

## EARDISLAND FLOOD ALLEVIATION FEASIBILITY STUDY

Please be assured that personal information will not be reported in the study.

Please complete the questionnaire in pen.

### 1. General information

1a. Address: <i>Please mark the location of your property on the attached map as well</i>			
1b. Are you the owner or tenant of the property? (Please tick relevant box)	Owner	Tenant	1c. Landlord details – if you are a tenant (including email if you know it)
1d. How long have you been at the property?	Years	Months	
1e. Are you registered with the Environment Agency to receive flood warnings?	Yes	No	
1f. If 'yes' how many times in the past 5 years have you received a warning?			

### 2. Flood history (a map is provided to mark up if required)

2a. Has the property been flooded during your occupancy? If 'yes' please complete the table on Page 4	Yes	No
2b. Has access to the property been restricted by road flooding? If 'yes' please complete the table on Page 4	Yes	No
2c. Have you been in direct contact with other householders who have been flooded? If 'yes' please complete the table on Page 4	Yes	No

### 3. Priorities for the study

3a. When considering the effects of flooding to the property, please <b>select 3 items</b> from the table below and put them in your order of priority – <b>1 for highest priority, 3 for lowest</b> (list continues on next page)			
Actual flood damage to property		Insurance premiums	
Loss / disrupted access to your property		Loss / disrupted access affecting the parish	
Impact on business / local services		Impact on the environment	
Impact on Emergency Services		Impact on house values	

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Access to medical care		Stress / worry over whether flooding will occur	
Other (please state)			
3b. When considering the effects of flooding to the property, please tick <b>one</b> of the statements below that you consider the study should focus on?			
1)	Flooding that causes disruption to road, pedestrian and emergency service users		
2)	Severe flooding affecting properties i.e. water ingress		

### 4. Possible solutions

4a. From your experience of either disruptive or property flooding, what would you consider to be the <b>one most effective</b> means of alleviating the problem? Please tick and give the specific location for the action		
	Tick	Specific location
Increased maintenance of drains & sewers (e.g. clearing debris & silt)		
Increased maintenance to watercourses (e.g. clearing vegetation, dredging)		
An upgrade of existing drainage systems to increase capacity		
Enlarged watercourse channels or culverts		
Formal raised flood defences		
Upstream flood storage		
Measures to control the direction of overland flows		
Measures to prevent floodwaters entering properties (e.g. door / window guards)		
Better information on flood risk to prepare for floods		
Improved flood warning		
Flood management plans		
Other (please state)		

### 5. Community involvement

Eardisland Parish Council is keen to explore how the residents and businesses in Eardisland can take action themselves to reduce flooding either to the roads or property.

Under current government rules “Partnership Funding” provides a means of increasing the total fund available for flood alleviation schemes and enables more schemes to go ahead. In addition to

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potential government grants and contributions from other stakeholder organisations, the cost of any scheme may be met by contributions from local groups who will benefit from the scheme.

Would you be willing / able to help reduce the impacts of flooding in the parish?	
5a. Assisting with clearing drains or channels	
5b. Involvement in an Eardisland Parish Council Flood Working Group	
5c. Would you support an increase in precept (the money you pay to the Parish Council via council tax) in order to fund minor works	
5c. Other (please state)	

You can add paperwork on a separate sheet, (with your address as reference and the question number where relevant) but because of the tight timescales for the survey, it may not be possible to address every issue raised by parishioners.

Thank you very much for completing this questionnaire. Please put it in the box in The Dovecote, or post it to the Parish Clerk at 7 John Davies Place, Westcroft, Leominster, HR6 8JD, or scan the form and email it to the Clerk at [eardislandclerk@gmail.com](mailto:eardislandclerk@gmail.com) by **29 October**.

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**2d. Information on previous flood events to your property, the road outside or another household you have been in direct contact with**

Please complete the table as far as possible, providing approximate information where details are not known. Please mark details on the enclosed map if relevant.

Date of flooding to <b>your property or the road outside</b>	Date of flooding to <b>another household</b>	Consequences of flooding (complete where applicable)				Cause or source of the floodwater and direction of flow				Any specific contributing factors that made the flooding worse? e.g. culvert / ditch full of debris
		Internal property flooding		External property flooding		Water-course	Sewers	Highway runoff	Overland runoff	
		Depth	Duration	Depth	Duration					



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