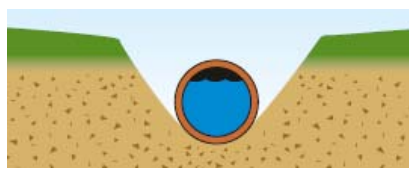
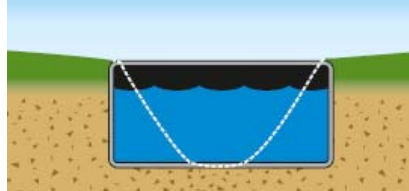
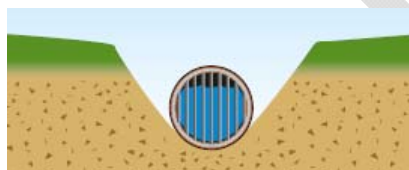
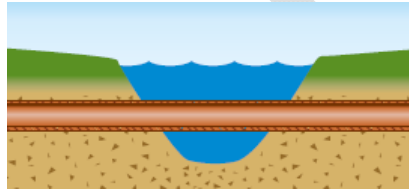

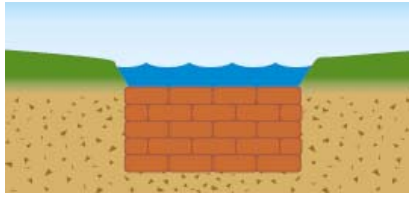
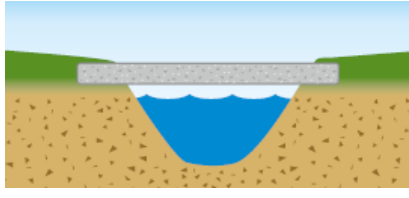
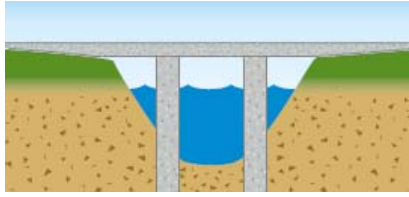
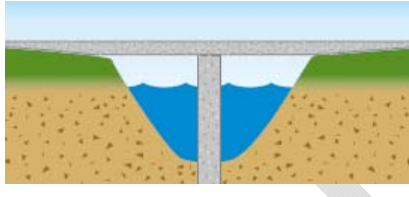
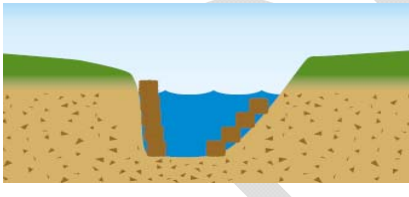


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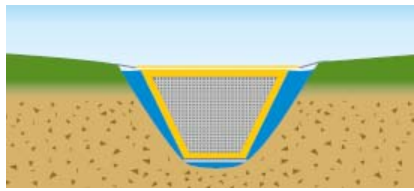
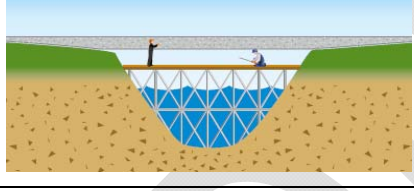
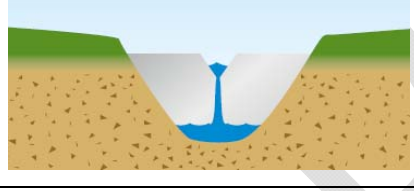
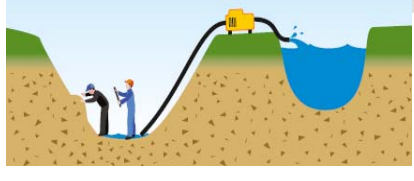
The following activities will require permanent consent; it is likely temporary consent will also be required during the works. If you are unsure please contact flooding@leics.gov.uk

	<p>Extension, alteration or removal of a pipe culvert The Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA) opposes the culverting of watercourses. Culvert removal will be considered subject to flows and an understanding of the local environment. For further information please read the LLFAs culvert policy. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Extension, alteration or removal of a box culvert The LLFA opposes the culverting of watercourses. Culvert removal will be considered subject to flows and an understanding of the local environment. For further information please read the LLFAs culvert policy. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Installation or removal of a trash screen Trash screens have the potential to alter flow as well as protecting culverted watercourses from material blockages. Removal will be considered subject to flows and an understanding of the local environment. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Pipe crossing (in channel) The pipe will be a permanent obstruction within the cross section of the channel and therefore requires consent. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Pipe outfalls Pipe outfalls, flush with the bank and protruding, can impede cross sectional area of the channel and/or alter flow within the watercourse and therefore requires consent. Temporary consent may also be required</p>

