

# **Tenbury Wells**

Flood Risk Management Scheme

**Newsletter February 2024** 

**Welcome** to the February edition of the Tenbury Wells Flood Risk Management Scheme (FRMS) newsletter. Here, we'll give an update on project progress, share key information on current activities and provide a lookahead of what we'll be doing over the coming months.

## **Project cost assessment**

We are pleased to report that we are nearing the completion of the crucial project cost assessment. This assessment is pivotal in providing insights into the project's affordability, the funding gap, and overall financial viability of the project. We understand the importance of ensuring that our endeavours remain economically feasible while effectively mitigating flood risks in Tenbury Wells.

### **Engagement**

We continue to prioritise stakeholder engagement as an integral aspect of our project. We firmly believe that involving the community and addressing individual concerns are fundamental to the success of our flood risk management scheme.

Following the completion of the workshops, we are working hard with our Partners to process all the valuable input, and work through remaining challenges with their support.

Recently, our team have spent several days in Tenbury Wells, engaging with specific property owners, to discuss and better understand the impact on individual landowners, businesses, and residents.

We have also attended key meetings, such as the Tenbury Town Council meeting and the FLAG (Flood Action Group) meeting. These interactions provide invaluable perspectives and reaffirm our commitment to collaborative decision-making.



James Turner attending Tenbury Town Council meeting on the 05.02.24 to give an update on the scheme.

## **Looking forwards**

Once the project cost assessment is complete, we will share this information with key partners to plan the way forward on the delivery plan, timescales, funding gaps and our preferred alignment for planning.

We remain dedicated to ensuring the success of this vital project for the Tenbury community and we thank you for your continued support and participation.

#### Communication

Stay Connected: Should you have any questions or feedback, please contact us via our dedicated email inbox: Tenbury.FRMS@environment-agency.gov.uk

All project updates can be found online: https://consult.environment-agency.gov.uk/west-midlands/tenbury-wells-flood-risk-management-scheme or call our National Call Centre During office hours on 03708 506 506