

CFRAM and Shannon CFRAM Structures

MANAGEMENT STRUCTURES

National

- National Steering Group (13 Depts. / Agencies)
- National Stakeholder Group (>30 Organisations)
- National Technical Coordination Group
- Interdepartmental Flood Policy Group

Shannon 'CFRAM' Project

- Advisory Group / Progress Group (OPW, LAs, EPA)
- Stakeholder Group (Appx. 20 Organisations)
- Bi-Lateral Coordination (Key Stakeholders)

Shannon Flood Risk State Agency Co-ordination Working Group

National Steering Group

Terms of Reference

- To co-ordinate the implementation of the CFRAM Programme, including detailed review of Programme direction, progress and outputs.
- Report on Programme progress to the IDG.
- Provide formal feedback and input on behalf of the relevant departments and principal stakeholder organisations.
- Report on progress and relevant activities undertaken within the represented departments and principal stakeholder organisations.

Membership

OPW
DAFM
DAHG
Met Eireann
DECLG
OEP
EPA
DCENR
RIVERS AGENCY
CCMA
ESB
WATERWAYS IRELAND
IRISH WATER

National Stakeholder Group

Terms of Reference

- Attend a number (approximately five (5)) one-day Stakeholder Workshops at key project phases to provide views and feedback on the CFRAM Programme and Floods Directive implementation. The five key project phases are: SEA Scoping; Draft Flood Map; FRM Objectives; Preliminary Option Report and Draft FRMP
- Be presented with regular updates on the Shannon CFRAM Study and Floods Directive Implementation.
- Ensure the communication of information, data, views and opinions from the organisations of the Stakeholder Group members.
- Disseminate as appropriate information and outputs from the CFRAM Programme and related 'Floods' Directive matters to the members' organisation, and, as necessary, coordinate reviews of same within their organization.

Membership

An Bord Pleanála
An Taisce
Association of Consulting Engineers of Ireland (ACEI)
Badgerwatch
Bat Conservation Ireland
BirdWatch Ireland
Bord Gáis Networks
Bord na Mona
Canoeing Ireland
Chambers Ireland
CIWEM Ireland
Coarse Angling Federation of Ireland
Coastal and Marine Resources Centre
Coastwatch Ireland
Coillte

National Stakeholder Group

Membership Continued

Construction Industry Federation
Dublin City Council / Dublin Flood Forum
Eircom
EirGrid
Engineers Ireland
Enterprise Ireland
Environmental Pillar & Irish Environment Network
Failte Ireland
Federation of Irish Salmon and Sea Trout Anglers
Forfás
Friends of the Earth Ireland
Geological Survey of Ireland
GIS Officers Users Group (LA?)
Health Service Executive (HSE)
Iarnród Eireann
Industrial Development Agency
Inland Fisheries Ireland
Inland Waterways Association of Ireland
Institute of Professional Auctioneers and Valuers (IPAV)
Insurance Ireland
Irish Academy of Engineering
Irish Angling Development Alliance
Irish Business and Employers Confederation (IBEC)
Irish Co-Operative Organisation Society
Irish Countrywomen's Association

Irish Creamery Milk Suppliers Association (ICMSA)
Irish Farmers Association (IFA)
Irish Federation of Pike Angling Clubs
Irish Federation of Sea Anglers
Irish Marine Federation / Irish Boat Rental Association
Irish National Committee of Blue Shield
Irish National Flood Forum
Irish Natural Forestry Foundation
Irish Peatland Conservation Council
Irish Planning Institute (IPI)
Irish Red Cross
Irish Small and Medium Enterprises Association (ISME)
Irish Water
Irish Water and Fish Preservation Society
Irish Wildlife Trust
IRLOGI
Landscape Alliance Ireland
Macra na Feirme
Marine Institute
National Anglers Representative Association
National Roads Authority
Native Woodland Trust
Recreational Angling Ireland
Rivers Agency (NI)

Rowing Ireland
Royal Institute of Architects of Ireland (RIAI)
Royal Irish Academy
Royal Town and Planning Institute (RTPI)
SEE Airtricity
Society of Chartered Surveyors of Ireland (SCSI)
St. Vincent de Paul
Sustainable Water Network (SWAN)
Teagasc
The Heritage Council
Tidy Towns
Trout Anglers Federation of Ireland

National Technical Coordination Group

Terms of Reference

- To provide a forum at a national level for the technical coordination of the implementation of the CFRAM Studies and the delivery of the requirements of the 'Floods' Directive.
- Exchange views, expectations and information between the consultants appointed to undertake the Projects and other CFRAM Studies and between these consultants, the OPW and other technical stakeholders.
- Agree detailed technical formats and standards for the deliverables of the Projects and other CFRAM Studies.
- Agree and / or refine technical methodologies for undertaking aspects of the Projects and other CFRAM Studies.

