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Flood and Coastal Risk Management Plans, Strategies and Works

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The Department for Environment Food and Rural Affairs (Defra) provide the funding for FCRM

- ➔ shoreline management plans (SMP)
- ➔ catchment Flood management Plans (CFMP)
- ➔ strategies
- ➔ works



SMPs, and CFMPs

- ➔ a strategic long term view
- ➔ bring consistency across operating authorities
- ➔ involve local stakeholders
- ➔ overview of the next 100 years



Strategies are designed to deal with the following issues:

- ➔ the impacts of Climate Change
- ➔ the dynamic coastline
- ➔ sustainable policies are needed that won't leave us with an expensive concrete coastline
- ➔ hard decisions must be taken, so early planning is key to adapting to the changes ahead
- ➔ Strategies and plans are reviewed every 5 -10 years to ensure the policies are still valid

Defra The PAG series of guidance

Project appraisal guidance provides core appraisal information on flood and coastal risk management (FCRM) investment.

FCD PAG 1: Overview

FCD PAG 2 : Strategic planning and appraisal

FCD PAG 3 : Economic appraisal

FCD PAG 4 : Approaches to risk

FCD PAG 5 : Environmental appraisal



SMP CFMP actions



➤ currently we continue to adopt the plans from the strategy as approved by Defra

➤ we want the Pathfinder project to lead us to manage the change in the future