

# ACTIVE BEACONS — SCULPTURAL WAYFINDING SYSTEMS —

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**Active Beacons Photo Post**  
Fixed point photographic post for  
coastline monitoring installed on  
the England Coast Path at Danes  
Dyke, East Yorkshire Coast.





**Active Beacons** is a sculptural wayfinding system. It is designed to bring dynamism and flexibility to an endless range of town and country route mapping projects.

The totemic way markers and clear signage are instantly recognisable helping people orientate in and navigate through all types of open spaces.

The hand turned posts are sympathetic to the landscape, borrowing from the existing language of coastal groynes, cairn and walking beacons to create iconic way markers.

Active Beacons are used on:

- **Coastal paths** and riversides to connect up existing trail routes and as single locations for fixed point photography positions for coastline monitoring;
- **Public footpaths** and bridleways to define walking and running routes and to help users navigate;
- **Country estates** and parks to create connections between locations and buildings, and to create new nature walks and planned trails.

All of our beacons are equipped with QR codes to provide up to date information and maps, helping to build useful community infrastructure.

**Photo Post** (A.B 01/002) with stainless steel phone cradle for fixed point aggregate photography with pin mounted information and directional route signage.

**\*Blue Health**  
Installed on the Yorkshire Coastal Path as part of strategic investment in resources and infrastructure which promote well being through effectively managed and accessible 'blue spaces.'



Beacon Detail — Danes Dyke, Bridlington, East Yorkshire



Active Beacons on the East Yorkshire Coast > [Watch the Movie](#)

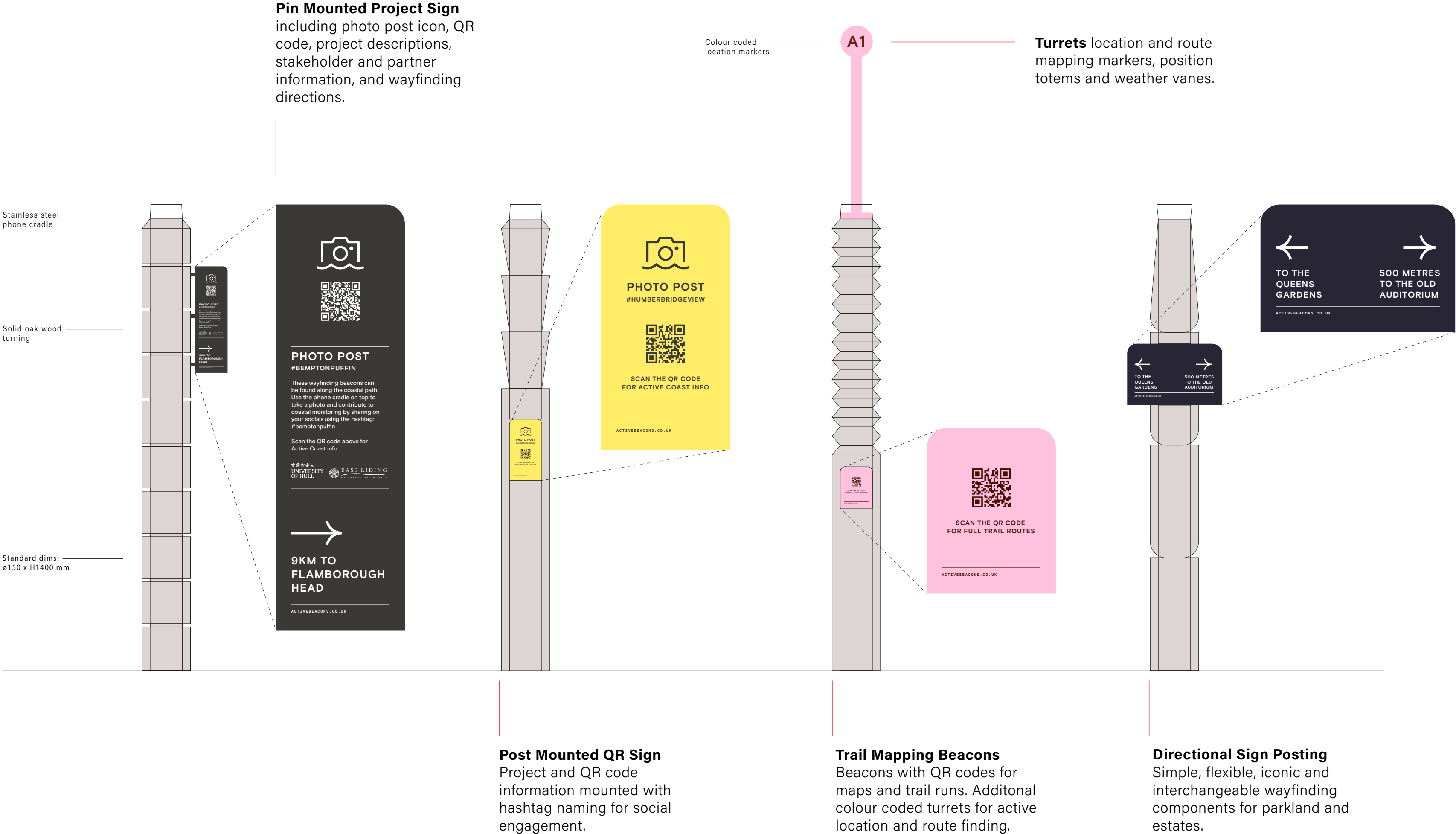




### Beacons and Signage: Options

Each beacon is a solid sectional wood turning, individual and unique but as part of a recognisable visual language. Beacons are equipped with an interchangeable system of signs and 'add-ons' such as phone cradles and route turrets to give functional flexibility.







## Gallery: Coastal Monitoring

Photo Posts: BlueHealth\* Infrastructure —  
Yorkshire Coastal Path / Wolds Way





**Photo Posts** with stainless steel phone cradle for fixed point aggregate photography developed in partnership with East Riding of Yorkshire Council and the University of Hull.

Installed as part of strategic investment in 'BlueHealth' resources and infrastructure which promotes well being through effectively managed and accessible 'blue spaces.'





**Photo Posts** on the Yorkshire Coastal Path at Hornsea sea front, Danes Dyke and Flamborough



Gallery of Beacons — Coastal monitoring / user engagement / signage + QR





**Active Beacons** can be commissioned from around £1200 ex VAT per beacon, depending the type, size and the equipment attached.

We can consult with you and help you plan your project. This can include helping you define routes, find appropriate locations and help with the positioning of your beacons. We can also help with the full installation and have systems to install beacons in the field or on hard standing. We do all of this with no disruption to the natural environment and all of the timber that we use is sustainably sourced.

We manufacture and produce all Active Beacons, so there are hundreds of designs to choose from and we help you select the signage and its type, colour and layout. We also develop and generate the QR codes required for your project and host link pages on your behalf for the ancillary information attached to your project page(s).

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