

Porthmadog Flood Risk Management Project Update – July 2024

Natural Resources Wales is working to find long-term flood risk management solutions for the communities of Porthmadog and Tremadog, alongside delivering wider environmental, social, and economic benefits.

Since our last update in October 2023, we have been looking through all the information available to us to produce a shortlist of options of ways to manage long-term flood risk in Porthmadog in a sustainable way.

Our current work involves looking at different solutions that will cope with climate change related sea level rise, increased storm and tidal surge events and growing risks from rainfall and river flood events. We are grateful to everyone for the information provided to us so far, which has helped us assess each potential option using computer modelling.

We have also been looking at how we can make sure we protect communities at risk of flooding and protect the environment at the same time.

It is important that we spend more time finishing this evaluation work, so that we can come to the next public consultation sessions later this year with all the information people want to see, ready to answer all the questions they may have and have good discussions with them about potential options. During the consultation phase, we will hold a series of in person events to give partner organisations and residents the chance to share their views on the options.

Please get in touch if you would like to find out more and to continue to share your views with the project team.

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