	<p>Installation or removal of a weir or dam</p> <p>The erection or alteration of any dam, weir or obstruction to the flow of an ordinary watercourse requires consent.</p> <p>Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Installation or removal of a bridge or decking (soffit level below bank top)</p> <p>The structure has the potential to obstruct flows within the channel therefore consent is required.</p> <p>Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Installation or removal of a bridge or decking with abutments in channel</p> <p>The abutments will restrict the flow area by reducing the width of the channel, creating an obstruction. Consent is required.</p> <p>Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Installation or removal of a bridge or decking with support in the channel</p> <p>A permanent structure will be placed in the watercourse having potential to alter flows and create an obstruction. Consent is required.</p> <p>Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Bank protection measures installed in channel</p> <p>Bank protection installed will impede on the channel profile/volume and may alter flows. Consent is required.</p> <p>Temporary consent may also be required</p>

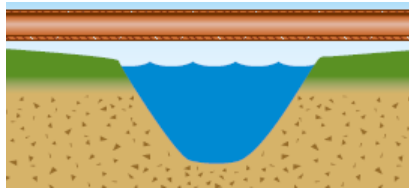
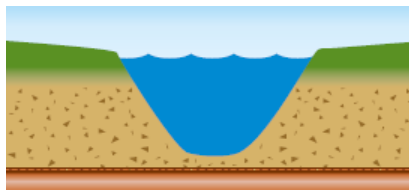
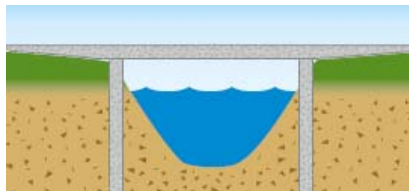
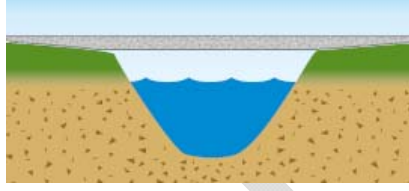
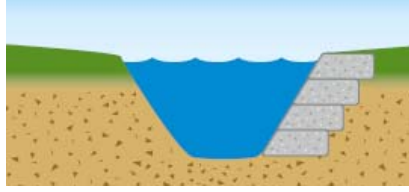

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	<p>Creation of a dry working area The temporary impoundment of water by dam, sheet pile or weir, in order to over-pump water or limit flows, will obstruct usual flow and require temporary consent.</p>
	<p>Straw bales The installation of straw bales for silt mitigation measures will impede flow and require temporary consent.</p>
	<p>Silt curtain The installation of a silt curtain or sediment mats for silt mitigation measures will impede flow and require temporary consent.</p>
	<p>Installation of scaffolding or access platform Temporary consent may be required depending on the length of the structure and the amount of time it will be placed within the watercourse.</p>
	<p>Temporary flow regulating devices Installation of temporary devices to control flow for a limited amount of time will impede flow and require temporary consent due to the obstruction to flow.</p>
	<p>Diversion channel The temporary diversion of a watercourse will require Consent for the length of time the watercourse is to be diverted away from the main watercourse.</p>

DOES NOT REQUIRE CONSENT

Whilst the works listed below are unlikely to require consent under the Land Drainage Act (1991) the LLFA ask that a courtesy email with a location plan and brief outline of the work be sent to flooding@leics.gov.uk to notify Infrastructure Planning (Flood Risk Management) that works are due to be undertaken close to a watercourse.

	<p>Pipe crossing (above bank) As the pipe does not interact with the watercourse and there will be no obstruction to flow, Consent is not required. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Pipe crossing (below bed) As the pipe does not interact with the watercourse and there will be no obstruction to flow, Consent is not required. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Bridge or decking (abutment outside channel width) The bridge soffit is above the bank top, the abutments whilst protruding do not interfere with flow or enter into the cross sectional area of the channel. As the structure does not interfere with flows, Consent is not required. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Clear span bridge As the bridge does not interfere with flow or enter into the cross sectional area of the channel consent is not required. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Bank protection works Permanent Consent is not required for bank protection works which do not alter the current profile of the channel. Temporary consent may also be required</p>
	<p>Tree/debris removal Basic maintenance to a watercourse does not require Land Drainage Consent as removal of debris will not alter flow or cause an obstruction.</p>

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