

# Access Improvements at Stevenston Beach

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£60,000

North Ayrshire Council



Stevenston Beach.  
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## Overview:

By improving an existing informal route between a community café and Stevenston Beach by reprofiling, widening and whinstone surfacing, this project aims to bring benefits to the area by (1) supporting wider community uses, (2) reducing the impact of pedestrian movements on more sensitive places, and (3) supporting wider discussions and decisions about community aspirations and coastal change adaptation actions.

## What we are hoping to learn:

How it is still possible to support community uses behind the dunes and the health of the dune system even when it is not possible or desirable to 'hold the existing line'.

When completed, the improved path together with community engagement and awareness raising is expected to help relieve erosion pressure in other areas of the dunes, which will help to secure the conditions for wider adaptation planning.

Location of existing path.  
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