2-8pm, 28 September & 5 October 2023

# 13: What Happens Next?

#### **Thank You**

Thank you for attending this public exhibition. Community involvement is a key part of flood risk management and your views are appreciated.

## **Next Steps**

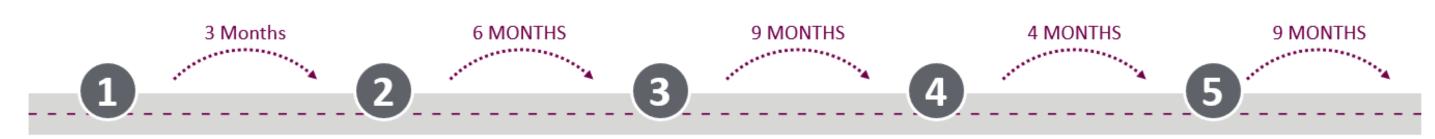
Your views are important and will help to inform the final outline design of the flood scheme.

The Council will collect any questions and feedback provided by you and will respond in the form of a community consultation report. This report will be published and demonstrate how your views have been taken into account in the final proposals.

We will issue a further newsletter once the community consultation report and final proposals are available. The Council will then seek to publish the final proposals under the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009.

It is important to note that the implementation of a scheme is still likely to be some time away and is not yet certain, due to the need to secure statutory consents and other approvals.

Figure 23 shows the indicative timeline for the work that still needs to be done before construction of the flood scheme can commence.



#### **PUBLISH SCHEME**

Scheduled to take place in Winter 2023. The Council will seek the necessary statutory approval for the proposed scheme under the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009.

The community will be notified, and the final scheme documents will be made available to the public. Any person can object to the scheme in the 28 day period.

### SCHEME CONFIRMATION

Timescale is dependent on the community's response to the proposed scheme. If no objections are received, the Council's committee will approve (or confirm) the proposed scheme.

Depending on the nature of any objections, and if they are sustained following negotiations, the scheme may be taken to a public enquiry or a local authority hearing. This will be followed by a final decision.

### **DETAILLED DESIGN**

This process will develop the design of the scheme in sufficient detail to allow a Contractor to price the work and construct it.

Liaison with landowners will continue at this time and through subsequent phases.

### **PROCUREMENT**

The Council will undertake the necessary tender process to appoint a contractor to construct the proposed scheme.

#### CONSTRUCTION

The appointed Contractor, and the environmental requirements, will inform the works programme.

Liaison with affected landowners and the wider community will continue.

Figure 23 – Indicative Timeline

# Other Action on Flood Risk

Under the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009, Kinross has been identified as a Potential Vulnerable Area (reference 02/10/03) within the Forth Estuary Local Plan District. Actions to manage flood risk are contained within the published Forth Estuary Local Flood Risk Management Plan, and this includes the requirement for a flood protection scheme. The Council engaged consulting engineers, RPS, to deliver the flood protection scheme.

For further information regarding the ongoing food risk management activities being carried out in the area, please refer to the PowerPoint presentation being shown or refer to www.pkc.gov.uk/frmplans.

## **Any Comments or Questions?**

Please speak with a representative from Perth & Kinross Council or our Consulting Engineers, RPS.

Please also take this opportunity to record your views by completing a comment form in person, online via the consultation hub, or email before **20 October 2023.** 

Consultation Hub: https://consult.pkc.gov.uk/communities/southkinrossfloodscheme

E-mail: SKinrossfloodscheme@pkc.gov.uk

## **Continued Community Involvement**

We are committed to continuing your involvement with the flood scheme and will continue to keep you updated.

## **Contact Details**

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Further information on the proposed flood scheme can be viewed on the Council's website at www.pkc.gov.uk/southkinrossfloodscheme



Figure 24 - Aerial View of the Scheme Area

