

D A MACDONALD (CONTRACTORS)

Risk Assessment

Location: Cranin Canal, Bellanoch Bridge.

SITE LOCATION	Crinan Canal, Bellanoch Bridge,	PERSONS AT RISK	Operatives General public	DOCUMENT NUMBER	21/10/15 1
DESCRIPTION OF JOB/TASK	Excavate and expose disused power cable.	LOCATION OF JOB/RISK	Canal bank opposite main road. East of Bellanoch bridge.	JOB NUMBER	
COMPANY	D A MacDonald (Contractors)	COMPLIED BY:	Ian McCallum	PERMIT NO:	
HAZARD IDENTIFICATION	HAZARD POTENTIAL	RISK H/M/L	PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES	RESIDUAL RISK H/M/L	OTHER INFORMATION
Bad Housekeeping Slips/Trips /Falls	Minor to Severe injury Broken Bones	Medium	Work area to be kept clear and tidy of all tools and equipment. Excavation to be fenced off	Low	
Hand Tools	Cuts, bruises, broken bones, eye injury, short/long term deafness	Medium	All hand tools to be in good order with no customised tools. Gloves to be worn as required.	Low	
Manual Handling	Back injury, sprains, sprains, cuts, bruises	Medium	All lifting and handling will be light duty. Any heavy handling identified will be assessed as required.	Low	
Vehicle Movement	Crush injury Minor/severe Badly injured Entanglement	High	Be aware of your surrounding High visibility PPE must be worn at all times. Banksman will control traffic.	Low	Working next to open water. Consider general public access.
Open water	Injury / Drowning	Medium	Use footway. Fence off area of water to prevent accidental fall into water.	Low	Have a throw line onsite.

Open excavation	Minor / severe injury	High	Erect advanced warning signs and fence off work area.	Low	
Inclement weather	Minor to Severe injury	Medium	Be aware of the weather, consider the risk of ice on the road during periods of cold weather.	Low	

This risk assessment must be reviewed, amended, signed by the Supervisor and understood by the working party prior to work commencing. All operatives will record their understanding by signing the pre-job brief form. All operatives will at all times wear as a minimum PPE, hard hat, safety footwear, light eye protection and (Lifejackets if required and hearing protection when required).

SIGNED:

DATE: