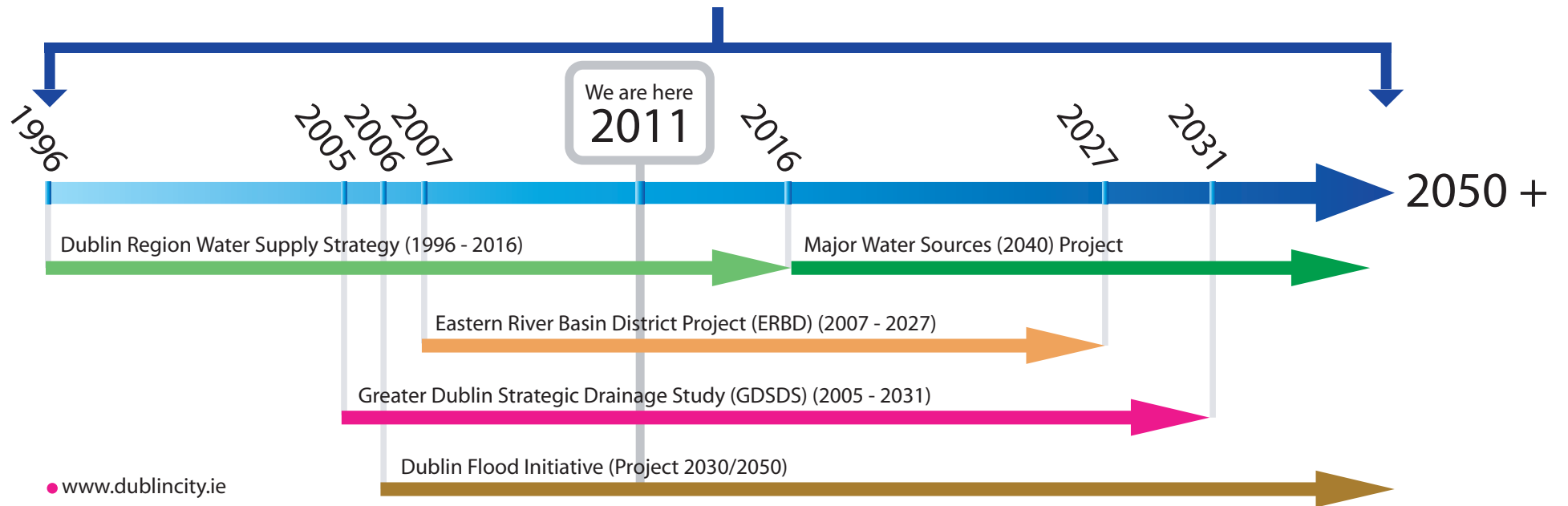
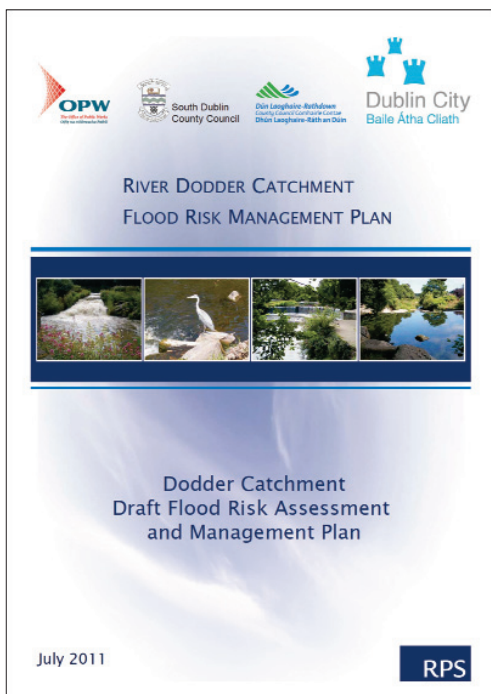


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Long-term Strategic Planning



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- www.erbd.ie
- www.watersupplyproject-dublinregion.ie



