

## **River Poddle Flood Alleviation Scheme**

Following the planning application made to An Bord Pleanála in February 2020, the scheme was granted planning approval in June 2023, with the Steering Group reconvening in September 2023 when the time limit for a Judicial Review application had elapsed. Details of the ABP approval can be found [here](#)

The scheme will be constructed by the OPW Eastern Region Construction Section and is currently estimated to commence in Q1 2024, subject to the appropriate excavation licences being received from the National Monuments Service by the end of Q4 2023.

The current estimated construction programme is approx. 36 months and the first stage of construction will concentrate on the works in Tymon Park and Tymon Park North which are expected to take 15 months to complete. Works here included the construction of embankments, a flow control structure on the main Tymon Park lake and the Integrated Constructed Wetland.

Further details will be placed on [www.poddlefas.ie](http://www.poddlefas.ie) when they become available.

## **Whitechurch Stream Flood Alleviation Scheme**

The scheme was given permission to proceed in November 2022 following the completion of the Judicial Review process on the planning permission granted in December 2020.

Construction on the scheme commenced in May 2023 with the works being carried out by the OPW Eastern Region Construction Section and with Stage 1 works starting in St Enda's Park and from Willsbrook to St Gatien's Court.

Stage 1 works were estimated to be completed in Q3 2023 but due to unforeseen circumstances in Archaeological finds and recent weather events which damaged unfinished works in St Enda's Park, it is currently estimated that Stage 1 will be completed by end of Q3 2024.

Stage 2 works from St Gatien's Court to the Whitechurch Stream properties are currently estimated to start in Q1-Q2 2024.

Updates will be provided on [www.whitechurchfas.ie](http://www.whitechurchfas.ie)

## **Camac Flood Alleviation Scheme**

The Camac FAS is being led by Dublin City Council in conjunction with South Dublin County Council and is currently in Stage 1 – Preliminary Design, which commenced in November 2019 and has a current estimated completion date of early Q2 2024.

The scheme has experienced difficulties and significant delays in verifying and calibrating the hydraulic modelling due to its size and the number of elements that were required to be included, but this has recently been completed so the scheme has progressed into identifying defence options.

Once viable options have been considered, further public consultations on these options are expected to be held in Q1 2024, where a preferred option will then be identified and prepared for a Part 10 planning application to An Bord Pleanála in Q3 2024. The preferred option will be subject to an Environmental Impact Assessment.

Recent works completed include a CCTV Culvert Survey and Threshold and Topographical Surveys. Site Investigation contracts have also commenced and are estimated to be completed in Q1 2024.

Updates on the scheme can be found at [www.camacfas.ie](http://www.camacfas.ie)