



COUNCIL MEETING

2 February 2017

GATESHEAD FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

Mike Barker, Acting Chief Executive

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval of the Gateshead Flood Risk Management Strategy.
2. The Council is required, under the Flood and Water Management Act 2010, to have a strategy for local flood risk management. A public consultation process has been completed on the draft strategy.
3. The Cabinet has considered the facts and issues arising from the report including alternative options and took all relevant advice before formulating their recommendation.

RECOMMENDATION

4. It is recommended that Council approves the Gateshead Flood Risk Management Strategy, at Appendix 2 of the attached report.