

Detailed Open Spaces

	Action
1	To investigate the potential to meet the All London Green Grid (ALGG) aspiration for a new Regional Park within Barnet by 2026
2	To plan the development and investment in the borough for the creation of at least 1 new district park and 13 new local parks utilising planning and other services by 2040
3	To support the Development of the Green Infrastructure Supplementary Planning Guidance by 2018
4	Pitch strategy with the Parks and Open Spaces s
5	To ensure that the 2017 Local Plan review considers and supports the Parks and Open Spaces Strategy by 2017
6	To deliver the approved parks and open spaces improvements planned for Brent Cross, including re-naturalisation of the river corridor, transformation of Clitterhouse Playing Fields, delivery of new town squares and re-landscaping of existing local parks by 2026
7	To deliver new investment in the parks and open spaces of Colindale and Burnt Oak associated with the Regeneration Programme, including improvements to Montrose Playing Fields, Silk Stream Park, Heybourne Park and, Colindale Park by 2021
8	To deliver improvements to the Brent Reservoir SSSI associated with the West Hendon Regeneration Scheme, and improvements to the West Hendon Playing Fields by 2018

9	To identify pilot sites for Business Improvement Districts or Neighbourhood Improvement Districts in order to identify partnership and funding opportunities for local parks by 2018
10	Develop design guides for parks and open spaces to ensure identity of local area and promote entrepreneurial activity by 2020
11	To create, facilitate and promote locations for meanwhile activities and uses for those in local areas by 20250
12	To work with partners to create a framework to promote a or Barnet's night time economy in appropriate public spaces such as pocket parks within/adjacent to town centres by 2017
13	To review future funding and governance options pilots to explore feasibility of the viability by 2018
14	To create opportunities for structured career progression through contract partners, delivery partners, graduate schemes and apprentices by 2017
15	To work with partners to assess opportunities for flood risk management in Barnet's river valleys by 2017
16	To work with partners to identify opportunities to address water quality in Barnet's river valleys and develop a programme of targeted activities and investments by 2019
17	To work with partners to enhance bio-diversity in river valleys as well as other parks and open spaces to improve awareness, education and recreation by 2022
18	Pursue opportunities to complete the delivery of the All London Green Grid Dollis Valley project, by 2025

19 To identify opportunities to develop and promote the borough's walking and cycling network, including school travel plans by 2017

20 To ensure measures to promote biodiversity and enhance the ecological quality and interconnectedness of the borough's greenspaces are included within all capital investment projects from 2016

21 To develop proposals with partners to protect and enhance the habitat types and values in parks and open spaces by 2018

22 To Identify locations for tree planting across the borough with a focus on:

To Commit to recycle 25% of waste produced within parks and open spaces by 2017 and recycle 50% of waste by 2020

24 To create a high quality distinctive local programme to upgrade the borough's playgrounds and ensure the inclusion of all schools by 2019

25 To Identify educational establishments in close proximity to parks and open spaces and selectively pilot school use of these spaces, in particular focus on forest School learning by 2017

26 To Identify funding for the development of KS1 and KS2 school packs related to local parks and open spaces by 2018

27 From crime statistics identify opportunities to address community safety issues by 2017

28 To identify sites with the potential for tranquil 'dog-free' areas or special needs to meet with a wide range of mental health requirements, Trial implementation by 2018

29 To create a framework to encourage communities to feel ownership for and activate their local open spaces by 2020

To Support the development of a 'Barnet Parks Friends Forum' to create a broader community
30 , a network for sharing learning and ideas
around parks and open spaces in the borough
by 2016

To assess parks and open spaces against
31 accessibility standards set out in the Accessible
London Supplementary Planning Guidance by
2017

32 To Develop a stronger volunteering culture
associated with local open spaces, from 2017

To identify specific parks and open spaces
33 opportunities that can help tackle priority
public health issues, such as obesity, diabetes
and smoking from 2016

To pilot social impact bonds for parks targeted
34 at securing the investment for improvements to
parks facilities/ services that will achieve health
outcomes by 2020

To identify Sites and partnerships where health
35 outcomes and informal and formal physical
activities can work in tandem to enhance and
promote health and wellbeing by 2020

