

We have successfully completed the construction of two of the three locations along the stretch of Waterside. The northern section at Waterside café now features a finished glass topped flood wall, the southern section at Edgecombe Court features a finished flood wall, ready for the installation of the flood gate. The middle section, requires a piled foundation which is complex due to the sensitive riverside location, with work currently paused whilst we finalise the most suitable method for these works following a pile trial back in August.

We require a different piling method along the central stretch of this location from other areas where we have used piling within Kendal, this is due to this location having complex underground conditions and a piling alignment that is in close proximity to the large sewer running below waterside and nearby riverside properties. We also have restrictions to the size and weight of our plant and equipment that can safely cross the temporary bridge.

Next steps

We are now preparing for the next trial piling activity to test the new refined method which will take place **week of the 11th November**. Until this date, the riverside footpath has now been opened for pedestrian use only.

Thank you for your continued patience.



View of Waterside section which will benefit from a glass panelled flood wall.