Polypipe Ulster helps NI Water achieve storm sewer technology first

Polypipe has helped deliver a unique drainage solution for Northern Ireland Water's Carrowreagh Storm Sewer Improvement Scheme near Belfast.



Polypipe delivered its solution for Carrowreagh Storm Sewer Improvement Scheme in Dundonald, near Belfast through an attenuation tank, created from Polypipe's market-leading Polystorm-R and Ridgistorm-XL products. This tank forms an important feature of the £600,000 essential storm water improvement works which are being carried out in response to flooding in a residential area and to meet future Rivers Agency standards.

Selected following a competitive tender process, Polypipe's technical team worked closely with NI Water, specialist installers Charcon Construction Solutions and main contractor Graham Construction. They devised a bespoke, easy-to-install modular storage tank to the exacting volumes required, complete with a number of two-part access chambers to aid future inspection of the structure.

This is the first time a sustainable urban drainage system of this kind has been utilised by NI Water. It was chosen for its ability to deliver more efficient, environmentally-friendly processes, as well as to speed up the construction of the storm tank over traditional materials.

The experts at Polypipe created bespoke 900mm Ridgistorm-XL outlet pipes with 300mm connections to the storm tank, as an innovative, light weight alternative to existing concrete piping.

CASE STUDY

Project

Carrowreagh Storm Sewer Improvement Scheme

Client

Northern Ireland Water

Application

Flood Alleviation

Products

Polystorm-R Ridgistorm-XL