Strategy Action Plan

Details	Priority	Economic Outcomes	Social Outcomes
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understand the ALGG requirements 2. Review the political appetite for Regional park 3. Scope out the Implications for regional park on barnet and how it may help delive the goals of the strategy 4. Review what Funding will be needed for a regional park 	3	Yes	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Liase with other departments to review the best strategy locals for the parks 2. Cary out option apprasial to acess the the locations of parks 3. Liase with planning and regeration deparments to secure future sites 	3	Yes	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Work closely with Strategic planning in developing a Green Infastructure guidance 	1	Yes	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ensure the emerging pitch strategy aligns with POSS. 2. Work with team/ sit on board/ check final report 	1	Yes	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Work with colleagues to ensure statgey refrenced 	1	Yes	yes
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Coordinate with colleagues in planning/ regeneration/ parks 2. Input into design and management 3. Liase with other agencies such EA, Thames 21 4. Stakeholder engagement with public, partners and interested parties 	2	Yes	yes
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Develop the brief and engage team to deliver technical aspects of design 2. Enagement with all ineterested parties 3. Construct the scheme 	1	Yes	yes
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Liase with Brent catchment partnership 2. Engage consultants 3. Engagemnet with all interested parties 4. Deliver s 	2		

1. work with entrepreneurial Barnet 2. Plan work schedule with Town Centre managers 3. identify partners 4. identify funding	3	yes	
1. Understand requirements 2. Engage design consultants 3. Develop criteria, guides 4. Engagemnet and consultation	3	Yes	yes
1. Understand requiremnets 2. Identify lists ofocations and identify uses 3. Identify local groups that wish to partake 4. deliver	3	yes	yes
1. Work with entrepreneurial Barnet to explore relevant nigh time uses 2. explore café leases and requirments 3. explore empty buildings and possibilities with local community	3	yes	yes
1. explore viable pilots for each option 2. get agreement on each option 3. set up pilots	3	Yes	yes
1. Liaise with skills and enterprise team 2. understand scope within parks service	3	yes	yes
1. Assess parks effected 2. Discuss requiremnets with Environmnet Agency 3. underatke any river corridor assesments	3		
1. Assess parks effected 2. Discuss requiremnets with Environmnet Agency 3. Discuss with Brent Catchment Partnership/ Thames 21 4. Develop programme	3		yes
1. develop list of available partners and approach 2. develop programme of eductaion and awareness 3. Deliver the programme	3		
1. Upstream - the quality of the river corridor and footpath network in the Upper Dollis Valley particularly linked to the Dollis Valley Regeneration Scheme. 2. Downstream - improving the quality of the river corridor to Brent Reservoir	3		

1. Overlay existing travel plans with corresponding parks to ensure the best opportunities are being met	3		yes
1. Assess the current capital investment plan for opportunities 2. Contact the project owners and highlight any further opportunities for biodiversity/ ecological enhancement	3		
1. Identify any habitat types in parks 2. Develop proposals and discuss with relevant partners	3		
1. Committing to a programme that involves a net gain in trees across the borough 2. Strengthen quality of landscape through planting avenues, tree groups, woodlands 3. Address tree planting to counter urban warming particularly in south 4. Tree planting near major roads	2		
1. Benchmark current data from green spaces 2. Review alternative disposal methods and costs 3. Implement changes	1		
1. Identify parks that need playground upgrade 2. Design improvements/ engage consultant 3. Specify, tender and then construct	2		yes
1. Identify schools 2. Discuss school requirements with head teachers 3. Pilot any changes	3		yes
1. Identify funding 2. Develop information packs so schools can use parks more and benefits	2	yes	yes
1. Study crime statistics and requirements 2. Liaise with community safety 3. Implement recommendations	1		yes
1. work with colleagues to understand which parks have scope for quiet areas 2. understand mental health requirements 3. work with local groups to see if feasible 4. implement pilot	3		yes
1. remove barrier so the planning for local events on parks 2. remove barriers to the planning of local events of Parks	3		yes

