

Community Newsletter

Roath Park Dam Improvement Works



Project update ▼

Last year we completed our ground investigation works at Roath Park Dam, which were undertaken in order to inform plans to improve the effectiveness of the dam.

We're now holding the next phase of consultation to share the progress we have made in developing the project and to give you an opportunity to give your feedback on the proposals. See below for the latest updates and details of how to get involved.



About Roath Park Dam ▼

Roath Park Lake is a manmade reservoir, formed by a dam structure to the south and fed by the Nant Fawr. Cardiff Council is legally responsible for maintaining the publicly owned Roath Park Dam, and routine inspections are required under the Reservoirs Act (1975).

The latest inspection of the reservoir found that the dam's spillway, which is the waterfall beside the café, would not be large enough to withstand an extreme flood event and improvement works are now required.

Developing our proposals ▼

Arup, a leading engineering consultancy, has been appointed to undertake a study to explore the best options to ensure the future effectiveness of the dam and make sure one of Cardiff's most treasured parks can be enjoyed safely by future generations.

Arup has now completed the detailed study which has assessed a range of options to address the spillway capacity and have now identified a preferred solution.

Community information events ▼

Zoom webinar

Date: **Thursday 8 December 2022**

Time: **6pm-7pm**

To attend please complete the booking form on Cardiff Council's website:

www.outdoorcardiff.com/parks/roath-park/roath-park-dam-project

We will send you a link to the webinar prior to the event.

Drop in events

Two drop in events have been organised in Roath Park on:

Thursday 8 December 2022: 8am-11am

Friday 9 December 2022: 11am-2pm

**Look out for our pop-up
van near Terra Nova Cafe.
Come along and have a
chat with the project team.**

Our commitment to you ▼

We are committed to working with the local community to ensure you understand the work involved. We are now holding the next phase of information events where residents, businesses, and other stakeholders remain informed and updated about the project as it progresses.

We would like to discuss the project and the community information events in more detail with you. You are welcome to attend our online Zoom webinar or one of our community information events at Roath Park Lake where members of the project team will be on hand to provide further information and answer your questions.

Keeping in touch ▼

If you have any queries or require further information about the project or would like to receive regular project updates, please contact the project team.

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