

CITIZEN CRANE FORUM 2017

A meeting to discuss the Citizen Crane Project and shape its future

- 10:00 Arrival, registration and coffee
- 10:15 Welcome by Alison Debney (ZSL)
- 10:20 How the Citizen Crane Project supports the aims of the Catchment Partnership: Ilse Steyl, CVP
- 10:30 Citizen Crane project Updates: Citizen Crane Team
- 11:00 Thames Water update on the Surface Water Outfall Programme: Ruta Akelyte, Thames Water
- 11:10 Citizen Science Leads to Compliance: Mat Reed, EA
- 11:20 **Break**
- 11:30 Works in Harrow to improve the Yeading Brook: Mick Bradshaw, Harrow Council
- 11:40 Thames Water's Smarter Catchment Proposal: Yvette de Garis, TW
- 11:50 Riverfly plus -Examples of how other Citizen Science projects are impacting river management around the country- Steve Brooks, The Riverfly Partnership.
- 12:10 Options for years 4 to 6 - general discussion
- 12:30 **Break for Lunch**
- Photo and Health and Safety Review for volunteers



HOW THE CITIZEN CRANE PROJECT SUPPORTS THE AIMS OF THE CATCHMENT PARTNERSHIP

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON
31 OCTOBER 2017

DR ILSE STEYL



CATCHMENT BASED APPROACH

- The Catchment Based Approach (CaBA) – community-led approach, engages people and groups from across society.
- 100+ catchments across England and Wales – Crane catchment is one.

Some statistics:

- Less than one-fifth of rivers in England are classed as healthy (using WFD criteria);
- Globally, 81% of freshwater species are in decline;
- In the UK, 13% of freshwater species are threatened with extinction.

(Source: WaterLife)

