Projects with funding or that we aim to deliver as soon as possible

Internal Ref Number	Project Title	Location	Summary of Project	Council or Borough
LVRPA0190	Infrastructure improvements	Britannia Meadows - River Lee Country Park	Installation of two new benches and one dog bin	Broxbourne District
LVRPA0193	Access improvements	Britannia Meadows - River Lee Country Park	Installation of new pedestrian and vehicle access linking the local housing estate and Trinity Lane.	Broxbourne District
LVRPA0059	Conversion of war time pill box into a bat hibernacula on Nazeing Green Lane	Nazeing - River Lee Country Park	Disused WWII pill boxes of the Lee Valley have been successfully converted into bat hibernacula, providing winter roosts for Bats. Many boxes have already been converted and this remaining box can provide an excellent hibernation site.	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0186	Fisheries management	Bowyers Water - River Lee Country Park	Fishing provision improvements on Bowyers Water and North Metropolitan Pits for anglers.	Broxbourne District
LVRPA0187	Footpath enhancement along southern end of Bowyers Water	Bowyers Water - River Lee Country Park	Improved footpath provision to prepare for increased usage from new local developments.	Broxbourne District
LVRPA0065	Grassland Restoration	Rammey Marsh	Management of the scrubland habitat encroaching onto the grassland to produce a better grassland habitat. This area is important for a range of invertebrates, some of national and regional importance.	Enfield London Borough
LVRPA0058	Habitat enhancements for breeding waders	Hall Marsh - River Lee Country Park	Improvements to create early successional habitat which provide the best conditions for wading birds to breed. This site has become increasingly vegetated and the habitat quality has deteriorated. This projects will establish islands for breeding birds, expose muddy margins for feeding and desilt the sluices to enable more effective site management. Biosecurity measures to prevent the spread Crassula across the site and onto other sites will be followed throughout this project.	

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LVRPA0152	River Restoration - River Lynch	Spitalbrook - South of Dobbs Weir	Habitat improvements to the River Lynch to improve the biodiversity and to restore the River Lynch at Dobbs Weir back to a naturally functioning chalk stream. Baseline surveys will be undertaken to include water quality, fish, invertebrate and macrophyte surveys. River Corridor survey to include in-channel features of chalk stream. Protected species survey. Some tree works will also take place.	
LVRPA0060	Improvements for breeding waders and Water Voles	Patty Pool Mead - Sewardstone Marsh	Work to improve Patty Pool Mead for wading birds. Work will include the opening up of small pools and scrapes to provide invertebrate-rich mud on which waders can feed. The ditches that surround the area will be opened up improving the habitat quality for Water Voles.	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0188	Lake edge management	Britannia Lake - River Lee Country Park	Habitat works will remove trees from the banks of the lake on Britannia Meadows to increase the area and quality of the reed fringes of the lake.	Broxbourne District
LVRPA0057	Restoration of Normans Pond	Fishers Green - River Lee Country Park	This pond is part of a complex of 3 man- made ponds and is home to a population of Great Crested Newts. The other ponds here have been restored and now the final and largest pond is in need of restoration by removing invasive vegetation to open up the water for Newts. The pond will be made deeper in some parts and will have improved edges.	
LVRPA0189	Water safety signage	Britannia Lake and Bowyers Water - River Lee Country Park	Installation of new water safety signage at Bowyers Water and Britannia Lake to give the public information about the dangers around water.	Broxbourne District
LVRPA0012	Awareness raising events on the West Side	River Lee Country Park	Undertaking engagement projects to raise awareness of the Special Protection Area and its important features. Ideas proposed include pop-up events such as Bittern Roost Watches, winter duck walks, guided walks, children's activities and engagement with dog walkers in the area to raise awareness of their potential impacts and provide guidance on appropriate behaviour.	Epping Forest District and Broxbourne District

LVRPA0013	Creation of gravel Island	Seventy Acres Lake - River Lee Country Park	Remove trees from existing islands, lowering of island levels, installation of predator fence, installation of weed membrane and installation of gravel layer.	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0002	Goosefield Restoration Wet grassland for breeding waders	The Goose Field - River Lee Country Park	A feasibility study and project design will be carried out, including management of Crassula, habitat restoration, installation of water management features to improve the meadows for breeding waders.	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0003	Habitat enhancements for Water Voles	Hall Marsh - River Lee Country Park	Removal of trees which are over shading the ditch to enable development of emergent vegetation to enhance habitat for the existing Water Vole population	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0006	Interpretation	River Lee Country Park	Installation of a bespoke sculpture to engage with visitors and educate them about the important species in the area, this will complement the existing sculpture trail. Design of insert into existing LVRPA welcome panels to explain importance of area to visitors.	Epping Forest District and Broxbourne District
LVRPA0007	Lake edge management	River Lee Country Park	Selected tree removal from margins of lakes to enhance marginal vegetation. May also include the Police Pit which is under the ownership of Canal and River Trust.	Epping Forest District and Broxbourne District
LVRPA0008	Litter Management	River Lee Country Park	Contribution from secured funding to increase litter management in the River Lee Country Park using the grounds maintenance contractors to increase their activity.	Epping Forest District and Broxbourne District
LVRPA0010	Monitoring	River Lee Country Park	Establish regular programme of wildlife surveys to complement established wetland bird counts and implement targeted disturbance mitigation measures. Visitor Surveys for the River Lee Country Park to be repeated at regular intervals during the programme of construction of new housing development to the western side of the Country Park to monitor any changes.	
LVRPA0001	Otter holt installation	Hall Marsh - River Lee Country Park	Installation of an Otter Holt to provide a safe lying-up area for the animals using the wetlands at this site.	Epping Forest District

