Glashaboy Flood Relief Scheme Environment Monitoring Group Meeting # 30

Project	Glashaboy Flood Relief Scheme		
Location	Various	Date	12 th Sept 2024
Attendance	Conor O'Leary CCiC		
	Niamh O'Callaghan CCiC		
	Graham Whittaker CCoC		
	Sinead Gavin OPW		
	Maria O'Shaughnessy OPW		
Apologies			

Meeting Minutes:

- 1. Monthly Environmental Audit reports:
 - Monthly report for August was discussed, comments to be collated and sent to NOC or GW to then forward to ECoW.
 - Awaiting updated reports for April, June and July from the ECoW. NOC will follow up once the instream window has closed, as ECoW very busy at present.
- 2. OPW queried will all current instream work be completed before end of September. Site team and SCE due to review and put necessary plans in place at each location.
- 3. The gravel deposits at Meadowbrook were discussed. These contain invasive species and must be treated as contaminated materials. CO has been issued to SCE for their removal. While the OPW are looking for their removal this year, it shouldn't take resources form other priority areas that require completion before the closure of the instream window. This item to be raised with the SRE. OPW to discuss it internally also.
- 4. SG to discuss the funding for the review and design of the fish pass at Bleech Hill with OPW.
- 5. Biodiversity plan currently on hold during the instream window.
- 6. Sinead outlined Maria that will be replacing her on the EMG from now on.

Next EMG meeting: Thursday 10th October @ 1500