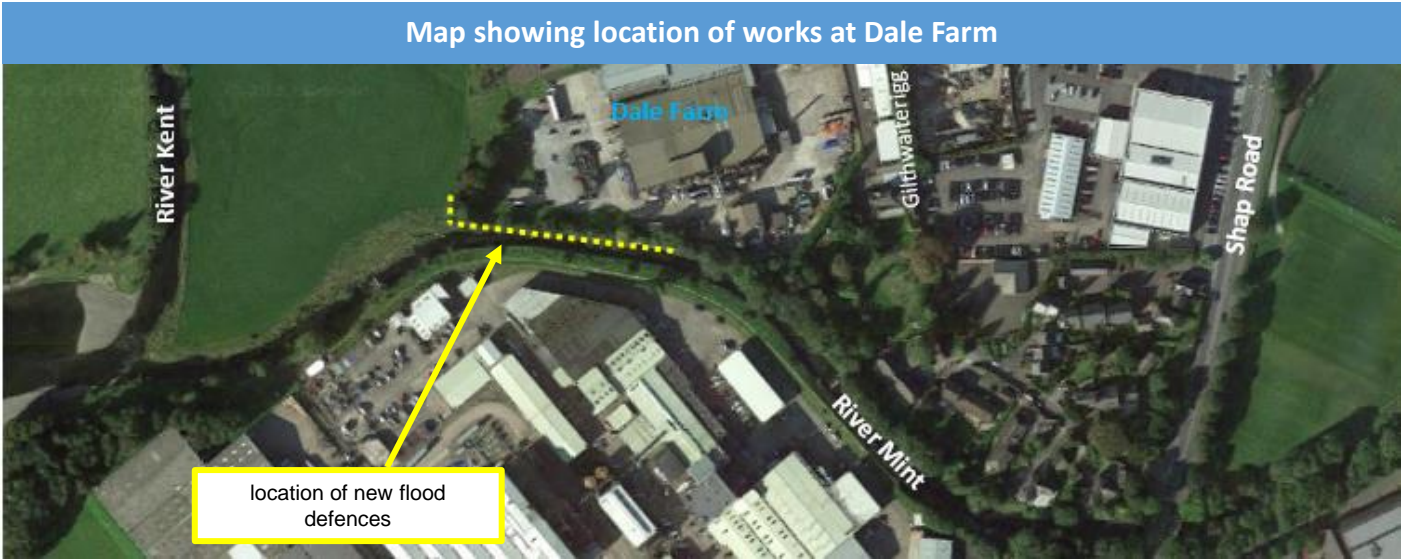


The Environment Agency are delivering a Flood Risk Management Scheme to better protect homes and businesses from flooding in the Kent Catchment and improve the local environment and community amenities. The construction of the scheme is well underway and we are now preparing to begin works in the Dale Farm area on the River Mint.

We are preparing to start construction of a new flood wall at the rear of Dale Farm on the River Mint on **3rd July 2023**. This briefing will provide you with information on what to expect over the coming months.



What are we doing?

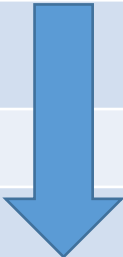

The new flood wall will run along the riverside boundary of Dale Farm Factory located adjacent to the River Mint, downstream of Mint Bridge. The flood wall will be approximately 106m long which will tie into high ground at either end and finished primarily in imprinted concrete. The new flood wall will bridge over an existing gas main and will include an up and over feature to maintain access.



Landscaping

We will plant 16 native trees ranging from larger extra heavy standard to smaller feathered trees and whips. This will be supplemented with low growing wildflower and grassland areas to the riverside. Both trees and planting will provide excellent habitat for wildlife as well as food and shelter. It will also create a colourful area which requires little maintenance which the community can enjoy.



Date	Activity		
July	Site establishment, hand-dug trial holes to positively identify services and gas main protection.		
	Wall construction		
August		Coping installation and finishes	
September			
October			Seeding and landscaping
November	Demobilisation and completion		

This programme is accurate as of June 2023, a number of factors can accelerate or delay our construction activities. If there is any change in the programme delivery, we will communicate these to you.

Site Safety

Our usual summer working hours are Monday to Friday 08:00 to 18:00. If we need to undertake any works at a weekend our hours would be 08:00 to 14:00 on Saturday only. The site will be safely secured by fencing. No public access to the working area is permitted, it is important for the safety of both the public and site staff that all site fencing and access arrangements are adhered to.

24 hr security will be in place for the duration of our works.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause and appreciate your understanding whilst we carry out these works.

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