## **Monitoring Moray Coastline**

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£28,000

Moray Council



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### What are the project aims:

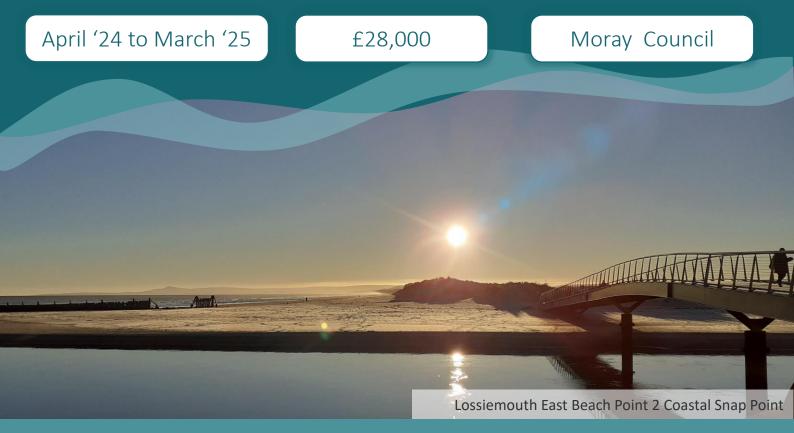
- How communities engage with active monitoring of the coastline
- Indicative rate of change of the coastline based on regular monitoring from the same point
- Greater understanding of the impacts of storm events
- Can these photos be used to assist in the prediction of the rate of change at a given point along the coastline
- Greater community engagement on **Coastal Adaptation**







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## What has happened so far

- 10 of the 14 points have been installed.
- Since the installation on the 18 February over 40 photos have been taken.
- The most popular location is Lossiemouth East Point 4, which has had 7 pictures taken.
- We have a mix of both one off and regular users.
- Sites are being updated with key information such as changes since last update and reason for change e.g. Wind
- Next steps are to install permanent signs and after 3 months analysis initial data from the monitoring stations to monitor change.

