Responses to consultations are likely to be made public, on the internet or in a report. If you would prefer your response to remain anonymous, please tick here: |  |

**List of Consultation Questions**

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| **Q1.** | The aim of the National Strategy is to ‘Ensure the risks to people and communities from flooding and coastal erosion are effectively managed’.  Is this clear and understandable?  YES / NO  If not, please explain how it can be improved. |
| **Q2.** | Are the objectives and measures clear?  YES/NO  If not, please explain how they can be improved. |
| **Q3.** | Do you agree with Objective A: Improving our understanding and communication of risk?  YES/NO  Any comments on these new objectives |
| **Q4.** | Do you agree with Objective D: Preventing more people becoming exposed to risk?  YES/NO  Any comments on these new objectives |
| **Q5.** | Does the National Strategy clarify roles and responsibilities in relation to flood and coastal risk management?  YES / NO  If not, how could it be improved? |
| **Q6.** | Does the section on Natural Flood Management and hybrid schemes adequately promote their role in managing risk?  YES / NO  If not, how could it be improved? |
| **Q7.** | Does the National Strategy clearly set out what we fund?  YES / NO  If not, how could it be improved? |
| **Q8.** | Are there any other key issues or trends that you think should be considered in the Strategic Environmental Assessment – Environment Report?  YES / NO  If yes, please explain how it can be improved. |
| **Q9.** | Are there additional environmental effects (including those on humans) that need to be considered when developing the Strategy?  YES / NO  If yes, please explain how it can be improved. |
| **Q10.** | We would like to know your views on the effects that National Strategy for Flood and Coastal Erosion Risk Management would have on the Welsh language, specifically on opportunities for people to use Welsh and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than English. |
| **Q11.** | Please also explain how you believe the proposed National Strategycould be formulated or changed so as to have positive effects or increased positive effects on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language, and no adverse effects on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language. |
| **Q12.** | We have asked a number of specific questions. If you have any related issues which we have not specifically addressed, please use this space to report them:    Please enter here: |