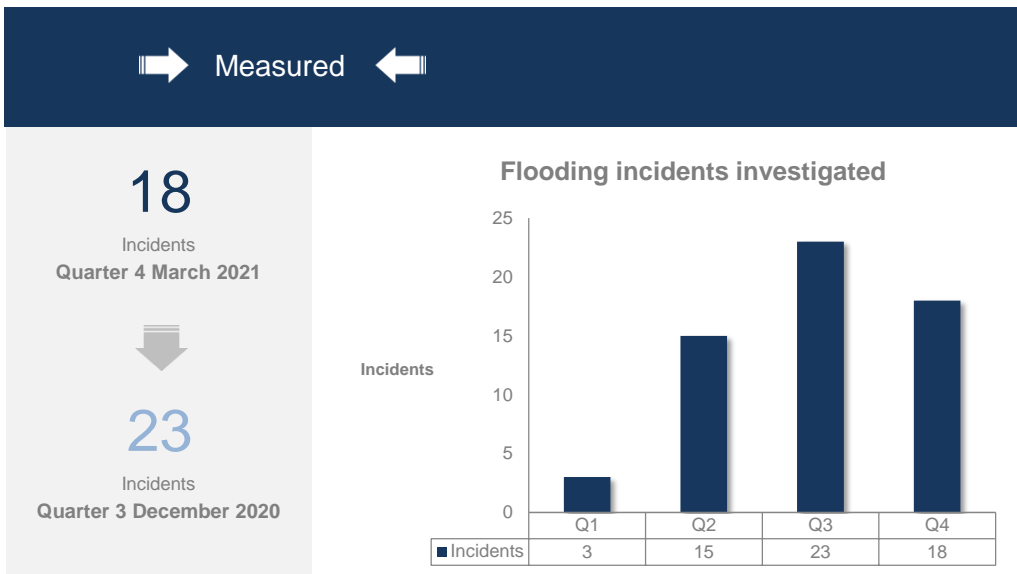


Flooding incidents investigated

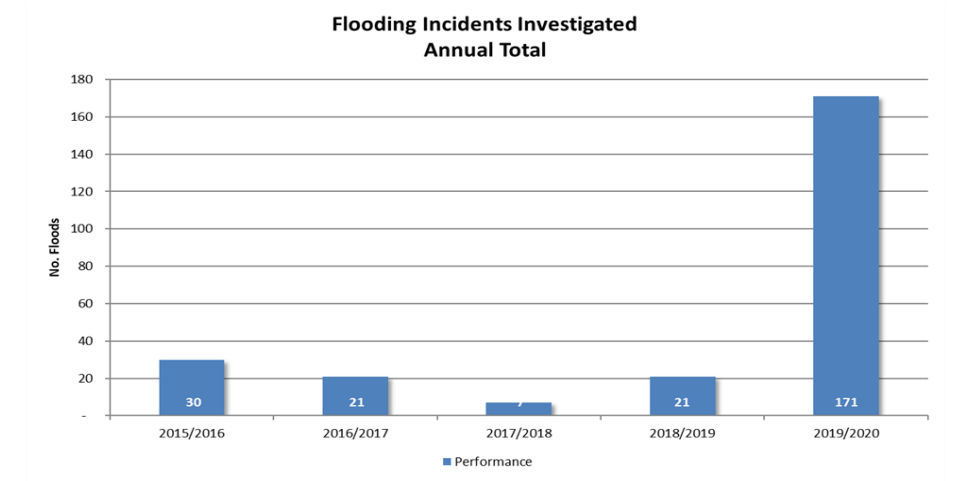
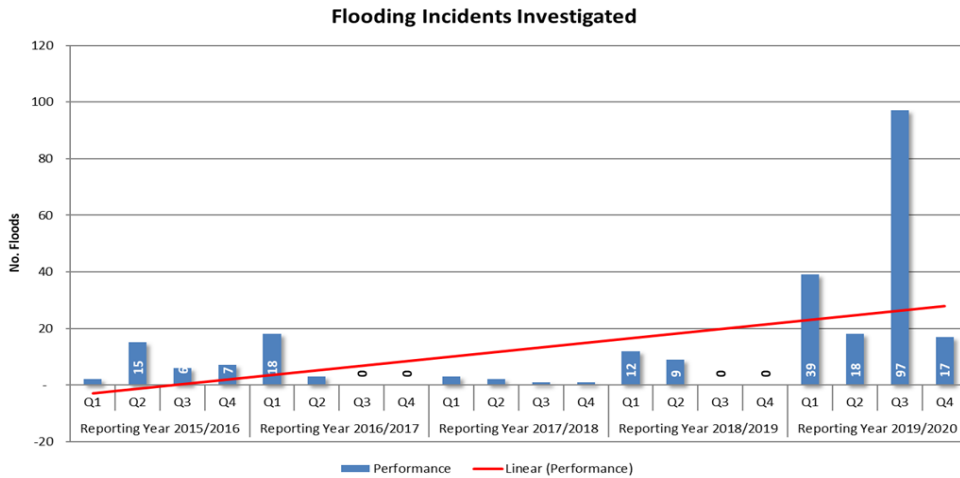
This measure is calculated on the basis of the number of formal investigations undertaken by the County Council under section 19 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010. Lincolnshire County Council has interpreted a flooding incident to be any in which one or more domestic properties are flooded internally; the strategic highway network is significantly affected; there is significant impact on farmland or there is a significant impact on the community e.g. schools or commercial property