1. identify existing and potential groups 2. set up forum with head of terms	1		yes
1. understand requirements 2. undertake assessment to ensure parks meet the requirements	2		yes
1 Working with local businesses and public sector partners to develop Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) in 2018 2. Opportunities and models for encouraging volunteering in parks and open spaces in 2017 3. Identify pilot sites for Barnet's emerging Community Participation Strategy (CPS) and work with partners (Community Barnet and Groundwork) to deliver CPS outcomes in 2017 4.. Build up volunteer requirements and understand what benefits volunteers will gain 5. Promote new volunteering roles and ensure monitoring and evaluation undertaken	2		yes
1. Review public health priorities and overlay onto parks portfolio 2. Work with colleagues to develop proposals 3. Pilot schemes	3		yes
1. Review the success of social impact bond within Barnet 2. Work to understand the best use of social impact bonds within parks 3. Pilot a project	3		yes
1. Reviewing external providers that other councils use 2. Pilots	3		yes

- 1. already resourced
- 2. scoping work in process
- 3. resource not yet identified

Environmental Outcomes	Top 5 resources				
	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Communication	Consultation	planning policy
	Project lead	technical knowledge	Planning policy	stakeholder engagemnet	Housing
	Project lead	Planning policy	Technical knowledge	GLA liason	
	Project lead	Strategic planning	Technical knowledge	Sports and physical activity	
yes	Project lead	Strategic planning	Planning policy		
yes	Project lead	Development partners	Stakeholder engagemnet	Technical knowledge	Regeneration
yes	Project lead	External consultant	External partners	Technical knowledge	Engagement
yes	Project lead	External consultant	External partners	Technical knowledge	Engagement

	Development partners	Town centre managers	technical knowledge	Entrepreneurial	Stakeholder management
	Project lead	External consultant	Communication	Technical knowledge	Entrepreneurial
	Project lead	Town centre managers	Consultation	Entrepreneurial	Town centre managers
	Project lead	Town centre managers	Entrepreneurial	Estates	Legal
yes	Project lead	External partners	Estates	Entrepreneurial	Consultation
	Project lead	Entrepreneurial	Skills and enterprise	Education	Working with partners
yes	Project lead	External partners	Estates	Technical knowledge	
yes	Project lead	Environmental health	Technical knowledge	Environmental agencies	
yes	Project lead	Environmental agencies	Technical knowledge		
yes	Project lead	Finance	Stakeholder management	Estates	Technical lead

yes	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Stakeholder engagemnet	Skills and enterprise	
yes	Project lead	Technical knowledge	External partners	Education	
yes	Project lead	Technical knowledge	External partners	Education	
yes	Project lead	Tree officer	Technical knowledge		
yes	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Waste and recycling team		
yes	Project lead	Education and skills	Adults and communities	Barnet youth board	Technical lead
yes	Project lead	Education and skills	Adults and communities	Technical knowledge	
yes	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Communication	Education	
	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Safer neighbourhood team	Community safety	
yes	Project lead	Protected characteristic	Communication	Dog owners	Stakeholder managemnet
	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Communication	Stakeholder engagemnet	sustainable communituies

yes	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Communication	Stakeholder engagement	
yes	Project lead	Technical knowledge	Communication		
	Project lead	Sustainable communities			
	Project lead	public health	Communication	Technical knowledge	
	Project lead	public health	Consultation		
	Project lead	public health	Sports and physical activity	stakeholder managemnet	

initiate project	Intermedite	project completion
Jul-16	Proposals explored and recommendation to committee by 2020	2026
Jul-16	Proposals reviewed by 2020	2040
Jul-16	Interim review 2017	2018
Jul-16	tbc	2017
Jul-16		2017
Jul-16	Review in 2018	2026
2016	2018	2024
2016	Review plans and scope of work 2017	2018

2016	pilots start 2017	2018
2017	2019 for consultation	2020
2017	review in 2020	2025
2016		2017
2017	tbc	2018
2016	tbc	2017
2016		2017
2016	2019 to develop programme	2019
2016	2019 interim review	2022
2016	2020 start construction	2025

2016		2017
2016	2018 measures developed	tbc
2016	enagage schools and LWT by 2017	2018
2016	Identify locations by 2018	2020
2016	commitmnet by 2017	2020
2016	outline the programme by 2018	2019
2016	pilot 1 in 2017	2018
2016	Initial list of funders by 2017	2018
2016		2017
2016	identify sites by 2017	2018
2016	Volunteering cordination by 2018	2020

2016		2016
2016	tbc	2017
2017	pilot 2017	2020
2016	explore smoke free park 2017	2020
2016	explore impact of social impact bond in 2017	2020
2016	initiate project in 2017	2020