

## Waste Management in the Weald: 7-Point Action Plan

- 1** Seal existing manholes where possible to prevent surface water ingress
- 2** Improve resilience and reliability of pumping stations with new pumps capable of handling greater capacity of sewage and detritus
- 3** Southern Water will continue to contribute to the development of Kent County Council's Surface Water Management Plan for the area with key stakeholders
- 4** Southern Water's Infrastructure Planning Manager for Kent to act as a Community Liaison with Parish Councils
- 5** A Strategic Review to be undertaken by Southern Water's Director of Infrastructure and presented to Helen Grant MP before Christmas
- 6** A meeting to be convened between Helen Grant MP and Southern Water Chief Executive Matthew Wright to progress any actions arising from Strategic Review
- 7** To facilitate a closer relationship between Southern Water and Maidstone Borough Council in respect to the drainage demands of forthcoming housing developments