Broads Forum 7 November 2013 Agenda Item No 5

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
6 October 2011 Minute 5/11 Grant Aid for Anti Fouling Paints	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.	Head of Strategy and Projects	The project's data analysis work is in progress by the Authority's contractor, UCL. It is anticipated that the dating of the cores will conclude the contract and hopefully provide valuable insight. Once the report is finalised, it will be posted on the Authority's website for people to access freely. The officer responsible for project managing this study is happy to formally report back or invite the UCL researcher to present at a forthcoming Broads Forum meeting.
7 February 2013 Minute 5/6 Work of Broads Climate Change Adaptation Panel	Identification of Climate Change and what it means for the Broads, its potential impact on the BA and other partners' statutory responsibilities. Deliberative Engagement is the only way forward, with appropriate guidance about likely impacts and the sorts of solutions which might be proposed.	Head of Strategy and Projects	Workshops are planned for tourism businesses, parish councils and farmers in November. Plans have started for a young person's conference at How Hill for Climate Week (March2014) and a public event probably at the Forum in February. Latest notes from Climate Adaptation Panel are on the Authority web-site

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	A timescale for meaningful progress is required.		
7 February 2013 Minute 5/9 High Speed Boat Testing Outside Strumpshaw Fen	Concern expressed about the reported incidents of last February and about the impacts of high speed testing at this location. Concerned to gather more information about a complex issue before expressing a collective opinion. Members requested a report back on this item in the future.	Director of Operations/Head of Safety Management	The review is underway and will be discussed by the Boating Safety Management Group prior to being reported to other Committees in the spring 2014.
25 April 2013 Minute 6/7 Broads Forum Arrangements	Members agreed to review the membership representatives for the Broads Forum.	Chairman/Head of Governance	The Education Interest Group member representatives have now been confirmed.