

Keeping You Informed

Brighthouse Flood Alleviation Scheme

August 2022

Flood Alleviation Work commences

Work will shortly commence in Brighthouse as part of the Flood Alleviation Scheme. Repair and maintenance work will be carried out on parts of the existing river Calder walls which run alongside the back of the buildings at Atlas Mill Road. The work here involves reinforcing and sealing the walls and is expected to take place throughout September and October. A location map of the work can be found on www.eyecalderdale.com – Flood Works/Brighthouse FAS.

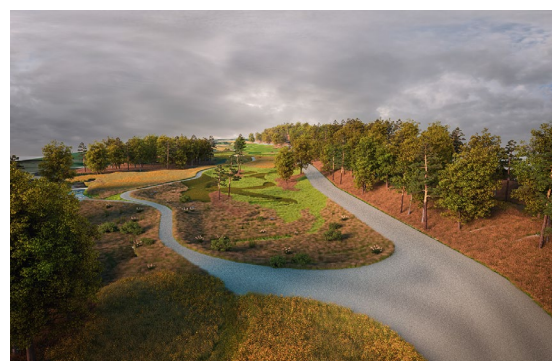
Planning Application – Wellholme Park & Whinney Park

A planning application has now been submitted for key elements of the work at Wellholme Park and Whinney Hill Park. The application is for construction of two flood storage areas within Wellholme Park and four flood storage areas within Whinney Hill Park, with associated landscaping.

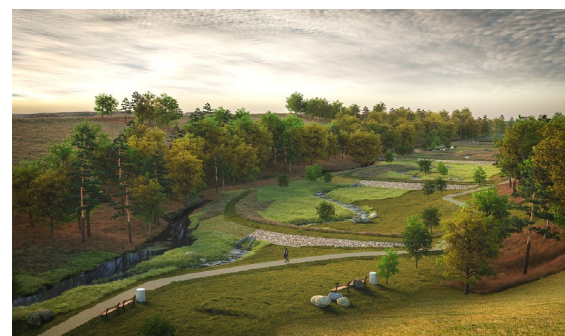
The planning application is now available on Calderdale Council's planning portal by searching ref: 22/00828/FUL.

Planning permission for other parts of the Brighthouse Flood Alleviation Scheme is expected to be submitted around winter 2022 – with construction work commencing spring 2023.

You can also find out more information about the Brighthouse Flood Alleviation Scheme by visiting www.eyecalderdale.com – Flood Works / Brighthouse FAS pages where you can view documents shared recently at our public drop in event in the town. **Sign up to receive updates about the scheme via email, please send the word 'subscribe' to BrighthouseFAS@environment-agency.gov.uk**



Proposed landscape designs for Wellholme Park



Proposed landscape designs for Whinney Park

The scheme for the work in Brighthouse involves:

- Repairing and replacing, where necessary, riverside walls and embankments along the River Calder and Clifton Beck
- Replacing temporary walls installed following December 2015 and February 2020 flood events on Clifton Beck and River Calder
- Improvements to culverted sections of Clifton Beck
- Amendments to river channel and installation of landscaped features in Wellholme Park to manage flows of Clifton Beck.
- Installation of landscaped features and environment enhancements in Whinney Hill Park to manage flows of Hoyle House Beck.

