

Berwickshire CCAP: Coastal Path

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Scottish Borders Council



Berwickshire coastal path Mott MacDonald (2023)

Overview:

The case study aims to better understand how the Berwickshire coastal path can be adapted from its current position based on future climate change. Areas of the cliff have been and will continue to be affected by coastal erosion in the future. We are developing an understanding of the area to allow us to review the usage of the path, potential future options and consultation with landowners.

What we are hoping to learn:

We are hoping to understand how the path is used, what landowners may feel about adaptation and the paths movement along with identifying high level options that could be implemented. This will provide an understanding of how the coastal path and other coastal assets could be managed in an adaptive way.

What we've learnt so far

Dynamic Coast needs to consider hard cliff coasts too. A more detailed assessment has been undertaken.

"We are grateful to the number of people who have taken the time to respond to the coastal path consultation, the response has exceeded our expectations for this project and the number of people who would like to be involved in the future."

Duncan Morrison - Scottish Borders Council

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