

**Amendment 1: submitted by Cllrs McIntosh and Bruce**

**Delete Recommendation 2.3 and replace with:** Makes a preliminary decision to refuse the proposed Scheme and for officers to bring forward a new proposed Scheme which would change the climate change allowance on the coast to Scenario 2; instructs the project team to make arrangements as required under Schedule 2 of the FRM (Scotland) Act 2009, to notify all objectors and other relevant people of this decision and give them the chance to make representation; and instructs officers to arrange a date for this Council to reconvene to consider any further representations made in response to this modification, to then take a decision on confirming the Scheme with or without that modification.

**Delete Recommendations 2.4 and 2.5**

**Renumber Recommendation 2.6 as 2.4**

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**Amendment 2: submitted by Cllrs Jardine and Menzies**

**Recommendations 2.1–2.6:** as set out in the officer report.

**Add new recommendations, as follows:**

**2.7** Instructs officers to commission an independent cost and benefit review of the Scheme, to be completed prior to contract award, with findings reported to Full Council to ensure compliance with Best Value duties.

**2.8** Further instructs officers to prepare and present to Full Council, prior to contract award, a Managed Adaptive Approach Plan, building on the Managed Adaptive Approach referenced in the report, to include:

- Defined decision triggers (e.g. sea-level rise, fluvial thresholds, asset condition) that will prompt review of future adaptation measures;
- A monitoring programme and arrangements for publication of data to support transparency and decision-making;
- Design-for-future provisions within the confirmed footprint, enabling later heightening or adaptation without further land requirements;
- Safeguarding of space required for possible future increments;
- A five-year review cycle and governance arrangements for considering adaptation options.

**2.9** Requests that officers provide regular update reports to Full Council at key design gateways, to assure members and the community of progress against these commitments.

**2.10** For the avoidance of doubt, confirms that these requirements shall not reduce the standard of protection delivered by the confirmed Scheme, and any future option that would materially alter the confirmed works shall be brought forward through the appropriate statutory process.

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**Amendment 3: submitted by Cllrs Hampshire and Bennett**

**Replace Recommendation 2.5 with:** To ask the Scottish Ministers to consider this proposed Scheme in accordance with Paragraph 7 of Schedule 2 of the Act, which will involve a Public Local Inquiry being held, and thereafter the Scottish Ministers taking the final decision.