CRANE CATCHMENT OBJECTIVES

A River Rich and Diverse in
Habitats and Native Wildlife

Clean Clear Water

A Natural Looking and
Functioning River with
Sustainable Flow

Reduced Risk of Flooding in
Built-up Areas

Collaboration and
Engagement

Awareness, Access and
Appreciation

A Celebration of the Crane's
Heritage

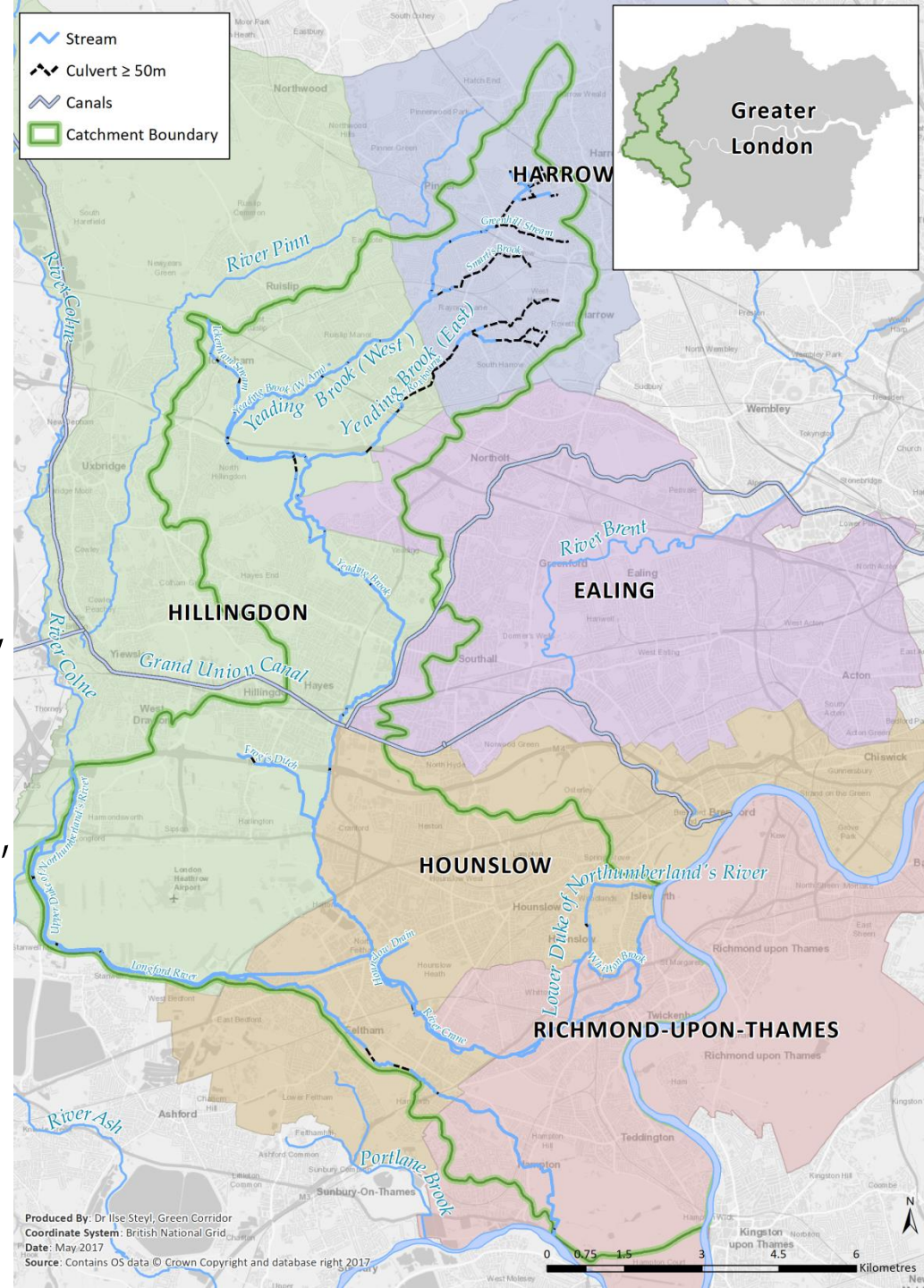


ENGAGING LOCAL COMMUNITIES IN RIVER HEALTH



CRANE CATCHMENT

- Total size $\pm 127 \text{ km}^2$
- Typical urban catchment, suffering with chronic water quality problems, invasive species, canalisation, straightening, over-widening, etc.
- 5 London Boroughs (Harrow, Hillingdon, Ealing, Hounslow, Richmond-upon-Thames)



CITIZEN CRANE

- Citizen science project – scientific research conducted, in whole or in part, by amateur scientists on a voluntary basis.
- Running for 3½ years – consistent time series dataset.
- Collaboration is key.
- Regulation alone will not address all issues or realise all benefits.



THANK YOU



Citizen Crane Project Update

Rob Gray, Joe Pecorelli, Richard Haine
Citizen Crane



Crane Catchment Map & Monitoring Points

- 35 km main channel length
- 11 monitoring sites in 5 boroughs
- Monthly RMI and water quality (conc. and loading)
- TW labs for analysis



Project Features

- Monthly monitoring started in May 2014
- Volunteer led (50 volunteers trained to date)
- Project team: frog environmental, ZSL and FORCE
- Steering Group: CVP, EA + TW (meet quarterly)
- Annual Report and Forum
- Long term outfall monitoring since 2015
- Outfall Safari in 2016
- Funding until spring 2020



Key Previous Findings

- Method is reliable and consistent
- Upper reaches poor
- WQ generally improves downstream
- Better WQ but poor geomorphology in middle
- Upper DNR: poor P but improves RMI
- NH₃N more important than P as RMI control
- Outfall Safari finds major pollution sources



Key Previous Outcomes

- Identified ~ 10 pollution incidents – enforcement and prosecution follow
- TW SWOP shifted to upper reaches
- SWOP monitoring supports clean up effort
- Increased public and council awareness of misconnection issue
- Approach applied elsewhere in London



Engagement

- Local communities
- EA and TW
- CVP partners
- London wide through CaBA, CPiL etc
- Projects with ~ 10 universities

