Appendix A - Flood Mitigation for Threestoneburn

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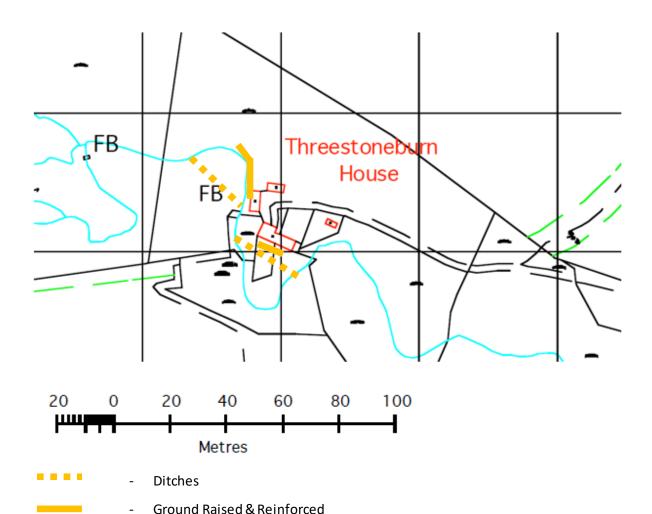
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Overview

There were four main schemes of work completed as part of the Flood prevention scheme for Threestoneburn:

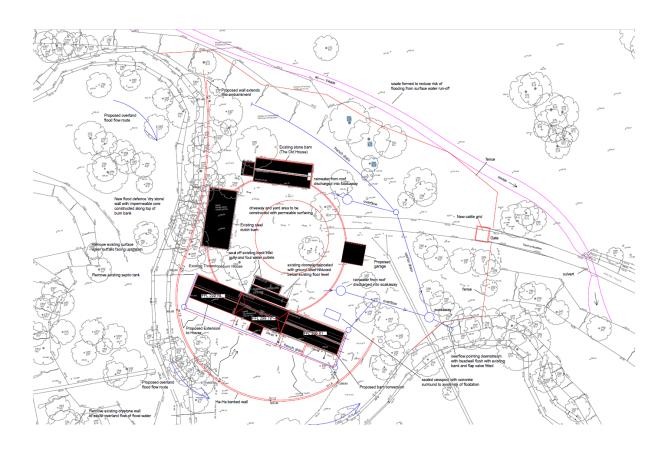
- Provide a large straight ditch to minimise flow "in flood" across the first curve of the S
- Reinforce and raise the height of the banks at the lowest part along the bank next to the Dutch barn
- Provide a large straight ditch to minimise flow "in flood" across the second curve of the S, raising the height of the ground in front of the house
- Drain to pipe run off from the hill downstream of the house
- Ensure the yard area drains well

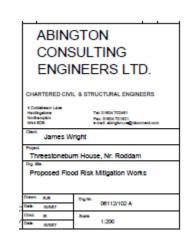
All of these have been installed in 2009/10 and are successfully performing their job



Planned Works (now completed as pictures below demonstrate

As from previous application





Large straight ditch to minimise flow in flood across the first curve of the S

 ${\sf NOTE-all\ pictures\ show\ Grass\ is\ flattened\ where\ water\ has\ flown\ through}$

 ${\bf 1}^{\rm st} \ {\bf Mitigation} \ {\bf Ditch} \ ({\bf point} \ {\bf of} \ {\bf entry} \ {\bf just} \ {\bf after} \ {\bf burn} \ {\bf enters} \ {\bf Property} -$



Middle of first mitigation ditch x2





 $\label{prop:continuous} \textbf{Exit from first ditch coming towards the house}$



 ${\sf Exitfrom\,first\,ditch\,away\,from\,the\,house}$



Reinforce and raise the height of the banks at the lowest part along the bank next to the barn

Curve of the first S reinforced with large stones



Further round the same bend, bank is reinforced with large stone and height of bank increased x2





Provide a large straight ditch to minimise flow "in flood" across the second curve of the S, raising the height of the ground in front of the house

New ditch through Garden with raised ground clearly visible



 ${\sf Extension}\, of\, {\sf Ditch-Again}\, grass\, throughout\, is\, washed\, flat\, by\, recent\, floods$



Exit of second ditch to burn



Drain to pipe run off from the hill downstream of the house

 $Ditch \ with \ last \ section \ covering \ large \ 18' \ pipe \ with \ gravel \ and \ pipe \ entering \ covered \ culvert$





And the Pipe crossing the track (to Roddam) followed by the exit of the pipe from underground to the burn downstream of the house (track visible in the background on higher ground)





Ensure the yard area drains well

Below shows the new drains installed to stop run off hitting the yard, the new permeable gravel covering in the yard and drainage exit into the burn.







