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## **FLOOD DEFENCE IMPROVEMENTS TO CLAYRACK MARSHES (COMPARTMENT 4) – PHASE 2**

Dear ,

In October 2006 we received planning permission for the first phase of improvement works to the flood defences protecting Clayrack Marshes north of How Hill. This first phase was to excavate a new soke dyke parrallel with the existing dyke but some 12m into the marshes. This work was completed in December 2006. This early excavation of a new soke dyke has enabled it to achieve similar ecological quality to the existing dyke before the existing dyke is filled as part of the proposed floodbank strengthening works.

The second phase of the works comprises strengthening and maintenance of the floodbank in addition to the installation of sheet piling and other erosion protection along the river frontage. Plans detailing the extent of the proposed works are included with this letter.

If you have any queries, or any points that you would like to discuss/raise about the enclosed proposals please contact us as soon as possible. We intend to submit a planning application early in June to allow us to commence works in September 2008.

Yours sincerely,

Bob Lancaster  
BESL Project Manager

Encs: Drawings WNBCLA/200/001, 002, 003 and 004 at reduce A3 size