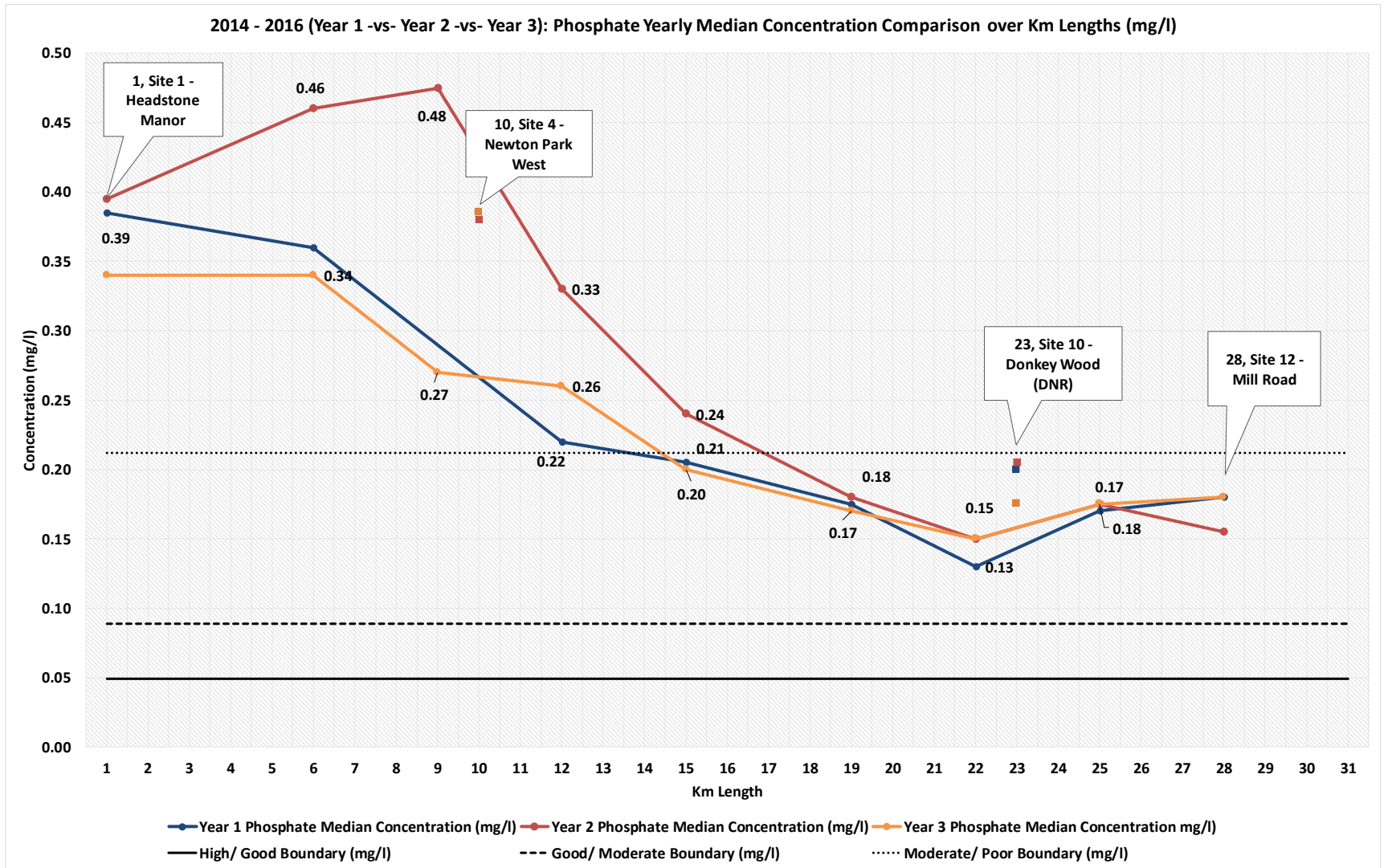


Academic Projects

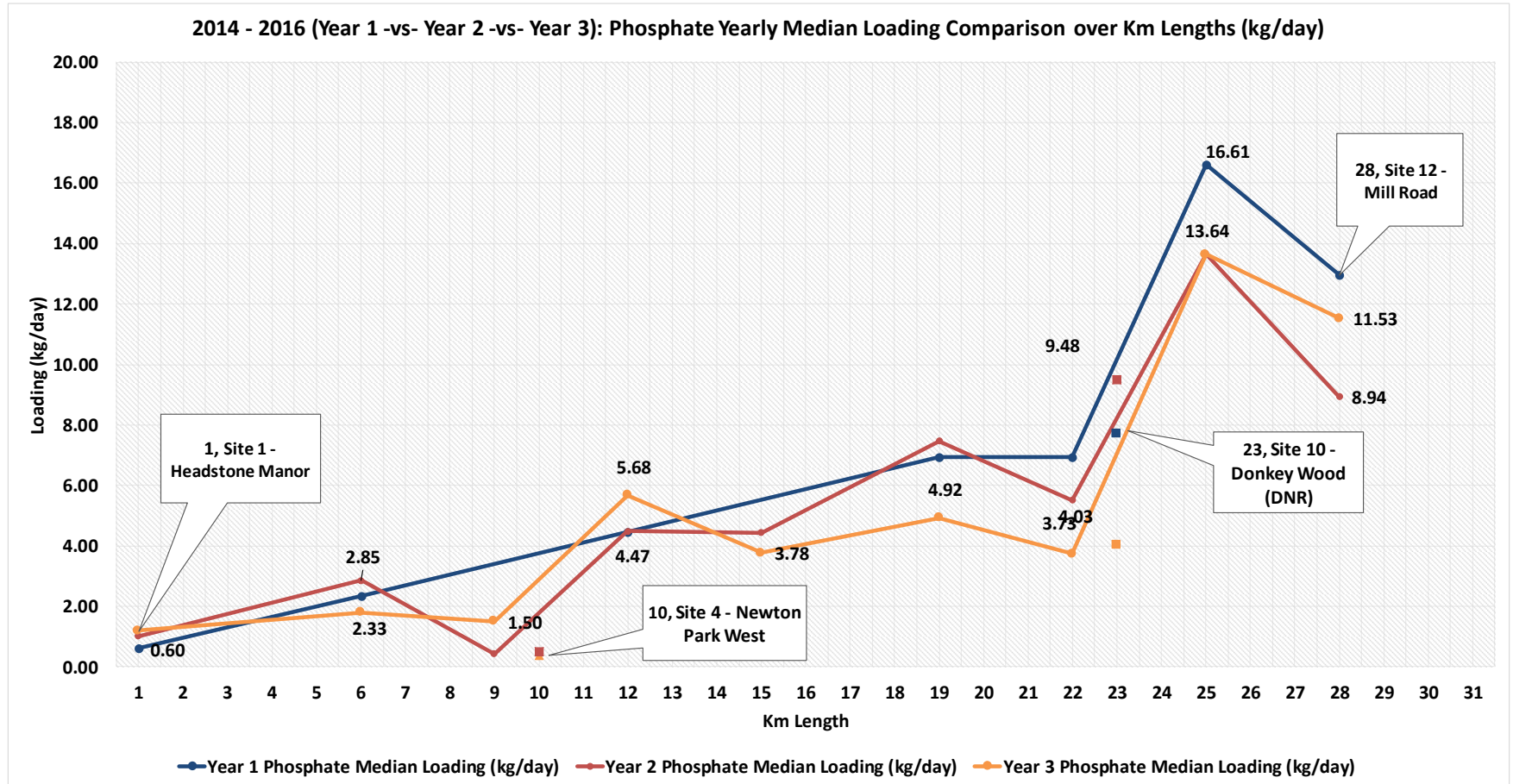
Institute	Author	Area of study
St Marys University	Dr Iain Cross	The potential of citizen science to inform expert understanding: a case study of an urban river
St Marys University	Will Hawkins	The Effects of Urban Influences, Including Heathrow Airport, on the Water Quality of the River Crane
St Marys University	Gabby Judd	Crane invertebrates in pools and riffles
Kingston University	Andrew Carr	An examination of spatial and temporal variance in Ammoniacal Nitrogen, Phosphorus, and Sulphate in the River Crane, alongside their impact on macro- invertebrate levels
Royal Holloway	David Strachan	Quantification of organic and inorganic pollutants arising from road run off in the River Crane catchment
Cranfield	Anna Bukovski	The identification of pollutant sources in the River Crane catchment
Durham	Bertie Bricusse	Water quality in an urban lowland river: The River Crane Catchment in West London



