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Tadcaster Flood Alleviation Scheme

Keeping you informed





Visualisation of the completed defences along Wharfe Bank Terrace

Environment Agency c/o Tadcaster Town Council The Ark, 33 Kirkgate, LS24 9AQ



Tadcaster Flood Alleviation Scheme progress

Since our last newsletter we have been developing in detail the proposed programme of works for the flood alleviation scheme and fish pass with our contractor BAM Nuttall. We have reviewed this information to ensure we provide Tadcaster with a scheme which not only protects people and property, but also represents the best value for money. Now the programme and costs have been determined by the Environment Agency, we can proceed to the final stages of detailed design.

Planning Update

Following successful pre-planning discussions with the local planning authority we are now ready to submit a full planning application for the Flood Alleviation Scheme (FAS). This will be complete by the 25th October.

Following the submission and subsequent validation of the application (approximately two weeks), details of how to access the planning application will be shared once the submission has been validated by North Yorkshire Council, and we welcome your comments.

A certificate of lawfulness has now been submitted for the fish pass. Should this be successful, this will allow the fish pass to be completed under permitted development.

We will be organising several local drop-in events for the community to come and chat with the team and discuss any queries they may have. Dates and locations will be circulated to the community in the coming weeks.

Get in touch

We would love to hear from you, and there are many ways you can get in touch.

The Ark: We are available in person at The Ark at Tadcaster Town Council Offices every Tuesday between 10-12; please drop in if you would like to discuss any aspect of the scheme further.

<u>E-mail:</u> We have a dedicated email account where you can drop us a line at your convenience. **<u>tadcasterfas@environment-agency.gov.uk</u>**

Write to us: Environment Agency, c/o Tadcaster Town Council, The Ark, 33 Kirkgate, LS24 9AQ

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