

This newsletter provides an update of the reinstatement, landscaping and planting activities which is now in progress at Gooseholme.

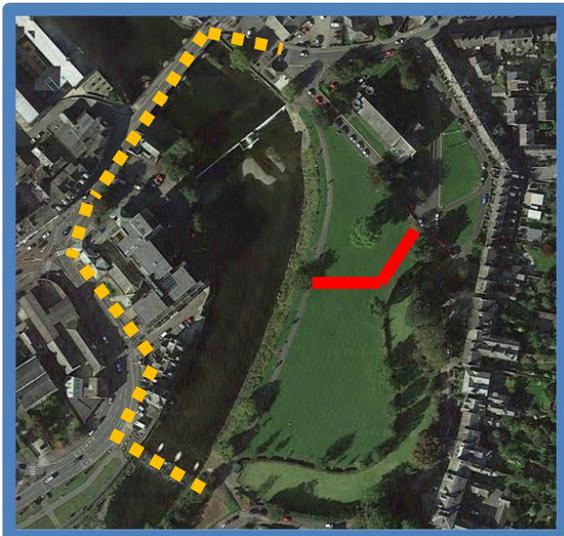
Work has started and is gaining momentum to reinstate areas of Gooseholme Common where construction is complete. The reinstatement is taking place in phases over the coming weeks.

The first phase of reinstatement was completed in December 2025. This saw the opening of the Fern Garden and riverside area adjacent to Stramongate Bridge and the installation of refurbished heritage Rishton railings along the boundary of Castle Crescent and Gooseholme Common. Since then, the welfare cabins and carpark have been removed.

This next phase will be to reinstate the area along the current temporary bark path which will involve closing access along this route. The works to start reinstating this area will commence week of 2nd March 2026.

These reinstatement works will remove the existing solid wooden fencing and bark path to enable the releveling, soiling and seeding. New planted beds will feature along the boundary of the Common with a number of new trees planted.

The Yellow line indicated on the adjacent plan shows a new temporary wire fence line.



 New fence line – Closing pathway

 Closure points

 Footpath diversion route

 Closed section

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