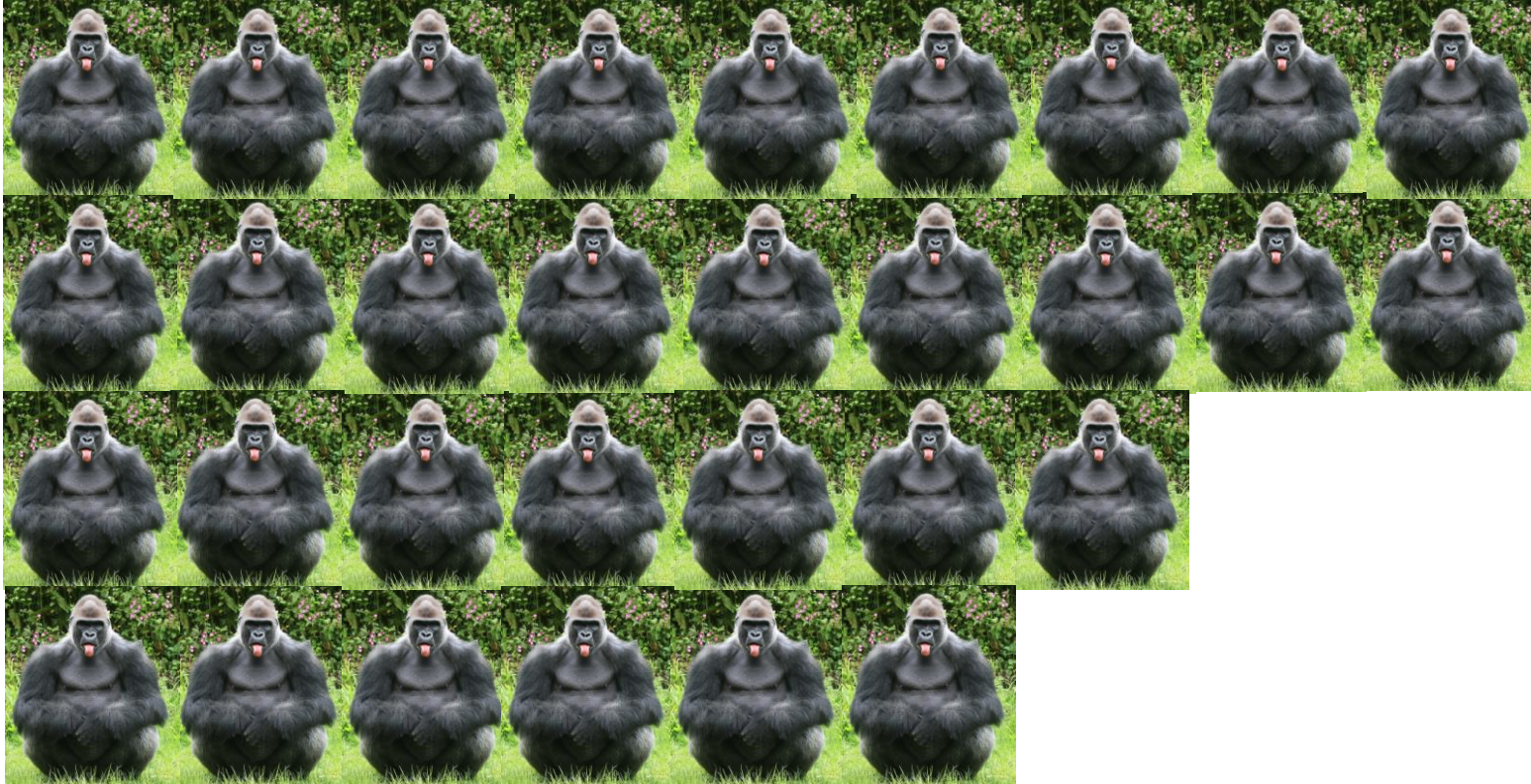
Median P Concentrations Year 1 - 3



