

Anna Ntasiou

From: Louise Bingham
Sent: 23 October 2023 12:34
To: info@newport.gov.uk
Cc: Anna Ntasiou
Subject: Flood Risk Asset - Newport Transporter Bridge
Attachments: LocationPlan.png

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are contacting you regarding proposed in-channel works within the River Usk which we understand are located opposite a flood mitigation asset of Newport City Council.

The proposed works are associated with the Newport Transporter Bridge and associated new visitors centre works, centred around National Grid Reference: ST 31712 86298 (location plan attached). The in-channel works comprise a new retaining wall on the right-hand bank. The retaining wall will be located immediately riverward of the existing, dilapidated, retaining wall for the same approximate extent. As a result, the works will ingress within the Mean High Water Spring, with a footprint loss of 11.5m² of intertidal mudflat.

A Water Environment Regulations (WFD) assessment has been undertaken and an updated HRA and coastal squeeze assessment will be produced. Consultation with NRW has been undertaken and identified that no mitigation is required. The works are not anticipated to impact your asset.

We are reaching out to inform you of the proposed works in the vicinity of your flood embankment. Please let us know if you require any additional information.

Many thanks,
Louise

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Please Note: I am currently working on a secondment for 50% of my time, so may take longer to respond than usual. My non-Arup day is Wednesday. Apologies for any inconvenience.

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