

# Orkney: Communication and Engagement in Coastal Change Adaptation

Autumn '23 to  
Autumn '25

£66,000

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Approaching high tide in Stromness ©Orkney Islands Council (2023)

## Overview:

Our project aims to deliver a programme of stakeholder engagement as part of the coastal change adaptation planning process in Orkney.

During 2023 to 2025, we will take forward a Coastal Change Adaptation Plan to improve understanding of the risks associated with coastal erosion and flooding, and the actions that are required now and into the future.

## What we are hoping to learn:

We will learn how to effectively engage Orkney communities to increase awareness about the risks of sea level rise, erosion and flooding.

Our planned stakeholder engagement activities will help us to build consensus around adaptive pathways to a more resilience coast and more resilient communities.



Community engagement in planning, Orkney

#community

#engage

#adapt



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