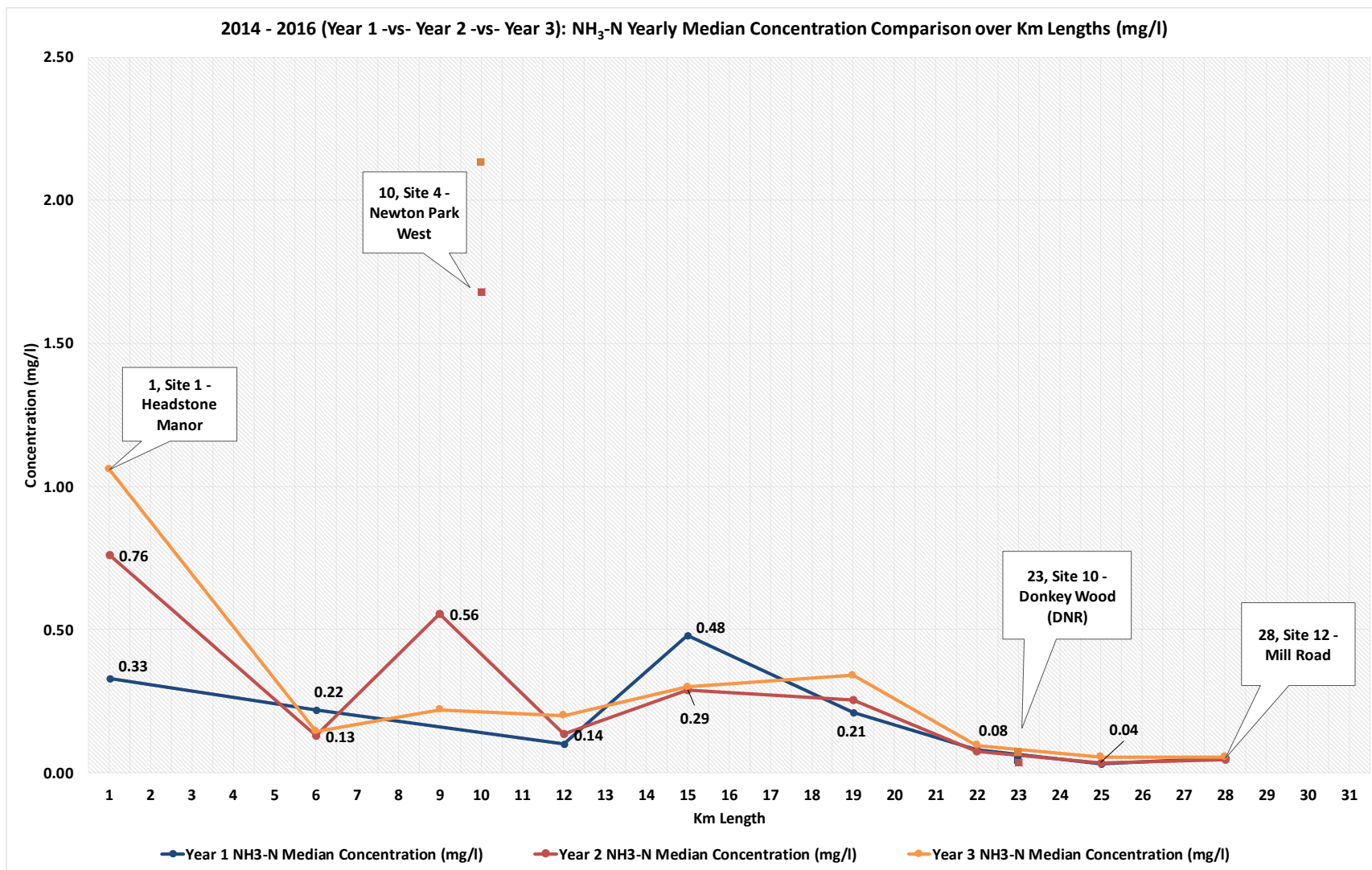
Median P loading years 1- 3 (kg/day)



