9.3.54 Trelech

Community Council(s) Abernant, Llanwinio, Meidrim, Trelech
Councillor: Jean Lewis
Population: 2,061
Area 124.30 km²
Population Density 17 people/km²

Area Description
Trelech ward is a rural area on Carmarthenshire’s north west border. The largest urban area is the village of Meidrim with several smaller settlements including Abernant, Blaenwaun, Cwmfelin Mynach, Dinas, Gellywen, Llanwinio, Pen-Y-Bont, Talog & Trelech.

The general geography of the area consists of the rolling hills and valleys which are lined by woodland surrounded by pastoral farmland and numerous small watercourses.

The Main Rivers in this ward are Afon Cynin, Afon Cywin and Afon Dewi Fawr.

Flood History
There has been an incident of suspected fluvial flooding in Gellywen - source unconfirmed.

Fluvial flooding incidents in Cwmbach, possibly exacerbated by surface water run-off.

Talog area has been identified as a Policy Unit. It is within the NRW flood alert area and there have been no reported incident to CCC.

Policy Units in Ward
There are no Policy Units identified in this Ward.

Count Table (see Maps 1 & 2 below)

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<th>Criteria</th>
<th>Total at-risk Property Count</th>
<th>Dwellings affected</th>
<th>Community Services</th>
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<td>High Risk</td>
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<td>Medium Risk</td>
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<td>Low Risk</td>
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Breakdown by Policy Unit refer to Appendix E.

Other risk management authorities
DCWW has identified flood risks at the following locations:
- Meidrim

NRW will continue to take the lead and manage the flood risk from
- Afon Dewi Fawr,
- Cynin
- Cywin.
Trelech - Delivery Plan

The following summarises actions we propose to manage local flood risk to an acceptable level within the community.

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<td>M34</td>
<td>Work with DCWW to better understand and manage flood risk from surface water and sewers in Meidrim</td>
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<td>M42</td>
<td>Raise awareness of flood risk and support preparation of Community Flood Plans if applicable</td>
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