

Transfer of operational responsibility – North Kent Marshes IDB/WLMB



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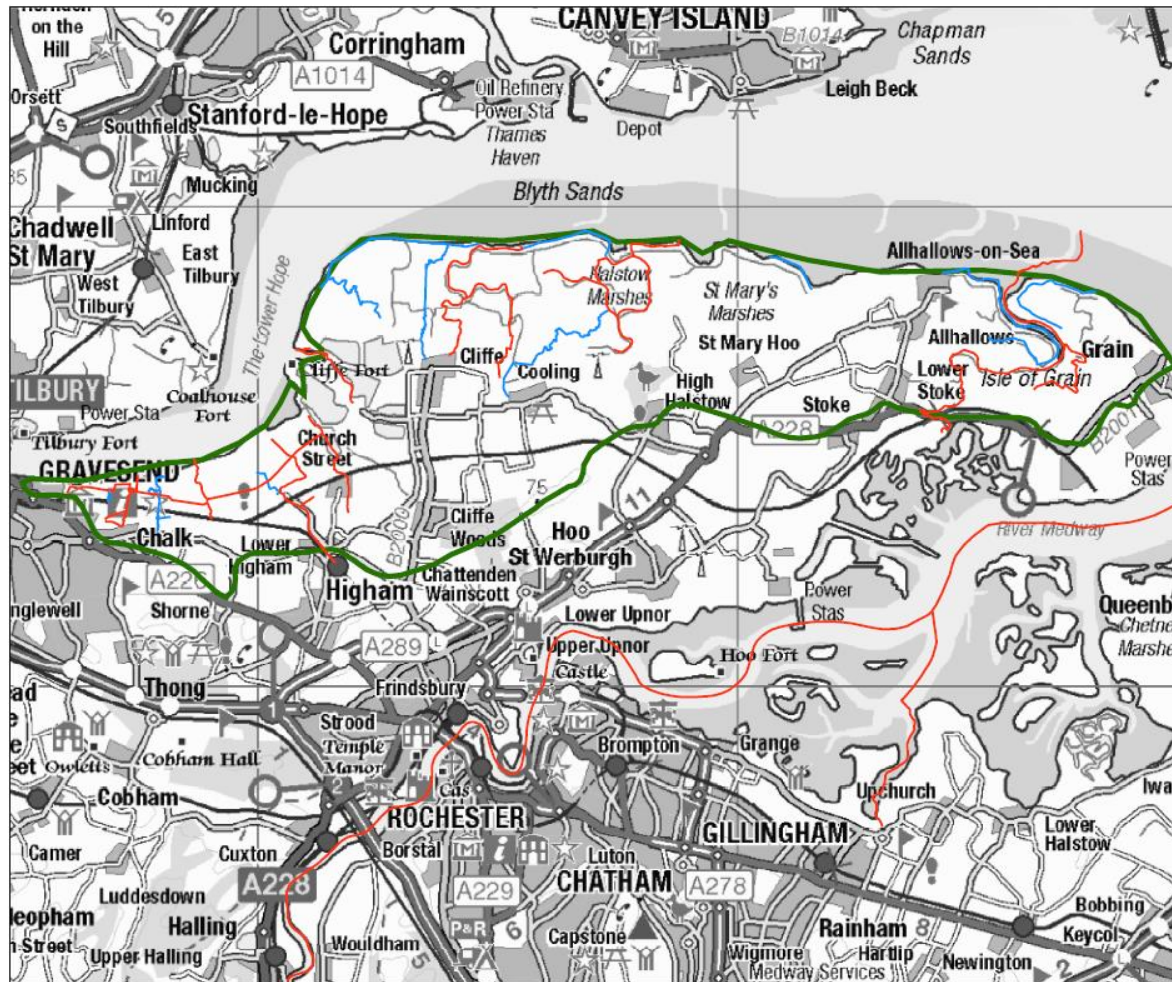
Objectives

- Background to the project.
- Overview of the East of Gravesend/North Kent Marshes IDB.
- Outcomes.
- Issues, constraints, opportunities.

Background

- IDB's.
- Reduced funding.
- Change in legislation.
- Lack of democratic input.
- Engagement.
- Steering Group.

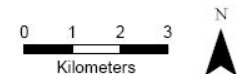
East of Gravesend IDB



East of Gravesend
Internal Drainage District

Legend

- Main River
- IDB Watercourse
- IDD Boundary



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Solution?



Solution

Medway Council LLFA
Clerking and Engineering

North Kent Marshes IDB

Lower Medway
Internal Drainage
Board provide
maintenance
under PSCA

Outcomes:

- The existing IDB will be disbanded and a new IDB will be formed in Summer 2016.
- Continuation of services.
- Ensures an integrated approach.
- Opportunities for improvements.
- Support from landowners & stakeholders.
- Making use of tools (PSCA) to assist partnership working and work efficiently.