About the latest performance

There have been 18 S.19 flood investigations started in Quarter 4 affecting 23 individual properties. This compares with 23 S.19 flood investigations in the previous Quarter. This brings the total for 2020/21 to 59 S.19 flood investigations. In comparison there were 171 S.19 flood investigations during the 2019/20 reporting period.

Further details



About the target

This measure is reported to provide context. It is not appropriate to set a target for this measure.

About the target range

A target range is not applicable as this is a contextual measure.

About benchmarking

This measure is local to Lincolnshire as each Local Flood Authority (Unitary and County Councils) defines a flood incident as they consider appropriate and therefore is not benchmarked against any other area.

Properties protected from flooding

It is estimated that in Lincolnshire there are about 28,000 properties which have either been flooded in the past or are thought to be at risk from surface water flooding.

As outlined in the Lincolnshire Joint Flood Risk Management Strategy, in accordance with its duty to undertake improvement works to protect communities, the County Council as Lead Local Flood Authority has developed an ongoing programme of surface water flood risk management schemes. A higher number of properties protected from flooding indicates a better performance.



Achieved

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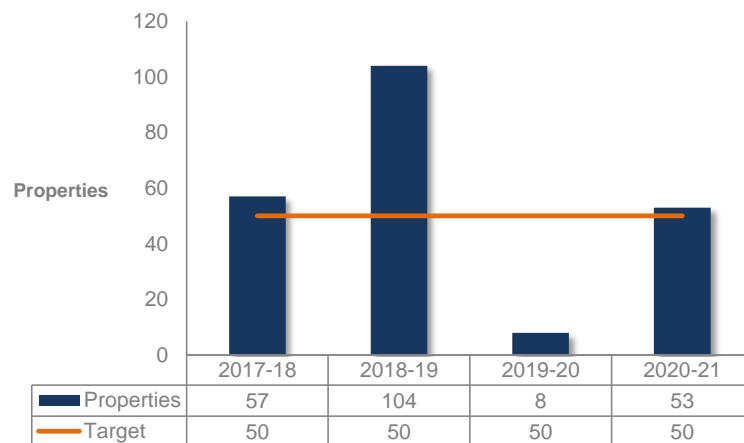
Properties
Actual 2020/2021



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Properties
Target for 2020/2021

Properties protected from flooding



Further details

Please see the main graphic for all available data relating to this measure.

About the target

The target for 2020/21 is to reduce the flood risk to 50 homes by carrying out flood alleviation works.

About the target range

There is a range in the target of +/- 10 properties. The reason for this is that the schemes in the future programme protect a range of properties, and as the programme is rolled out over the years there will be a consequent variation in the total number of properties protected. Other aspects which might influence the target include significant flood events and economic factors.

About benchmarking

The target is local to Lincolnshire and is not therefore bench marked against other Lead Local Flood Authorities.