Humber 2100+ Winter Comms Campaign 2022/23

Background

Sea level rise and extreme weather events are likely to have a very real and direct impact on our lives. As sea levels continue to rise and storms become more frequent, tidal flood events will happen more often. Within a few decades we could experience tidal flooding that used to happen once a century **every year.**

The Humber 2100+ partnership is working together to plan how tidal risk is managed over the next 100 years. The scale of risk now and in the future will mean that we all must be prepared for the impacts so that we can recover more quickly from flooding when it happens.

This winter the partnership is working to raise awareness of tidal flood risk, to help communities understand the impacts now and in the future, and how they can live with risk by being prepared.

We need your support. A pack of new materials have been produced to help communicate risk to people living on and around the estuary as part of the Humber 2100+ winter comms campaign.

We are calling on local communities and businesses to help bring about positive change by sharing our messages within their area.

How you can help

Links to a full range of materials are below. Please look through these, identify those which feel most relevant to your local area and share in the way that best suits your community.

Social media

- Follow us on Facebook (@HumberStrategy) and Twitter (@Humber_Strategy)
- Retweet / share our posts
- Post your own content using the material below with our hashtags #Humber2100 #HumberFloodRisk
- In addition, keep your eye out for the Environment Agency's Flood Action Week messages around being prepared

Newsletters / publications

- We have included some text that you can use on your websites and newsletters <u>here</u>
- You can also use some of the static images to accompany this

Posters / leaflets

Make use of this poster to raise awareness of flood risk in your community - <u>Humber Flood Risk</u>
 <u>Poster</u> it can also be used as a leaflet

Materials

Social media content

Animated posts (available to download here or use YouTube link where avaliable):

Flooding happens quickly

Metre rise animation

Flooding is deceptive

Are you at risk?

Don't assume it's not you

15% have a plan, do you?

Find out more about Humber Flood Risk

Take action!

Other animations:

How do tides and rivers affect each other YouTube link - https://youtu.be/DHgB02s0ocl

What are tides? Full animation YouTube link - https://youtu.be/AeJOqZBwPLs

What are tides? Short animation YouTube link - https://youtu.be/XeCVrVY53u4

What are Spring Tides? YouTube link - https://youtube.com/shorts/Xb5Qp2QDWs4?feature=share

What are Neap Tides? YouTube link - https://youtube.com/shorts/4fRYbXNcoPw?feature=share

What is Coastal Squeeze? YouTube link - https://youtu.be/XnSbYuR-w5Y

Example posts:

- Tidal flood risk is already a reality and will only increase over time. It's everyone's responsibility to take action. Find out what you can do... <u>Prepare for flooding: Protect yourself from future flooding -</u> GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
- Did you know that you can receive a warning to let you know that flooding is expected? <u>Sign up for flood warnings</u> GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
- You don't have to live near the coast to be affected by tidal flooding as risk extends surprisingly far
 up tidal rivers find out more here https://youtu.be/DHqB02s0ocl

Static images

For use via social media or newsletters/publications

PNGs:

Be prepared

Flooding happens quickly

Metre sea level rise

What are tides?_Static

What are Spring Tides?_Static

What are Neap Tides? Static

How do tides and rivers affect each other? Static

Humber Tidal Flooding - a history

Humber Flood Risk Newsletter for social media

Water Levels Graphics - more coming soon

PDFs:

How do tides and rivers affect each other?_PDF

Humber Flood Risk Poster

Humber Tidal Flooding - a history PDF

We will be adding more material **here** as the campaign progresses.

Questions?

You can contact the Humber Team <u>HStrategy@environmentagency.gov.uk</u>

Thank you for your support!