

Hebden Bridge Flood Alleviation Scheme

August 2023

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

Keeping You Informed

Ground Penetrating Radar Surveys

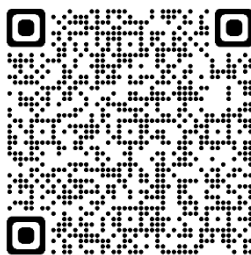
As part of the continued preparation work for the Hebden Bridge Flood Alleviation Scheme (FAS) our contracting partner BAM Nuttall will be undertaking a series of Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) Surveys for three nights on Tuesday 8th August, Wednesday 9th August and Thursday 10th August.

The GPR surveys will be non-invasive and do not require any excavations. Surveys will be carried out overnight (between 22:30 and 05:30) to reduce traffic disruption from the Traffic Management. Noise is expected to be minimal, and the work will not impact on any bus stops.

This work is required to identify the location of below ground utility services in preparation for some further ground investigation commencing at the end of summer.

We apologise for any disruption these works may cause.

More information about the location of the GPR surveys can be found on Google Maps using the QR code or by visiting www.eyeoncalderdale.co.uk under the flood works section.



Further information about the locations and timescales of the planned ground investigation works starting at the end of summer will be provided to the community ahead of those works commencing.

If you have any concerns or questions about the work, please contact us by emailing HebdenBridgeFAS@environment-agency.gov.uk.

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.
- Construction of new surface water management infrastructure.
- Construction of a canal flood overflow.

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, **from Monday 14th August members of the project team will be available in the Hebden Bridge Flood Information Centre on Valley Road every Monday and Friday 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.

