

Keeping You Informed

Hebden Bridge Flood Alleviation Scheme

August 2022

The Environment Agency is working with Calderdale Council to design and build a Flood Alleviation Scheme for Hebden Bridge.

Do you have questions about the Flood Alleviation Schemes for Hebden Bridge?

The Hebden Bridge FAS will consist of:-

- Raising and strengthening river walls.
- Using glass panels and raising barriers to minimise any intrusion on river views within the town centre.
- Improving protection to riverside properties.
- Improving the drainage of surface water with a series of gully systems and a pumping station.

Construction of the main elements of the scheme is currently programmed to commence in the second half of 2023.

The Stubbing Holme Road FAS will consist of:

- Raising and strengthening river walls along Stubbing Holme Road.
- Strengthening walls along Rochdale canal overflow at the Vale Centre site.
- A flood mitigation solution at Longstaff Court
- Improving protection to riverside properties.

Construction work is currently programmed to commence in 2023.

The Erringden Hillside FAS will consist of:-

- Highway drainage works to existing road and footpath networks, including gullies, drainage runs, kerbing and outfalls to the River Calder and the Rochdale Canal. The three main areas of work are above Stubbing Brink, at Hebble End and Fairfield.
- Installing a canal overflow.

Construction work is currently programmed to commence towards the end of 2022.

Look out for invitations to face-to-face public meetings and virtual zoom meetings where we will share the proposals with you ahead of planning submissions and provide an opportunity to ask questions and speak to the project team.

In the meantime if you have any questions about any of the flood alleviation schemes,



members of the project team will be available in Hebden Bridge Town Hall every Monday throughout August and September from 10am – 2pm. Please call in and see us!

To receive copies of updates about the progress of our work via email, please send 'subscribe' to the email address above.

Updates can also be found on www.eyeoncalderdale.com under the Flood Works / Hebden Bridge FAS pages.

The site cabins at Redacre in Mytholmroyd which were used throughout the development of the Mytholmroyd FAS will shortly be removed and will be re-mobilised once construction work commences on Hebden Bridge schemes. A local hub within Hebden Bridge will be established later this year as a drop in centre for members of the public to look at the latest plans and talk to members of the team.

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