



Our ref SB/AL/AW/361723

Dear Sir/Madam

RE: Copperhouse Water Management Scheme

Mott MacDonald is working on behalf of the Environment Agency and is contacting you with regards to a potential water management project currently being considered within the Hayle area.

1 Project background

Copperhouse and Wilson's Pools in Hayle are within a nationally designated protected area due to the rare saltmarsh habitats present. These habitats are particularly sensitive to changes in water quality and quantity, resulting in the need for careful management.

This project reviews the current water management within the Copperhouse area.

2 What we are doing

The Environment Agency is reviewing a programme of water management schemes across Devon and Cornwall. The scheme at Copperhouse sits within this wider programme of schemes, with other projects located in the Hayle area, Foundry Square and Hayle River.

This project is working to assess the current management of water levels within Copperhouse and Wilson's Pool and make recommendations for future possible improvements through a Water Level Management Plan. Further work to review the future maintenance of relevant infrastructure in line with the WLMP is also being considered.

3 Consultation

You have been identified as a potential stakeholder as you are considered to have a general interest in the Copperhouse area or may be doing or have done work locally. We would therefore very much like to hear your views.

The following questions will help to capture your views and to obtain any valuable information that you may have to inform the project. Please answer any that you feel are relevant to you:

- 1. Do you consider that you have an interest in the project and which aspects of the scheme would be of importance to you?
- 2. We are gathering information and baseline data that may help inform the scheme. Do you have any information on sensitive



- locations or preferences in terms of the methods, standards or guidelines that we use?
- Do you know of any social, economic or environmental constraints, risks, or issues that you think should be considered or would help inform the development of the project. Please include your reasoning.
- 4. Do you know of any potential opportunities for partnerships that you feel could be built into the scheme? Or can you identify any further stakeholders who you consider would have interest in the project?
- 5. Do you wish to remain on the list of consultees for the scheme?

If you could send your responses and any other comments or questions you may have to Adèle Wratten (hayle.flooding@mottmac.com) by 14th February 2017 it would be greatly appreciated.

The Environment Agency team is being managed by Stephen Bentall, with environmental aspects being managed by Charlotte Smith.

Please direct all written responses to:

Environment Agency Sir John Moore House, Victoria Square, Bodmin, PL31 1EB

Kind regards

Adèle Wratten

Environmental Co-ordinator, Mott MacDonald



Dear Sir/Madam

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RE: Foundry Square Flood Defence Improvement Scheme

Mott MacDonald is working on behalf of the Environment Agency and is contacting you with regards to a potential water management project currently being considered within the Hayle area.

1 Project background

The town of Hayle has experienced a number of flood events over the last few years. The Foundry Square area is particularly vulnerable due to the low-lying nature of the area, the influence of tides and the nearby Mellenear Stream.

With potential for less predictable weather events in the future, there is a need to review flood defence management in the Foundry Square area.

2 What we are doing

The Environment Agency is reviewing a programme of water management schemes across Devon and Cornwall. The scheme at Foundry Square sits within this wider programme of schemes, with other projects located in the Hayle area at Copperhouse Gate and on the River Hayle.

The project is investigating a number of potential options to reduce flood risk in the town including the impacts of climate change.

3 Consultation

You have been identified as a potential stakeholder as you are considered to have a general interest in the Foundry Square area or may be doing or have done work locally. We would therefore very much like to hear your views.

Initially, through the following questions, we would like to capture your views and to obtain any valuable information that you may have to inform the project.

Please answer any that you feel are relevant to you:

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- We are gathering information and baseline data that may help inform the scheme. Do you have any information on sensitive locations or preferences in terms of the methods, standards or guidelines that we use?
- 3. Do you know of any social, economic or environmental constraints, risks, or issues that you think should be considered or



- would help inform the development of the scheme? Please include your reasoning.
- 4. Do you know of any potential opportunities for partnerships that you feel could be built into the scheme? Or can you identify any further stakeholders who you consider would have interest in the scheme?
- 5. Do you wish to remain on the list of consultees for the scheme?

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February 2017 it would be greatly appreciated.

Following this, we would like to invite you to a stakeholder workshop to be held in Hayle on Friday 24th February, invitation to follow.

The Environment Agency team is being managed by Kim Goonesekera, with environmental aspects being managed by Charlotte Smith.

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