

DRUMNADROCHIT FLOOD PROTECTION – NEXT STEPS

CONFIRMATION OF SCHEME - Early 2018

Flood protection schemes do not require planning permission. Instead, The Highland Council must follow the process of 'confirmation' set out in the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009. Under this process The Highland Council, following Committee approval, will publish notices of the scheme in newspapers and notify interested parties. During this process, interested parties and the public will have an opportunity to see plans of the scheme and to comment or raise objections.

At the end of this process, Committee approval will be sought prior to the scheme being confirmed by Scottish Ministers.

PROJECT FUNDING

The approved project will be funded by a combination of a grant from the Scottish Government and funds from The Highland Council's Capital Programme.

DETAILED DESIGN AND CONTRACT PREPARATION—2018

Detailed design, specification and tender for the approved scheme. Several contractors will be asked to tender for the scheme and the Council will select the contractor who offers best overall value.

CONSTRUCTION PHASE – Early 2019

Winning Contractor begins construction works on the flood protection scheme.

We would appreciate if you took the time to provide your comments and feedback on the proposals for the flood protection at Drumnadrochit.

Please use the form provided and return your comments to:-

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Public Meeting, 8th Nov 2017

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

Drumnadrochit village and the nearby A831 at Kilmichael have a history of flooding due to the River Enrick.



Flooding in Drumnadrochit
1997



Flooding at Kilmichael,
Drumnadrochit
2016

The Highland Council has appointed Consulting Engineers, WSP, and their sub-consultant, cbec, to design and promote a flood protection scheme for Drumnadrochit. The proposed design of the scheme is shown over the page.



