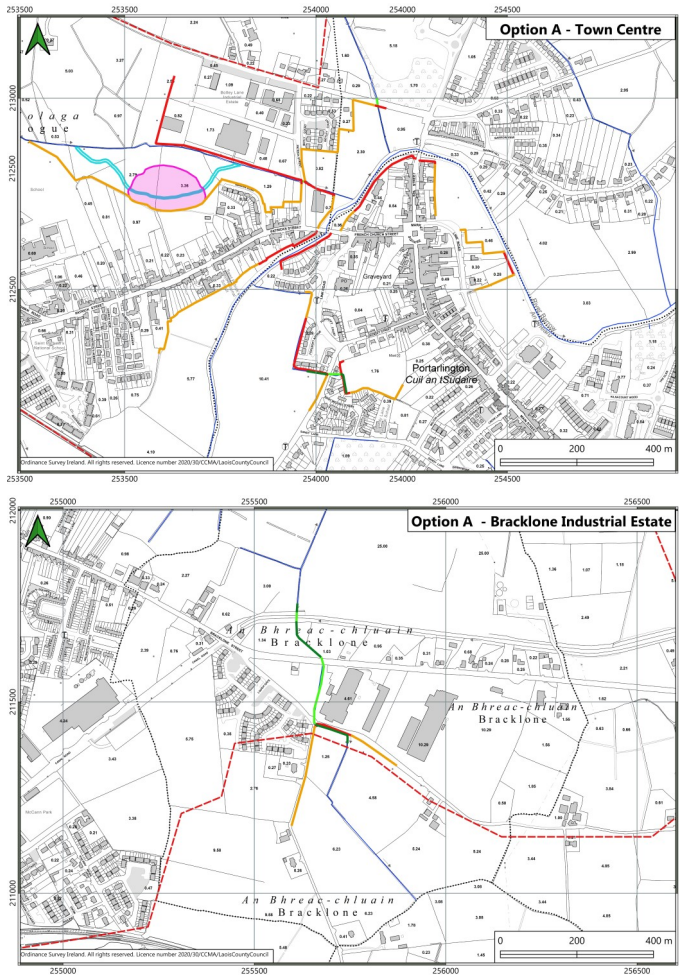


## Option A

This option considers a mix of flood defence embankments and walls for the River Barrow, an attenuation wetland with bypass channel, culvert upsizes at tributaries AMR4, Blackstick Drain, AMR6 and AMR13. No modifications are proposed to the Barrow Bridge and Spa St. Bridge.

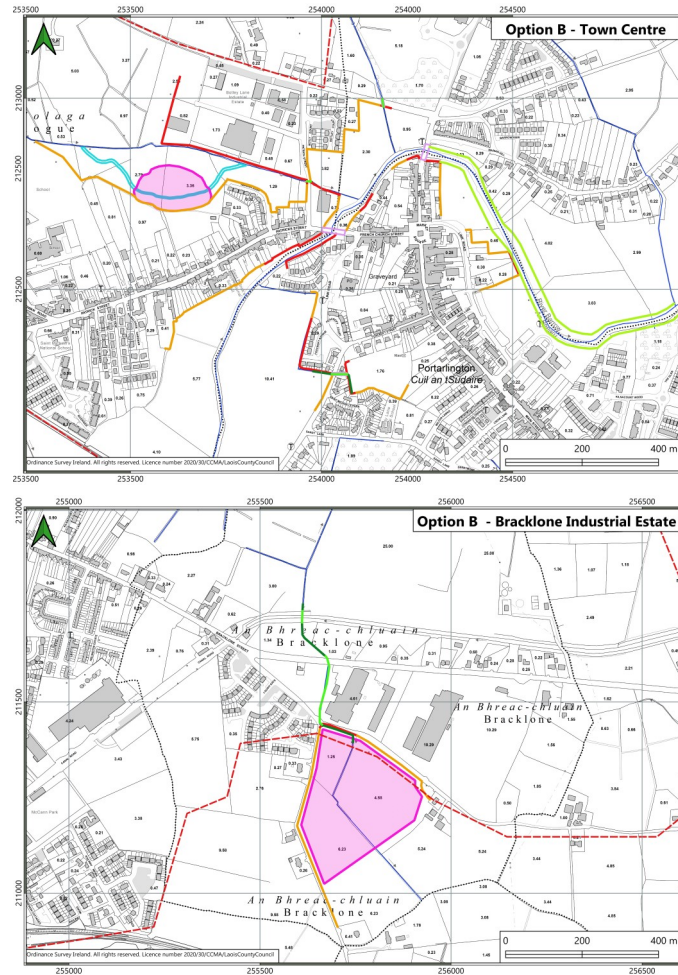


### Legend

Scheme Area		Culvert Upgrade	
Channel regrading		Water Retention Area	
Flood Defence Embankment		Bypass Channel	
Flood Defence Wall		Watercourse	

