

## RIVER NESS FLOOD ALLEVIATION SCHEME - PHASE 2

### PROJECT UPDATE May 2015

#### Cromwell Road/Longman Drive

Construction of the flood defence wall is expected to be completed by the end of May. Area of works have now started to be prepared for the installation of minor services followed by surface reinstatement in June.

#### Caledonian Oils

Concrete works are on-going Quay side of Caledonian Oils, with the final of seven number floodgate castings expected to be in place by the end of May. Floodgate installations are programmed to commence in early June throughout various work areas.

#### Portland Place

Brick paving reinstatement is on schedule to be completed by the end of this month as planned. Installation of the flood defence wall coping stones and safety handrail second fixings to commence soon after. Following on from this, we expect to complete these works in early June.

#### Riverside Street

Construction of the flood defence wall is now complete, with all major services also installed. Area continues to be prepared for kerbing detail and surface reinstatement to access road and carpark. First and second fixings for safety handrail system upon flood defence wall is expected to commence in June.

#### Huntly Place/Gilbert Street

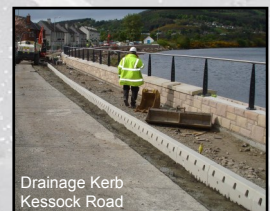
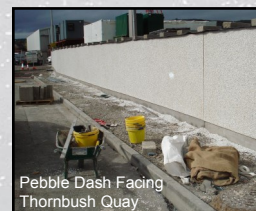
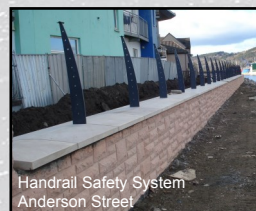
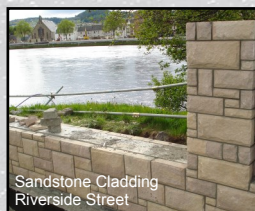
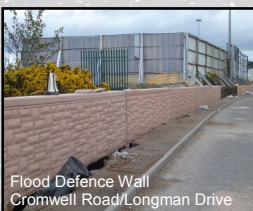
Installation of drainage services is on-going in this area and are expected to continue into early June. Sandstone cladding to both faces of the flood defence wall is near completion with positioning of coping stones and installation of safety handrail system imminent.

#### Thornbush Quay

Pedestrian footpath surfacing is scheduled to be reinstated at the beginning of June. Section of flood defence wall now completed with pebble dash facing.

#### Kessock Road

Sandstone copings positioned along flood defence wall and handrail safety system first fixings complete. Second fixings are due to commence at the end of May. Drainage installation is on-going, programmed to be completed at the beginning of June. New kerb detail continues to be constructed.



We would like to thank everyone for their continued patience and if you have any concerns regarding the flood alleviation works please contact The River Ness Helpline on **07557 744442** or email on **RivernessFAS@highland.gov.uk**. For more information about the flood alleviation scheme visit the website:

[http://www.highland.gov.uk/info/1226/emergencies/80/flood\\_alleviation\\_schemes](http://www.highland.gov.uk/info/1226/emergencies/80/flood_alleviation_schemes)

