Bathampton Meadows Alliance Working Group (BMAWG) JOURNAL OF ACTIONS & EVENTS COMPLETED

12 September 2019

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February 2019	Council Party Groups pledge to secure long term protection for the Meadows from inappropriate development, following written requests from the BMAWG.
June	Re-energised Bathampton Meadows Alliance Working Group (BMAWG) commits to work in support of greater protection for the Meadows in the light of the support of the newly elected Council Lib Dem Cabinet
July	Concluded 1st draft Vision, Aims & BMA Contribution Statement, envisaging what needs to be done to secure the Meadow's protection
July	Letter to the Council Leader and to the National Trust General Manager encouraging them to take forward measures to protect the Meadows, offering tangible support to them in securing its delivery and requesting a three-way meeting
July	Completed 1st draft of our Vision, Aims & Contribution Statement
July	Prepared a 1st draft Work Plan to guide our support work: we wish to undertake this in cooperation with the Council & National Trust and through engagement and consultation with other stakeholders and local communities
August	Prepared for and held the 1st Vision (digital) Mapping Workshop in conjunction with Nicholas Pearson Associates (NPA) by: * producing a detailed map of the existing extended Meadows from Bathford to the City at Beckford Road/ Bathwick Street using a map setting out the Public Rights of Way * concluding an Historic Environment Character, Area Assessment of the Meadows * concluding surveys of access & connectivity of paths & tracks in the Meadows in 5 area segments, to assess opportunities & shortcomings * drafting options for the content of mapping the existing Meadows, and indicative measures for the future Meadows * drafting principles and measures for protecting & enhancing the local public benefit of the Meadows, set out against the 8 outcomes included in the Vision, Aims & Contribution Statement
September	Began engagement & consultation with stakeholders on our Vision, Aims & Contribution Statement: • Ward Councillors • Parish Councils • The full Bathampton Meadows Alliance • Stakeholders listed in the Statement

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Continue engagement & consultation with stakeholders in preparation for their involvement in the 2nd Vision Mapping Workshop with NPA
Continue work with Nicholas Pearson Associates (NPA)
Undertake 2 rounds of Village Consultation Events
Conclude a Joint Understanding with the Council & National Trust on co-operative working, including preparation for attendance at the 2nd Vision Mapping Workshop with NPA
2nd round of public & stakeholder engagement & consultation
Finalising with the Council, National Trust and other key stakeholders the Vision & Aims Statement, and the Vision (Digital) Mapping
Supporting the indicative planning & prioritisation of possible protection & enhancement measures on the Meadows, based on the Vision & Aims and Digital Mapping, working with the Council, National Trust and other stakeholders - to assist the allocation of any resources that can be allocated or raised in the future