

National Call to Arms Workstreams



“Call to Arms”

- Coastal Landfill
- Coastal Adaptation
- Place Shaping & Funding
- Asset Management

- Recognise key issues which are not being resolved by national policy
- Create a collaborative partnerships between national groups of officers to understand the challenges presented, share best practice and take action.



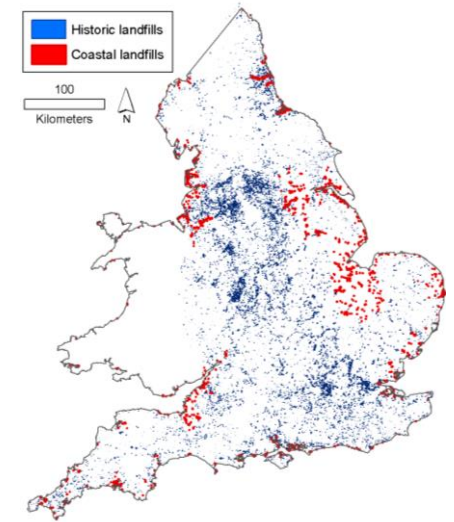
Landfill - Call to Arms

Key Focus

- Lack of National Funding
- Lack of National Policy
- Impacts on the Natural Environment
- Unknown scale and impacts



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- Nationally c.1,200 landfills at risk of coastal flooding and/or erosion
- 46 sites at risk in Coastal Partners Area
- 158 in the SCOPAC Region
- Total length of protection 38km Coastal Partners
72km SCOPAC

Coastal Adaptation - Call to Arms

Coastal Adaptation (National FCERM Strategy 2020)...

...anticipating appropriate action to prevent or minimise the likelihood and consequences of flooding and coastal change, both now and in the future ...

Overall aim...

“Create a collaborative partnership between the members of the Group to understand the challenge presented by the Coastal Adaptation theme, share best practice and take action.”



Key areas of focus...

Funding

- for LAs
- for relocation
- for insurance

Policy / Framework

- align policy & funding
- clearer National policy
- FCERM-AG approach
- collaborative approach

Engagement

- with those impacted by coastal change
- skilled LA staff
- communicating risks

Planning

- integration with land-use planning

Technical Solutions

- approaches

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Funding & Place - Call to Arms

Key Focus

- Lobbying for national funding that recognises wider benefits of FCERM
- Representation of 'Place' in FCERM
- Improved local skills and knowledge
- More funding for coastal schemes



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Asset Management - Call to Arms

“Create a collaborative partnership between the members of the Group to understand the challenge presented by the Asset Management theme, share best practice and take action to lobby for change.”

Overall aim...

- Shift thinking in how we consider coastal assets, the resilience they provide and role in ‘place-keeping’.
- Share knowledge and to collaborate to attract organizational and political support for whole-life asset management in FCERM.
- Influence a positive change in the national policy on how local authority coastal asset management delivery and funding.



Key areas of focus...