## Option B

This option considers a mix of flood defence embankments and walls for the River Barrow with reduced heights compared to Option A, water retention measures with and without bypass channel, widening of part of the river Barrow with increase of the Barrow Bridge and Spa St Bridge openings and culvert upsizes.



### Legend

Scheme Area		Culvert Upgrade	
Flood Defence Embankment		Channel regrading	
Flood Defence Wall		Bridge opening widening	
River widening		Bypass Channel	
Water Retention Measure		Watercourse	



# PORTARLINGTON FLOOD RELIEF SCHEME

## Public Consultation Day 2

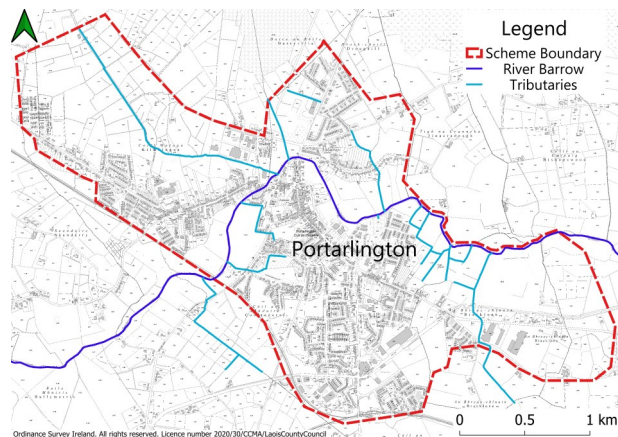
Portarlinton Community Centre

24<sup>th</sup> of November 2022

2.00pm - 7.00pm

## BACKGROUND TO THE STUDY

In August 2020, Binnies UK and Nicholas O'Dwyer Joint Venture were commissioned to develop the Portarlinton Flood Relief Scheme for Laois County Council working in partnership with Offaly County Council and the OPW.



## YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE PART

This second Public Consultation Day is held to present the emerging options developed to date and to gather your opinions and concerns to inform the selection of a preferred scheme.



All comments received during the Public Consultation Day on 24th November and through the website will be used by the Project Team to continue to develop the scheme.



## TIMELINE OF SCHEME PROGRAMME

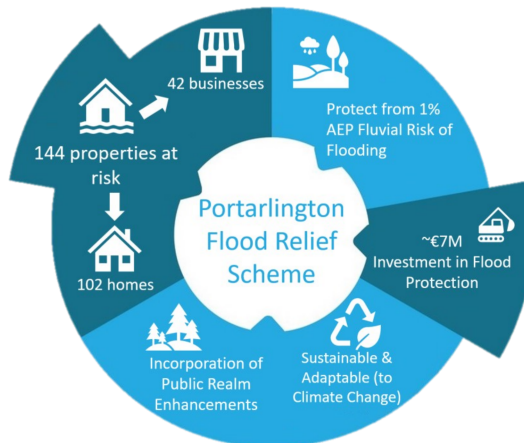
ACTIVITY	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Stage I - Scheme Development and Design									
Stage II - Planning Process									
Stage III - Detailed Construction Design and Tender									
Stage IV - Construction									
Stage V - Handover									

\*Timelines provided as current best estimate and are subject to revision

## HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED

We want to consider all viewpoints in relation to the Scheme, and this is your opportunity to take part.

- A questionnaire will be available for you on the day to express your viewpoints.
- Can't make it? - if you cannot join us on the day a copy of the questionnaire will be available on the website as well as supporting maps and information.
- Closing date for consultations and questionnaire submissions is **8<sup>th</sup> December 2022**.
- A third Public Consultation Day will be held once a preferred Scheme has been identified.



## Contact Us

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