

Felixstowe Repairs and Maintenance

Felixstowe, Suffolk

What are we updating you about?

Coastal Partnership East are part of East Suffolk Council (ESC) and are responsible for coastal management. We have appointed East Suffolk Water Management Board (ESWMB) to complete repairs and maintenance of coastal protection assets along the Suffolk coast, which are owned or managed by ESC. ESWMB will be completing works at Felixstowe as part of that contract.

Where is this work happening?

A map of where the work is taking place is on the back of this factsheet. The work is spread across the defences between Cliff Road car park and Spa Pavillion, Felixstowe. There will be a temporary site compound in the Golf Road car park. Equipment and vehicles will operate and be stored on the promenade.

When are we doing the work?

Repair and maintenance work along the coastal defences is due to start from 2nd September 2024 and last approximately 3 weeks, allowing our maintenance contractor to maximise work around daily tides. All work is subject to safe working conditions i.e. tide and weather condition dependent.

What will we be doing?

ESWMB will be replacing joint sealant and concrete along the sea wall and promenade around The Dip area.

They will be removing and recasting coping stones along the sea wall and promenade north of Felixstowe Seafront Gardens. There will be machinery travelling across the promenade from the storage location to the work area. There will be minimal disruption to access along the promenade.

We will work hard to keep any inconvenience to a minimum and ask the public to please take note of the contractor's signage when work is happening.

Why are we doing this work?

This work will improve flood defence assets and is an important part of ESC's commitment to ensure that the coastal assets they are responsible for are working effectively and are safe for the public, helping to protect our beautiful and important coastline economically and environmentally and for the enjoyment of communities and visitors for generations to come.

Undertaking regular targeted maintenance means that we can maximise the lifespan of coastal protection assets, ensuring that we make the most of every pound spent and achieve a better return on public investment. We are supporting the safeguarding of life and local economies by making sure that the Council's coastal assets are in the condition needed for continued protection.

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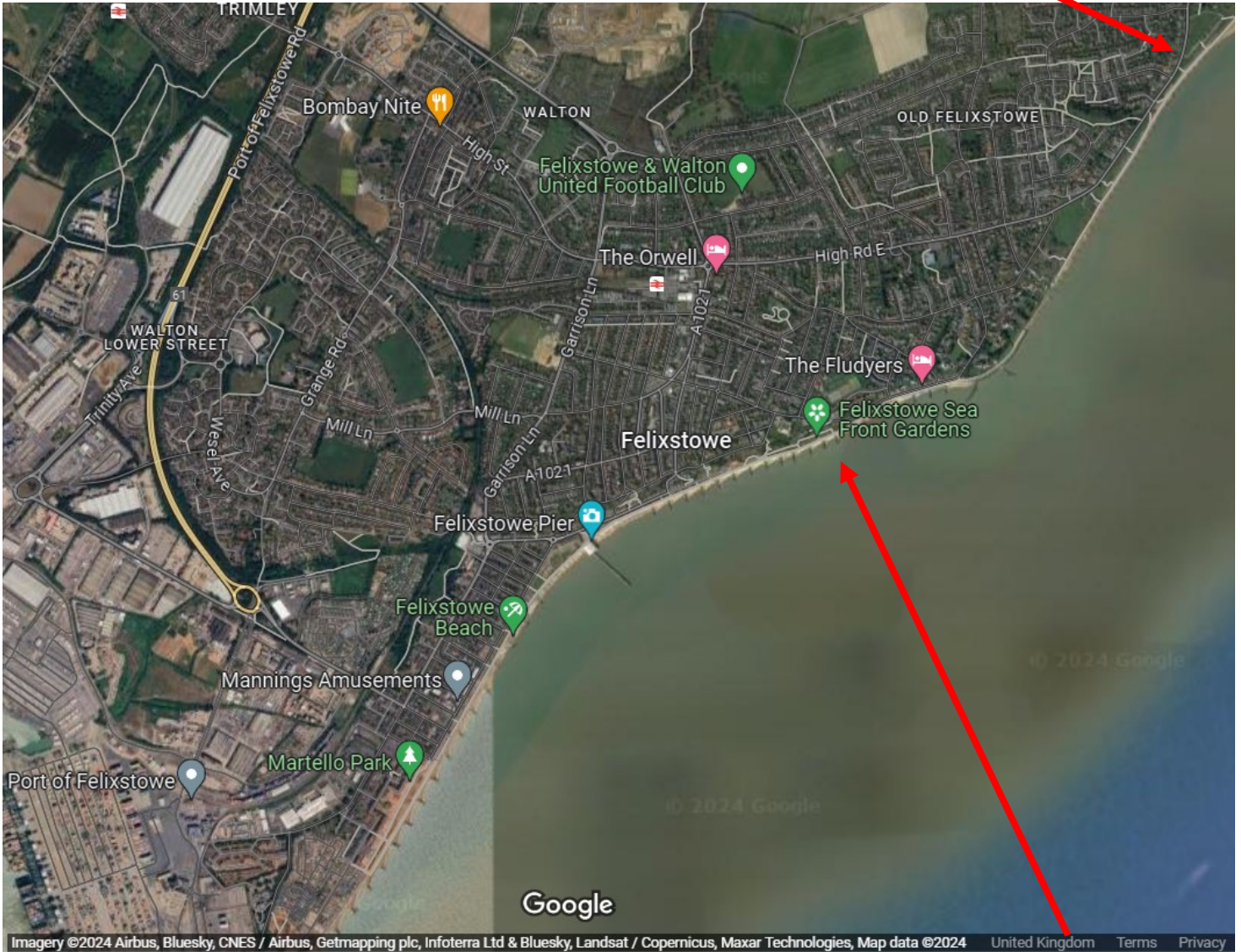
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Felixstowe Repairs and Maintenance — location map

Repairs and maintenance to defences across the Felixstowe frontage.

Northern extent of works



Southern extent of works

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