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# Gwydir Reservoir Safety Works February 19

## Overview

Works are being carried out to improve the safety of four reservoirs within the Gwydir Forest to fulfil our legal responsibilities under the Reservoirs Act 1975.

Works are taking place concurrently at Llyn Goddionduon, Llyn Tynymynydd, Llyn Cyfty and Llyn Sarnau with the aim to achieve completion by Summer 2019.

Our Contractor Dawnus will be strengthening embankments, constructing new spillways, and improving our own access to the reservoirs as part of these works.

## Enquiries

The works are being carefully managed across the sites to minimise disruption to landowners, local people and visitors to the Forest. For all enquiries please contact the NRW Project Manager, Andrew Basford on 03000 65 3846 or email [gwydir.reservoirs@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk](mailto:gwydir.reservoirs@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk).

## Progress Update – February 2019

Works have been progressing well since the Christmas period and are nearing completion at Llyn Goddionduon and Llyn Sarnau. The weather has been challenging and required us to take extra precautions with our Llyn Cyfty works.

At Llyn Cyfty, we are continuing to carry out buttressing works of the northern and southern embankments and upgrading of a section of the water supply pipe. This work on Llyn Cyfty will continue into February and March whilst we continue to carry out tests and inspections to ensure all our works perform as per design.

In April 2019, we will be starting works on Llyn Tynymynydd, the fourth reservoir. This work is expecting to last four months and we are considering alternative access routes through the forest for large haulage deliveries to minimise disruption to local residents and visitors during these works.

Thank you and for more information about the project please visit our website: [www.naturalresources.wales/about-us/our-projects/reservoir-safety-projects/gwydir-reservoirs](http://www.naturalresources.wales/about-us/our-projects/reservoir-safety-projects/gwydir-reservoirs)

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