



A still from the visualisation video

Bank Street Reopens

Hello and welcome to the July edition of Morgan Sindall's monthly newsletter. This will update you with the latest information about the Phase 1 works of the River Ness Flood Alleviation Scheme

Bank Street reopens

On Monday 30 June at 13:00, Bank Street leading into Friars' Lane reopened to traffic for the busier summer season. During this period, Bank Street will be a through road and will be accessible from Bridge Street, Ness Bridge and Friars' Lane.

Fraser Street will only be accessible to taxis, buses and emergency vehicles.

On Monday 1st September, Bank Street will close again to continue the works.

River Ness Flood Alleviation Scheme - Phase 1 visualisation

Streetscaping is now underway as several areas alongside the river. In Bank Street for example, some granite kerbing is in place, new street lighting columns have been installed and the granite slabs are being laid for on the riverside. The image top right, shows how the project will look upon completion, throughout the busier summer months of July and August. A

visualisation of how Bank Street, Douglas Row and Huntly Street will look once the first phase of the flood scheme is completed has been uploaded online.

To view the visualisation, please go to www.highland.gov.uk, then click on environment – flood prevention work.

Update on works for July Bank Street

Through July, works on Bank Street will be limited due to the reopening of the road to traffic. However, works will continue on the riverside.

The streetside paving between Friars' Lane and Church Lane will be completed early July and this can then be opened to pedestrians and cyclists.

Douglas Row

Drainage works will continue throughout July. Morgan Sindall will also continue with the masonry work on the wall. The riverside streetscaping will also begin in preparation for the street side drainage, this will involve laying the granite kerbing and caithness paving slabs.

Upper Huntly Street

Morgan Sindall will continue the drainage work between Greig Street and Young Street in July.

The riverside streetscaping will also

begin in this area. This will see the granite kerbing, Caithness paving slabs laid and new street lighting being installed.

Lower Huntly Street

Drainage works will be on-going between Wells Street and Celt Street. Due to the depth and location of the works the road will remain closed to traffic

Morgan Sindall will also continue to build the flood defence wall and the masonry work in this area of Huntly Street

The River Ness Flood Alleviation Scheme page on The Highland Council website at www.highland.gov.uk is where you will find a host of useful information about the project

Contact us

If you have any issues or concerns about the works please contact the River Ness Flood Alleviation Scheme, either call our helpline on 07557 744442 or email us at RivernessFAS@highland.gov.uk

Thank you for your continued patience throughout the works.