

Local Authority	Location
Dublin City	Civic Offices, Wood Quay, Dublin 8
Dun Laoghaire Rathdown	County Hall, Marine Road, Dun Laoghaire, County Dublin
Fingal	County Hall, Main Street, Swords, County Dublin
Kildare	Áras Chill Dara, Devoy Park, Naas, County Kildare
Louth	Millenium Centre, Dundalk, County Louth
Meath	Buvinda House, Dublin Road, Navan, County Meath
Offaly	Áras an Chontae, Charleville Road, Tullamore, County Offaly
	Birr Municipal District Office, Wilmer Road, Birr, County Offaly
	Edenderry Municipal District Office, Edenderry Town Hall, Edenderry, County Offaly
South Dublin	County Hall, Tallaght, Dublin 24
Wicklow	County Buildings, Station Road, Wicklow

This statutory public consultation process provides a mechanism for individuals to make submissions on the draft flood maps. These submissions may be made as an **observation** or as an **objection**. Objections can only be made on the draft flood hazard maps and on the form available at http://maps.opw.ie/flood_draftmap_consult/ or at the Local Authority offices where the draft maps are on display.

An objection can only be made by an owner, occupier or user of land or property that is shown as flooded on a draft flood Hazard Map.

All details on making an objection are set out in the document entitled "Procedures for Processing Objections to the Draft Flood Hazard Maps" available at http://maps.opw.ie/flood_draftmap_consult/ or at the Local Authority offices where the draft maps are on display.

The closing date for **observations** is 5:00 pm on 23rd December 2015 and for **objections** is 5:00 pm on 21st December 2015.

Please note that all submissions received to date during the informal Public Consultation phase will be treated as observations and not as objections. If you have already made a submission and want it to be processed as an objection, you must lodge it as an objection via the process described above.

Next Steps

All observations received in relation to the draft flood mapping will be considered during the finalisation of the flood mapping. All objections will be considered in accordance with the procedure set out in the document entitled "Procedures for Processing Objections to the Draft Flood Hazard Maps". It is envisaged that the final flood mapping will be published in 2016.

The development of flood risk management options has commenced and will be the subject of widespread consultation in early 2016. Draft Flood Risk Management Plans will be published in late 2016.

Further Information:

Email: draftmaps@opw.ie Phone: 046 9426468 during office hours

For information on the Eastern CFRAM Study: www.eastcfрамstudy.ie