



10 August 2023

INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE 23-023

Thank you for your information request, received on 25 July 2023. You asked the London Legacy Development Corporation (Legacy Corporation) to provide the following information under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR):

"I have been looking for a copy of some policy documents/ data related to flooding and haven't been able to find some of them on your website. Could you please point me in the right direction, or provide me with copies of the following for a flood risk study:

1. *GIS files (shapefiles or similar) of areas with critical drainage problems, local flood risk zones (flood zone 3a,3b) as define by either the SWMP or SFRA or other measures.*
2. *Updated/ available - current and previous reports and appendices of:*
 - *SWMP (Surface water management plan) or similar.*
 - *SFRA (Strategic flood risk/ Consequence assessment),*
 - *PFRA (preliminary flood risk assessment).*
 - *LFRMS (Local Flood risk strategy).*
3. *Copies of any Supplementary Planning Documents/ Guidance with regards to flood risk, drainage and climate change.*
4. *A copy of your flood risk assessment criteria if you have one."*

The Legacy Corporation prepared the following documents in relation to flood risk as part of its Local Plan evidence base and each of these can be found on the Legacy Corporation website. The approach taken relied on the most recent iterations of each boroughs Strategic Flood Risk Assessment and any other available information such as that for Critical Drainage Areas and therefore the Legacy Corporation does not hold this information. The relevant GIS data held is that provided by the Environment Agency and no other GIS flood risk related information is held.

LLDC Local Plan 2025

- Flood Risk Review within the Legacy Corporation Area Hyder, July 2013
<https://www.queenelizabetholympicpark.co.uk/-/media/lldc/local-plan/local-plan->

[examination-documents/local-evidence-base-documents/leb15-localplanfloodriskreviewreport.ashx?la=en](https://www.queenelizabetholympicpark.co.uk/-/media/lldc/local-plan/examination-documents/local-evidence-base-documents/leb15-localplanfloodriskreviewreport.ashx?la=en)

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Supported by

- [BEB/8 - Tower Hamlets Flood Risk and the Core Strategy General Sequential Test, 2009](#)
- [BEB/9 - Tower Hamlets Draft Surface Water Management Plan, 2012](#)
- [BEB/10 - Tower Hamlets Strategic Flood Risk Assessment, 2012](#)
- [BEB/11 - Tower Hamlets Preliminary Flood Risk Assessment, 2009](#)
- [BEB/12 - Newham Surface Water Management Plan, 2011](#)
- [BEB/13 - Newham Strategic Flood Risk Assessment, 2010](#)
- [BEB/14 - Waltham Forest Flood Risk Sequential and Exceptions Test for the Core Strategy, 2010](#)
- [BEB/15 - Waltham Forest Level 2 Strategic Flood Risk Assessment, 2011](#)
- [BEB/16 - Waltham Forest Surface Water Management Plan, 2011](#)
- [BEB/17 - Hackney Strategic Flood Risk Assessment, 2010](#)
- [BEB/18 - Hackney Surface Water Management Plan, Final Draft, 2013](#)

Local Plan 2020

- Flood Risk Review, Arup, 2018
<https://www.queenelizabetholympicpark.co.uk/-/media/lldc/local-plan/examination-2019/local-evidence-base/leb8-flood-risk-study-and-addendum-report.ashx?la=en>
- Flood Risk Review Updated July 2019, Arup 2019
<https://www.queenelizabetholympicpark.co.uk/-/media/lldc/local-plan/examination-2019/local-evidence-base/leb8a-flood-risk-review-report-july-2019.ashx?la=en>
- LD30 Flood Risk Explanatory Note (March 2019), prepared for Local Plan Examination
<https://www.queenelizabetholympicpark.co.uk/-/media/lldc/local-plan/examination-2019/local-documents/ld30-flood-risk-explanatory-note.ashx?la=en>

The Legacy Corporation has not prepared and does not hold any of the documents that you have listed under 2.

For Question 3, the Legacy Corporation has one SPD, Getting to Net Zero SPD, 2022 that has a specific sustainability theme, and this can be found on the Legacy Corporation website: <https://www.queenelizabetholympicpark.co.uk/-/media/lldc/planning/supplementary-planning-documents/planning-obligations-and-getting-to-net-zero/getting-to-net-zero-spd-october-2022-lr.ashx?la=en>

For question 4, the LLDC does not have a Flood Risk Assessment criteria.

If you are unhappy with our response to your request and wish to make a request for an internal review of our response, you should write to:

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Stratford
E20 1JN

Email: FOI@londonlegacy.co.uk

Please note: requests for internal reviews received more than forty working days after the initial response will not be handled.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you may appeal directly to the Information Commissioner at the address given below. You should do this within two months of our final decision. There is no charge for making an appeal.

Further information on the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is available from the Information Commissioner's Office:

Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
SK9 5AF

Telephone 08456 30 60 60 or 01625 54 57 45

Website www.ico.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

FOI / EIR Co-ordinator
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