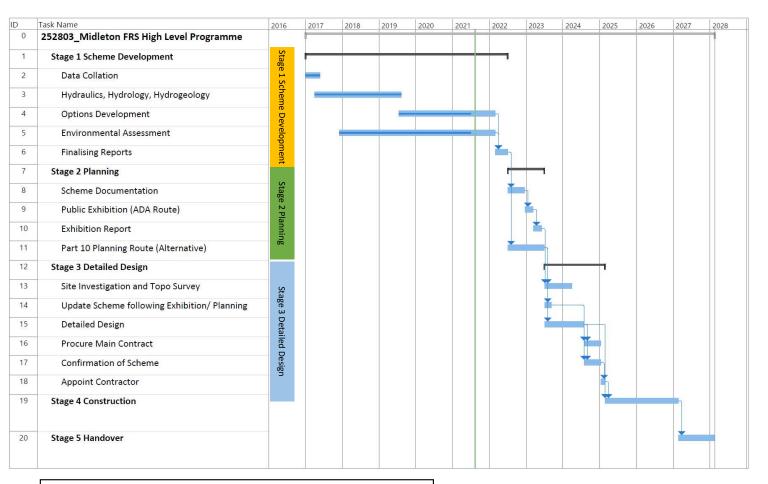
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Note: Project programme above is current estimate only and subject to revision.

Progress Update Summary

Stage 1 Scheme Development	Stage 2 Planning	Stage 3 Detailed Design
Activities this Period July/Aug 2021		
Multi Criteria Analysis of Options is in progress Stakeholder workshops / consultation ongoing Scheme Climate Change Adaptability Plan ongoing Review of geotechnical information Assessment of interaction with other infrastructure projects	Due to commence in 2022	Due to commence in 2023
Activities next period Sept/Oct 2021		
Finalise Multi Criteria Analysis of Options Scheme Climate Change Adaptability Plan ongoing Stakeholder consultation ongoing Finalisation of geotechnical information Assessment of interaction with other infrastructure projects	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Key Drivers and Constraints		
Summer and Winter season environmental surveys	Environmental Protected Areas (SAC, NHA)	Tender Process – EU procurement rules
Key Risks		
Interaction with other infrastructure projects Covid-19 impact on project programme / public participation day	New Environmental Legislation effective from May 2017	Amendments to scheme design following Public Exhibition/ Planning
		Funding
		Tender process - legal challenges unsuccessful tenderers



