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Community Considerations & Feedback

- While rock armour is included in our proposed solution, it is our intention to place topsoil over the rock armour and seed it. Over time, a finish similar to the rest of the Glencaple riverfront should be achieved. This maintains the view across the Nith and flood plain and won't detract from the sense of place. We acknowledge the suggestion of sandstone in place of rock armour however, this has been discounted by our appointed designers as being less effective. Noting the existing outfall and tidal damage, rock armour is deemed to be the most cost-effective engineering solution to mitigate sea erosion and protect the asset.
- Throughout the design phase of the "Glencaple Growth" project, we considered all aspects of scale against existing network volumes and current growth projections. The finalised engineering design incorporates two buried septic tanks, while minimising the need for additional ancillary housing and equipment by utilising the existing cabinet located at the rear side of the Boathouse Restaurant. The only new above ground assets will be a smaller stone clad cabinet and vent stack which we hope (through consultation with the community), to blend aesthetically with the overall environment.
- The final look and landscape of the site will be an area constructed of grasscrete for the tankers hard standing. Access will not be available to public vehicles for parking, although the area will be a furnished open space comprising of seating, picnic benches and viewing areas for the public. The existing footpath and access points will be retained. Again, we are open to consultation from the community on our open space plans so please give us your views.
- Undertaking our works will support the village design statement which acknowledges the issue of availability of public utilities. Our investment project incorporates both essential maintenance and captures already completed/future growth aspects in our design/engineering solution.
- As with any construction, some level of disruption can be expected during our work but we will do our best to mitigate this where possible. However, there is no obligation for Scottish Water to consider compensation for essential need projects such as this to maintain critical services for our customers. ***Please refer to our FAQs for further information.**

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