



001 Tractor damage



003 Mill Race – needs cleaned



004 / 005 Mill race sluice gate needs replaced







010 – Watergate needs replaced and washed out area reinstated



012 – Undercutting footpath edge + exposed water supply pipe



013 – Bank erosion – monitor



007 & 008 – Village shelter – woodwork / paintwork and bench



Crosby Ravensworth Parish Council West House Tenter Row Crosby Ravensworth Cumbria CA10 3HY

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United Utilities Lingley Mere Business Park Lingley Green Avenue Great Sankey Warrington WA5 3LP

River Lyvennet, Maulds Meaburn Village Green NGR NY626160

Unfortunately it seems that it is impossible to communicate direct with your organisation by email other than as a customer. I could not find any simple email address on your website.

Crosby Ravensworth Parish Council is the owner of Maulds Meaburn Village Green through which flows the River Lyvennet.

United Utilities appears to have a water main across the river (blue alkathene pipe in a cast iron pipe). This was originally embedded in the river stone but over recent years with regular floods the pipe has become increasingly exposed.

It is now sitting fully exposed, twisted, and damaged at one end. In addition a further alkathene water supply pipe has been exposed in the river bank downstream of the water main crossing.

The water main is causing disturbance of the river flow when in flood and we feel it is having an impact on the downstream riverbank causing increased erosion. The pipe is also now vulnerable to snagging by large tree branches and the odd tree that regularly wash down the river in severe floods.

We have numerous photographs which we would be happy to forward.

Could we also arrange a site meeting to discuss your proposals to rectify the issue before it becomes more serious. Residents are well aware of the problems associated with the water main damage SW of Shap and the consequences for customers.

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