

The Environment Agency is 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 at Waterside is now underway, and this briefing will provide you with an update on our Christmas working arrangements and what to expect early in the New Year.

Construction progress

Preparation for the construction of the new flood wall located in the vicinity of Waterside Café is well underway. The works in this location have involved the removal of vegetation, and the repair and re-pointing of the existing riverside wall. The completion of this work will enable us to deliver the next stage of works which will involve piling. The piling once delivered in the New Year will provide the strong foundation for the new glass topped flood wall which will run along the riverside.



Construction near Edgecombe Court

From the **9th January 2024** we will be restarting works at the downstream section of Waterside near Edgecombe Court. To enable us to start these works we will be moving the footpath closure to the Edgecombe Court end of Waterside.

Access to the Waterside Café will be from Lowther Street and residents along Waterside will have their access maintained during this time.

The existing footpath diversion will remain in place for the duration of these works.

Christmas period

Construction will be paused over the Christmas period between 22nd December and 8th January. Over the Christmas period the riverside footpath from Waterside Café to Abbot Hall will be re-opened. This will enable access along the riverside between 22nd December and 8th January. From the 9th January the footpath closure will be reinstated, and the diversion route will be back in force.



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A visualisation of Aynam Road and the glass panels, the same design will be used at Waterside

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