

Consultative Panel 4 September 2014

Responses from the Environment Agency – David Horne

Further dwellings that we have now been notified were flooded over winter (in addition to those on slide 4 of Wes' presentation):

Cadnam – 3

Copythorne – 2

Bartley (inc Shepherds Rd) – 9

Marchwood – 3

With the big caveat that these are only the ones that have been reported to us.

If they would like further information regarding the flood response Wes is happy to be contacted - wesley.jones@environment-agency.gov.uk.

We are continuing to work with partners and local communities to manage flood risk.

We've gathered additional information on the numbers of properties affected by flooding over the winter, including in Bartley, Cadnam and Copythorne.

We've carried out flood recovery work, including patch repairs to the Pennington Sea Wall at Keyhaven and works to the wall at Lymington Quay (works to upgrade the gates are ongoing).

New Forest District Council have finished repairs to Hurst Spit with our financial backing.

We've been assisting local residents and Hampshire County Council in progressing their own small scale schemes to reduce the risk of flooding Bartley and Woodlands.

We're still in the early stages of the tidal flood alleviation scheme in Totton, we'll be carrying out surveys shortly.

Continuing to develop and bid for flood alleviation schemes in the New Forest.

Further update to include some information from Blandford side of the New Forest (Avon Valley including Fordingbridge and Ringwood)

Revised properties flooded figures:

Stubbings Meadow - 18 properties (surrounded by flood water) (caravan site)

Fordingbridge 11 properties – (river and groundwater flooding)

Breamore – 10 properties (river and groundwater flooding)

Hyde – 9 properties

Ringwood – 6 properties (river and groundwater flooding)

Ellingham, Harbridge and Ibsley – 2 properties (river and groundwater flooding)

Bransgore – 1 property (river and groundwater flooding)

North Gorley - 1 property

Hale – 1 property

Recovery work:

Fordingbridge – De-silting on the Ashford Water

Ringwood – Pumping station near the Old Cottage Restaurant

Community engagement:

Working with Flood Wardens at Fordingbridge and Ringwood

