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**Subject:** FW: Updating the West Oxfordshire IDP - Green Infrastructure

Dear Sir / Madam

I have been asked to assist in updating the Infrastructure Delivery Plan (IDP) for West Oxfordshire to support the new Local Plan. IDPs aim to provide information on the level of infrastructure, both physical and social, needed to support the delivery of the Local Plan. This work is now very important given the new Government increasing the required housing delivery numbers for West Oxfordshire.

We met with representatives from the Wychwood Forest Trust, Wild Oxfordshire, Berks, Bucks and Oxon Wildlife Trust and Lower Windrush Project and they suggested we should reach out to you to ask about the projects you are working on so that we can consider them for inclusion in the updated IDP.

In particular we would be interested to understand current and possible future projects relating to biodiversity and Green Infrastructure in and around West Oxfordshire, including

- Improvements to existing open space and access to nature
- Improvements to pedestrian and cycle paths/ rights of way, and bridleways
- Green corridors
- Those related to biodiversity net gain and / or the creation of nature networks

I have attached the current IDP so that you can see the general structure and purpose of the document.

Local Plans generally look 15+ years ahead.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards

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