

CAOL AND LOCHYSIDE FLOOD PROTECTION – NEXT STEPS

PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE—June 2015

Committee asked to confirm Standard of Protection to be provided for Caol and Lochyside — 1:200 year flood event including an allowance for climate change, wave action and freeboard.

FLOOD PROTECTION SCHEME - Summer 2015

Design development including ground investigation, consultation with public utilities, SEPA, Marine Scotland, landowners , other stakeholders and further public consultation.

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The Draft Flood Protection Scheme is taken to Committee for approval. The scheme will then be published and a formal period for objections will commence. Any objections received will be considered by the Council and modifications made if required. Final Committee Approval will then be sought prior to the scheme being confirmed by the Scottish Ministers.

PROJECT FUNDING

Funding for the approved project confirmed

DETAILED DESIGN AND CONTRACT PREPARATION—2016/17

Detailed design, specification and tender for the approved scheme

CONSTRUCTION PHASE – 2018

Winning Contractor begins construction works on the flood protection scheme. This is unlikely to be before Spring 2018.

We would appreciate if you took the time to provide your comments and feedback on the proposals for the flood protection of Caol and Lochyside. Please use the form provided and return your comments to:-

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25th May 2015

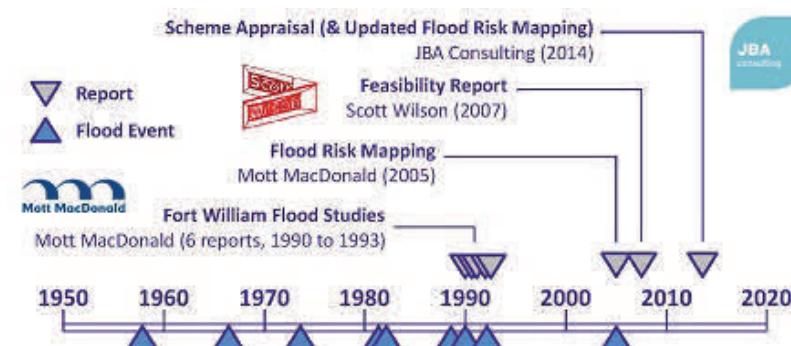
Welcome

Thank you for coming along today, to see the latest flood data and to find out what this means for your village and how we can help to protect property and amenity.



Background

Caol and Lochyside has a history of flooding due to weather events, tidal conditions and sometimes, a combination of both.



The Highland Council has appointed JBA Consulting to undertake flood mapping and assist in the preparation of the preliminary design of the flood scheme which is shown over the page.