Membership

OPW
CFRAM Consultants
EPA
NWPS Representatives

Interdepartmental Flood Policy Group

Terms of Reference

- explore the impact on individuals and communities of the OPW's Flood Risk Management Plans,
- recommend to Government policies and measures that would reduce the impact of flood risks on individual and communities,
- recommend to Government policies and measures that would support individual and communities be prepared and respond effectively to flood risks,
- identify the lead Department and/or agency for each recommended policy measure; and
- estimate the financial and other resource implications of their recommendations

Membership

Membership of this Group at Principal Officer level, chaired by the Minister of State with special responsibility for the Office of Public Works includes, Departments of Finance; Public Expenditure and Reform; Environment, Community and Local Government; Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht; Agriculture and Marine; Defence; Social Protection and the OPW.

Shannon Advisory Group

Terms of Reference

- Ensure the communication of information, advice, views and opinions of the senior management of the organisations of the Advisory Group members to the Shannon CFRAM Study team and other teams working on related 'Floods' Directive matters, and,
- Disseminate as appropriate information from the Shannon CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive matters to the members' organisation senior management teams and, as appropriate, to the members' Council, and,
- Be presented with regular (approximately every six months) updates on the high-level direction and progress of the Shannon CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive matters, and provide views, opinions and advice on same, and,
- Review and comment upon Shannon CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive outputs.

Membership

Limerick City & County Council
Clare County Council
Kerry County Council
Offaly County Council
Longford County Council
Roscommon County Council
Leitrim County Council
Tipperary County Council
Galway County Council
Westmeath County Council
Cork County Council
Laois County Council
Southern Regional Assembly
Northern & Western Regional Assembly
Eastern & Midlands Regional Assembly
Northern Ireland Rivers Agency

Shannon Progress Group

Terms of Reference

- Ensure the communication of information, data, views and opinions from the organisations of the Progress Group members to the Shannon CFRAM Study team and other teams working on related 'Floods' Directive matters,
- Disseminate as appropriate information and outputs from the Shannon CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive matters to the members' organisation, and, as necessary, coordinate reviews of same within their organisation.
- Be presented with regular (approximately every six weeks) updates on the progress of the Shannon CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive matters, and provide views, opinions and advice on same.
- Review and comment upon Shannon CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive outputs.

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Leitrim County Council
Tipperary County Council
Galway County Council
Westmeath County Council
Cork County Council
Laois County Council

Shannon CFRAM Stakeholder Group

Terms of Reference

- Attend a number (approximately five (5)) one-day Stakeholder Workshops at key project phases to provide views and feedback on the Project, flood risk management and related environmental issues within the Study Area, as pertinent to the stage of the Project. The five key project phases are: SEA Scoping; Draft Flood Map; FRM Objectives; Preliminary Option Report and Draft FRMP
- Be presented with regular updates on the CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive matters.
- Ensure the communication of information, data, views and opinions from the organisations of the Stakeholder Group members to the Shannon CFRAM Study team and other teams working on related 'Floods' Directive matters.
- Disseminate as appropriate information and outputs from the Shannon CFRAM Study and related 'Floods' Directive matters to the members' organisation, and, as necessary, coordinate reviews of same within their organisation.

Membership

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
Inland Fisheries Ireland
Waterways Ireland
Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht, National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS)
Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht: Built Heritage and Architectural Policy Section
Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht: National Monuments Service
Department of Agriculture, Marine and Food
Department of Environment, Community and Local Government
Department of Transport Tourism and Sport
Electricity Supply Board (ESB)
Irish National Flood Forum
Bord na Móna
An Taisce
Irish Peatland Conservation Council
Shannon Airport Authority
Irish Farmers Association
Coastwatch Europe
Environmental Pillar of Social Partnership
Shannon Fishery Partnership
Sustainable Water Network (SWAN)
Teagsac
Geological Survey of Ireland
Heritage Council

Shannon CFRAM Stakeholder Group

Membership Continued

OPW: National Monuments Section

Shannon International River Basin Project

Shannon Foynes Port Company

Department of Environment's Northern Ireland:
Environmental Agency

Birdwatch Ireland

Marine Institute

Failte Ireland

Tourism Ireland

Irish Wildlife Trust

Bat Conservation Ireland

National Roads Authority

Coillte

Iarnród Eireann

Bord Iascaigh Mhara

Inland Waterways Association

ENFO

Tree Council of Ireland

Health and Safety Authority

Coastal and Marine Research Centre

Botanical Society of Britain and Ireland

Biodiversity Ireland

Landscape Alliance Ireland

Chambers Ireland

Irish Marine Federation/Irish Boat Rental Association

Irish Angling Development Alliance

Irish Federation of Sea Anglers

Irish Federation of Pike Angling Clubs

Limerick City & County Council

Clare County Council

Kerry County Council

Offaly County Council

Longford County Council

Roscommon County Council

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