

Craig Thomas

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Sent: 20 February 2025 16:24
To: Craig Thomas; Navigation
Cc: Catherine Bransby
Subject: RE: Marine Licence. Boreholes at River Clydach.

Good Afternoon,

Trinity House has no concerns, or comments to make, on these works affecting navigational safety.

Best regards
Trevor

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Would you be able to confirm that our works will not be interfering with navigation?

Thanks,
Craig

Regards

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Subject: Marine Licence. Boreholes at River Clydach.

We are applying for a Marine Licence to complete some ground investigation works on the banks of the River Clydach.

To satisfy the application process can you confirm that our works will not pose a risk to others?

1. **Location.** We will be doing boreholes along the banks of the river Clydach near Neath Abbey. Attachment "A465 River Clydach GI.pdf"
2. **Timing/Duration.** The works are expected to begin in April of 2025 and would be completed in 2, day shifts. Works will not be done at night.
3. **Work Activities.** A small rig will be used for boreholes, Dando Terrier tracked drilling rig for dynamic sampling purposes (also known as window or windowless sampling). This method of forming a borehole utilises a drop weight to percussively drive sampling tubes of decreasing diameters (typically between 116mm and 66mm) into superficial and weathered deposits. Scaffolding is not required. The work will take place on land, on the riverbank. No vessels will be used.

a. Picture of proposed rig #



4. **Impacts on Navigation.** There are no impacts on the safety of navigation.

a. Phot of Clydach river beneath A465



5. Harbour Authority. No harbour or marina in vicinity.

Kind regards

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