



South Tyneside Council

RISK ASSESSMENT

Department: Services for Young People, Children, Adults & Families		Section: Thurston O.E.C.		Assessment No: W8									
Work Activity	Sea Level Traversing												
	All hazards & control measures as for "Generic Assessment for all Outdoor Activities" plus additions below			<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td colspan="2">Risk rating, without controls <i>(see Matrix overleaf)</i></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="width: 70%;">High</td> <td style="text-align: center;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Medium</td> <td style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Low</td> <td style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> </table>		Risk rating, without controls <i>(see Matrix overleaf)</i>		High	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Medium	<input type="checkbox"/>	Low	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Hazards	Stone/debris/tree fall Sudden weather change Quicksand Entrapment of limb Trapped by change in tide												
Population Exposed	Employees:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sub Contractors:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>							
	Young Persons:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Special Groups:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Children:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>							
Control Measures	Activity run in line with "Sea Level Traversing - Operating Procedures" with control measures including: Supervision by appropriately qualified & experienced staff Appropriate briefing, group management & clear safety rules including specific dangers of quicksand Instructor knowledge of route Awareness of past & predicted weather conditions Knowledge of predicted tides & tidal currents with implications for locations used Helmets to be worn Known escape routes Continue on separate sheet, if necessary												
Information Instruction Training Required	As stated in operating procedures												
Personal Protective Measures (PPE)	As stated in operating procedures												

Implementation Plan		By Whom	Target Date
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Risk Rating with Controls in place	<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MEDIUM	<input type="checkbox"/> LOW
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Monitoring and Review	Review Date	By Whom	Target Date
	<i>Jan 2022</i>		<i>Jan 2023</i>

Action Identified From Review	None	By Whom	Target Date
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Risk Matrix				
Likelihood		Worst Case Outcome		
		<i>Fatality</i>	<i>Major Injury</i>	<i>Minor Injury</i>
	<i>Probable</i>	HIGH	HIGH	MED.
	<i>Possible</i>	HIGH	MED	MED.
	<i>Improbable</i>	MED.	LOW	LOW

Assessment conducted by:	Signed:	Date:
Revised: January 2022. AS, AD, MK, JH, JY		