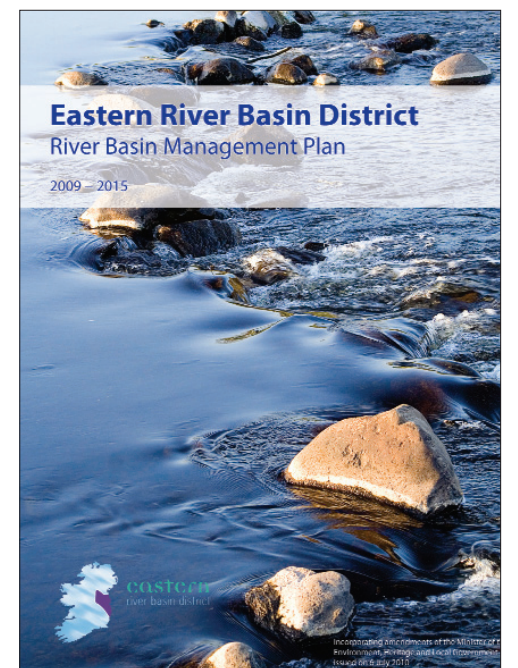
The role of the **Flood Defence Unit** is to investigate flooding incidents and recommend flood alleviation measures in compliance with the OPW's Flood policy. See www.opw.ie and www.floods.ie.



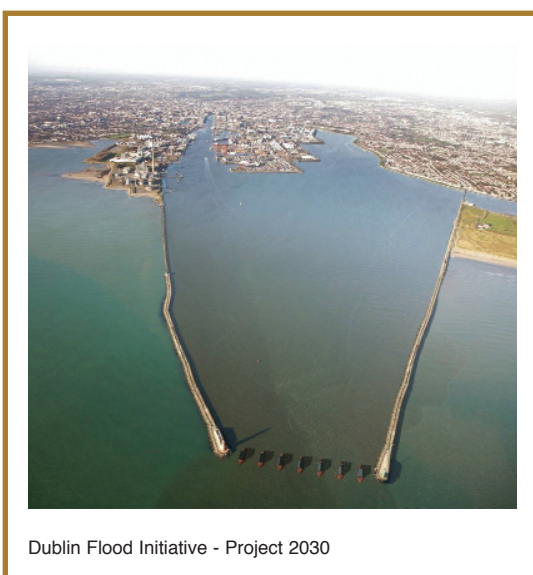
Dublin City Water Services Strategic Plan



International Water Association Award
Awarded to Dublin City Council in 2008



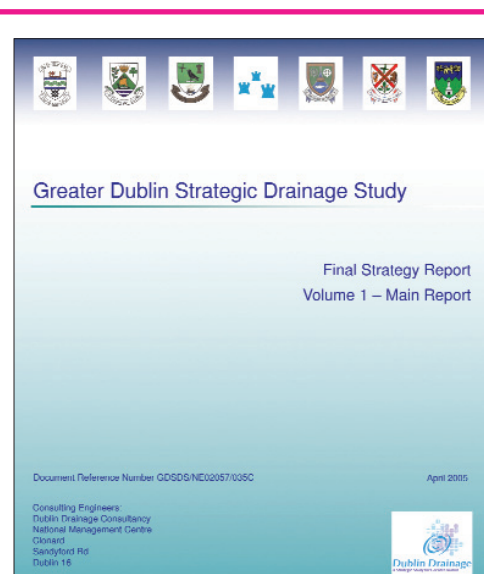
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Dublin Flood Initiative - Project 2030



All rivers in Ireland are to have a complete **Flood Risk Assessment and Management Plan** complete by 2015 under the Flood Directive 2007/60/EC transposed into Irish Law under SI 122 of 2010, for more information see www.opw.ie and www.dublincity.ie.



Urban Wastewater Treatment Directive 91/271/EEC
Its objective is to protect the environment from the adverse effects of urban waste water discharges and discharges from certain industrial sectors and concerns the collection, treatment and discharge of waste water. See www.epa.ie and www.dublinbayproject.ie.

SuDS - Sustainable (urban) Drainage Systems
A sequence of conveyance systems and control structures designed to manage the drainage of surface water more sustainably than conventional techniques by providing treatment and reducing flow rates and volumes, for more info see www.irishsuds.com.

Greater Dublin Strategic Drainage Study (GSDS)
A study carried out throughout the Dublin Region to identify the policies, strategies and projects for developing a sustainable drainage system for the region, and examine the infrastructural requirements up to 2031, see www.dublincity.ie.