

# 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 Éireann  
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.

## Membership

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Roscommon County Council  
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

Leitrim County Council

Tipperary County Council

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