

Summary of Progress/Actions/Response Taken Following Discussions at Previous Meetings
Report by Administrative Officer

Date of Meeting and Minute No	Discussion	Responsible Person	Summary of Progress
<p>6 October 2011 Minute 5/11 Grant Aid for Anti Fouling Paints</p>	<p>A member enquired about a grant aid of £800 which had been awarded in 2009 for research into copper based antifouling paints. Request to investigate this grant.</p>	<p>Senior Ecologist</p>	<p>The draft report by the Authority's contractor, UCL, has been completed on research at Hickling and a summary of the research undertaken by Stephen Lambert on copper concentration in Hickling sediments and two MSc projects on levels of boat derived pollutants (PAH and TBT) in the Broads is now awaited.</p> <p>It is hoped that a UCL representative will be available to present their work at the July Broads Forum meeting. Once it is finalised, the report will be posted on the Authority's website.</p>
<p>7 February 2013 Minute 5/6 Work of Broads Climate Change Adaptation Panel</p>	<p>Identification of Climate Change and what it means for the Broads, its potential impact on the BA and other partners' statutory responsibilities.</p> <p>Deliberative Engagement is the only way forward, with appropriate guidance about likely impacts and the sorts of solutions which might be proposed.</p>	<p>Head of Strategy and Projects</p>	<p>Item is on this agenda.</p>

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<p>7 February 2013 Minute 5/9 High Speed Boat Testing Outside Strumpshaw Fen</p>	<p>Concern expressed about the reported incidents of last February and about the impacts of high speed testing at this location.</p> <p>Concerned to gather more information about a complex issue before expressing a collective opinion.</p> <p>Members requested a report back on this item in the future.</p>	<p>Director of Operations/Head of Safety Management</p>	<p>Item is on this agenda.</p>
<p>25 July 2013 Minute 1/9 Water Quality Across the Broads and Habitats Regulations Assessment</p>	<p>The Broads Authority is considering its response to technical information renewal of two agricultural abstraction licences around Catfield Fen. To assist the Authority in gaining independent hydrological advice.</p>	<p>Senior Ecologist</p>	<p>The Environment Agency is considering the renewal of two agricultural abstraction licences around Catfield Fen area to determine the potential impacts they are having on the Ant Broads and Marshes Site of Special Scientific Interest, component of The Broads Special Area of Conservation, Broadland Special Protection Area and Broadland Ramsar. The Agency is working through the key stages of the Habitat Regulations Assessment. Within April this involves consulting with Natural England and Broads Authority as statutory consultees, before moving through to producing their determination report and consulting on their minded to decision, prior to making their final decision in the later part of the summer.</p>