



# Caol & Lochyside Flood Protection Scheme



Community Liaison Meeting  
22<sup>nd</sup> August 2022





## Project Update –

### Kilmallie Rd flood wall

- Silt curtain has been installed in the river Lochy and is working as expected. Regularly inspected and monitored.
- Flood Wall concrete works ongoing 12no base and wall sections now poured.
- Rock armour works on river Lochy around 50% complete.
- Piling works underway again 450m remains to complete piling along riverside.

### Caol foreshore flood embankment

- Last 2 gullies remain on Erracht Drive. Completed this week.
- Kerbing works are 90% complete along Caol foreshore. Footpath is regulated ready for tar.
- Tactile paving works on foreshore side of road are installed.
- Scottish water Diversion works SW04, SW08 & 09 are ongoing. Works are 80% complete, watermain needs to be tested.
- 20% of the landscaping works have been completed between the footpaths.





# Kilmallie Rd – Traffic management phasing







# Caol foreshore – Rock armour delivery route







## Erracht Drive gully construction phasing plan







# Progress Photos – Flood wall with coping stones installed







Progress Photos – Silt fence on River Lochy in operation







Progress Photos – Piling works beside river Lochy







Progress Photos – Rock armour works on river Lochy.







Progress Photos – SW04, 08 & 09 diversions Caol Spit.







## Progress Photos – Rock armour along foreshore







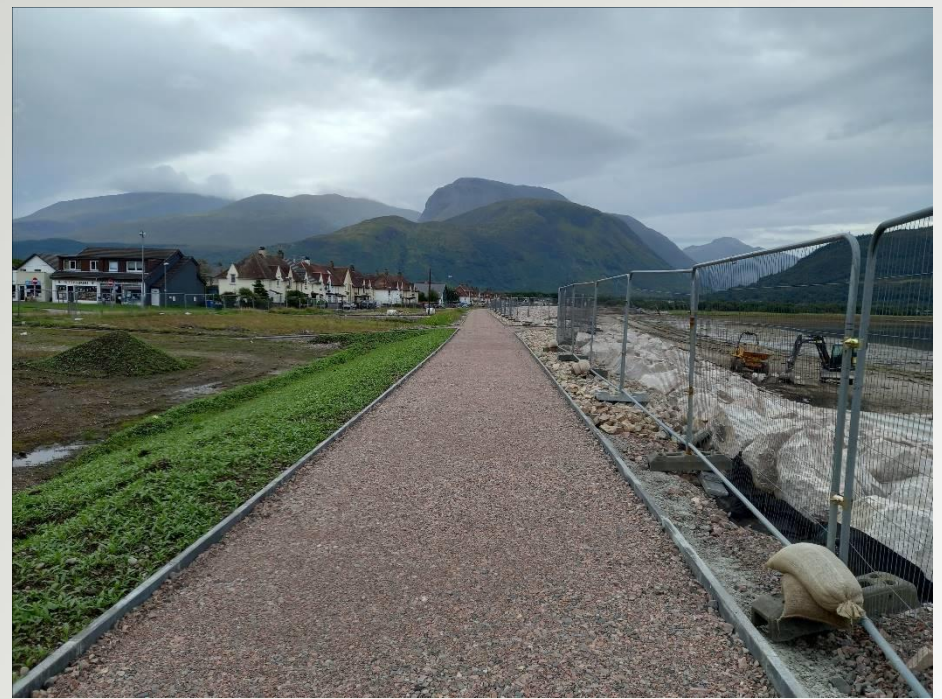
# Progress Photos – Tactile Paving on access footpaths







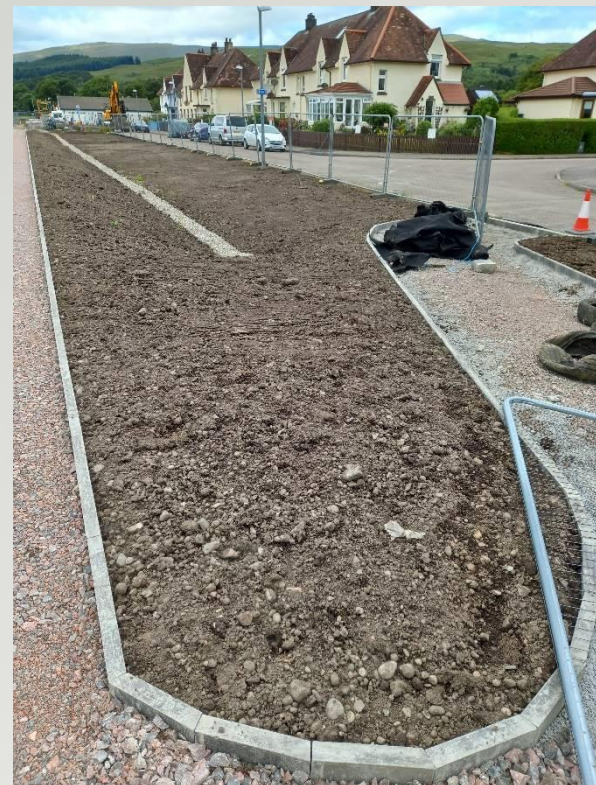
# Progress Photos – Kerbing works on embankment







Progress Photos – Landscaped areas on foreshore ready to be seeded.







## Planned Works for next period up to end of September

### **Kilmallie Rd flood wall**

- Rock armour works continuing on river Lochy embankment.
- Steel fixing for flood wall ongoing.
- Concrete pours to flood wall as far as wet well.
- Piling works ongoing.
- Gully installation on Kilmallie road.

### **Caol foreshore flood embankment**

- Drainage works on Erracht drive will be completed.
- Ramp 4 gabion basket installation will be ongoing.
- SW diversion SW04 and foul rising main SW08 & 09 will be finished.
- Landscaping works ongoing.
- Footpath to be surfaced.





## Community Benefits

- **90% of site personnel reside in the Highlands.**
- **65% of site personnel live within 75-mile radius of the site.**
- **50% of site personnel are locals (live within a 10-mile radius of the site).**
- **To date we have employed 2 local labourers, 1 ganger, 2 machine operators and 3 local cleaners all living within 2 miles of the site.**
- **Adverts in job centre for labourers and machine operators.**
- **Discussions with the local schools on talks, time capsules and training for secondary pupils.**
- **Donation of shinty equipment to Lochaber High School.**
- **An alternative design proposal for part of the works has generated benefits including reduced vehicle movements and a financial saving which is allocated to be spent on Community Benefits.**





**Any Questions?**