Environment Agency

Hebden Bridge Flood Alleviation Scheme

November 2023

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

Keeping You Informed

Old Gate Temporary Road Closure – 7th – 10th November

As part of the continued preparation work for the Hebden Bridge Flood Alleviation Scheme (FAS), our contracting partner BAM Nuttall are undertaking a series of trial holes in the town during this autumn. The work will involve digging trial holes (small excavations) at a number of locations in the roadway. The trial holes are required in order to fully map the various utility services beneath the road. This will provide information to allow us to carry out the necessary drainage work later as part of the main flood alleviation scheme.

A road closure will be in place on Old Gate between Tuesday 7th – Friday 10th November to facilitate delivery of these important works.

Working hours will be between 8am-4pm and vehicular access will be impeded between these times. We kindly ask that residents remove vehicles during this time.

We apologise for any inconvenience this work causes, but it is essential that these works are carried out.

If you have any questions, please contact us at HebdenBridgeFAS@environment-agency.gov.uk

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

Do you have questions about the flood alleviation schemes for Hebden Bridge?

The Environment Agency's new Flood Information Centre situated on Valley Road, Hebden Bridge is now open on Mondays and Fridays (not including bank holidays) between 10am-2pm. Visit us to speak with members of the project team and view information about the Flood Alleviation Schemes for Hebden Bridge Town Centre, Stubbing Holme Road and Erringden Hillside.

To receive copies of updates about the progress of our work via email, please send 'subscribe' to HebdenBridgeFAS@environment-agency.gov.uk. Updates can also be found on www.eyeoncalderdale.com under the Flood Works / Hebden Bridge FAS pages.

Look out for invitations to public 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.