LVRPA0014	Reed bed Creation	Seventy Acres Lake - River Lee Country Park	Removal of trees from existing island, lowering of island levels, installation of temporary fencing and reed planting to create 0.2ha of new reed bed.	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0005	Reed bed enhancement	North Met Pit - River Lee Country Park	Removal of trees from existing reed bed, lowering of reed bed levels, installation of temporary fencing on lake edge, installation of permanent fence on orchid meadow edge to prevent public access. Reed planting to restore 0.13ha of new reed bed.	
LVRPA0004	Teal hide replacement	Hall Marsh - River Lee Country Park	Installation of a bespoke bird hide to provide more elevated view and improve visitor experience.	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0011	Visitor infrastructure	River Lee Country Park	Improvements to the network of footpaths and redevelopment of the Pindar Toilet block.	Epping Forest District and Broxbourne District
LVRPA0009	Water Safety Partnership	River Lee Country Park	Contribution from secured funding to the Water Safety Partnership to educate residents on the issues surrounding water safety and the additional impacts on the wildlife of the Park.	Epping Forest District and Broxbourne District
LVRPA0222	Path improvements on Leyton Marsh	Leyton Marsh	New path from Kings Head Bridge to path behind Lee Valley Ice Centre to discourage people from walking on the meadow area. New lighting and safety features. The addition of a surfaced path will reduce the damage caused by trampling on the meadow areas. We will reduce the surfaced path on the southern side of the woodland which will allow more planting.	Waltham Forest London Borough
LVRPA0075	Water Abstraction	Middlesex Filterbeds	Instillation of sluice and pipe linking to river. Installation of permanent solution to water supply issues on the Filter Beds following discussions with Natural England regarding the lack of water.	Hackney London Borough
LVRPA0226	Steps/kissing gate	Walthamstow Marshes	Installation of steps and a kissing gate at the entrance from Aqueduct Path which leads onto Lammas Meadow. The tarmacked slope currently allows unrestricted movement of vehicles and cyclists on to the most species rich area of meadow, causing trampling and erosion. Also more visible signage to be erected to inform people about the wildlife.	Waltham Forest London Borough

LVRPA0227	SSSI Boundary Fencing / gates with Leyton Marsh	Walthamstow Marshes	Installation of fencing and gates between Walthamstow and Leyton Marsh to establish a more recognisable delineation between Walthamstow Marshes Site of Special Scientific Interest and Leyton Marsh so visitors can identify where the nature reserve begins and ends and where certain restrictions on activities apply.	Waltham Forest London Borough
LVRPA0229	Dog walking survey and/or management strategy	Walthamstow Marshes	All the Lea Bridge Road Sites will be surveyed. 1.8 million visitors this year with a high percentage having 1 or more dogs. This impacts on the wildlife and other users taking up staff time and resources. From the survey a coordinated strategy will be developed to help build foundations for a better, safer environment and enhanced experience for dog walkers.	Waltham Forest London Borough
LVRPA0235	Improving the biodiversity value of the grassland habitats on the WaterWorks Fields	WaterWorks	Grassland improvement at WaterWorks Fields. This project would seek to increase the botanical diversity of the grassland which has been for many years managed as amenity grassland. The relaxing of amenity mowing and reversion to annual meadow cuts of certain areas has already had some impact but we aim to assist this through seeding or application of green hay to further encourage botanical diversity.	Waltham Forest London Borough
LVRPA0241	Path works linking Meadgate Lane with Dobbs Weir Road	St Pauls Field	Project to creaate a new path network linking Meadgage Lane with Dobbs Weir Road and to open up the retained piece of St Pauls Field to give accessibility to the public.	Epping Forest District
LVRPA0231	River restoration project	WaterWorks	WaterWorks Fields restoring the river habitat. This is an aspirational project. Options to link with London Borough of Hackney through their emerging Nature Recovery Plan. The project focus is improving the biodiversity value of this stretch of river through the installation of in-channel features to enhance the natural gravel beds and encourage marginal and in-channel vegetation. This would target specific species such as Otter and Kingfisher.	Waltham Forest London Borough