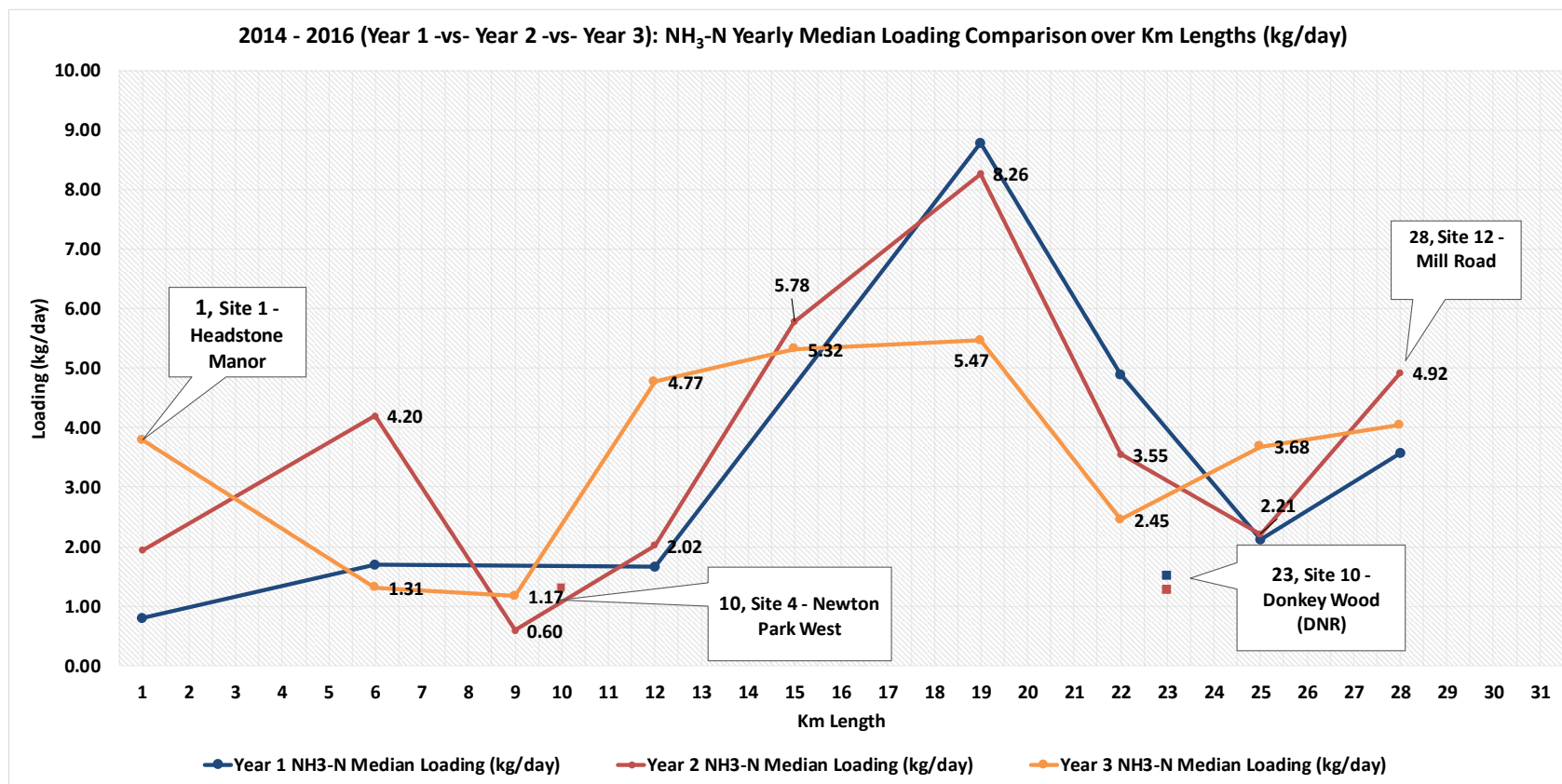
5 Tons of phosphate (expressed as gorillas)



Median NH₃-N conc year 1-3



Median NH₃-N Loading Data



Next steps for data collection

- Reset all gauging stations
- QA on all data collection protocols
- High confidence in loading data
- Continue sampling for another 3 years
- Data highlights problem areas and allow us to track improvement/deterioration over time
- Data feeds into other elements of Citizen Crane e.g. catchment mass balance model



Road Run off

- Investigations into impact of Road Run-off
- Royal Holloway & Cranfield University
- Major roads cross the River Crane
- What is the impact?
- How might it affect restoration efforts?



Road Run off – Sources of contamination

Contaminant	Sources relating to road runoff
Lead	Tyre wear, lubricating oil, grease, paints, dyes, lead-acid batteries (in past decades, leaded petrol would be a source)
Copper	Electrical components, engine parts, brake lining, electroplating, copper pipes (trace amounts in gasoline and engine oil)
Zinc	Street furniture, worn tyres, electroplating, galvanized iron and steel, grease (trace amounts in engine oil)
Cadmium	Worn tyres
Nickel	Metal plating, worn brake lining, asphalt, lubricating oil (trace amounts in diesel and petrol)
Antimony	Paint, enamel, textiles, matches, rubber (tyres),
Chromium	Metal plating, catalysts and refractories, brake fluid, leather tanning, plastics
Manganese	Engine components
Iron	Rusting car parts, rusting street furniture
Arsenic	(produced in trace amounts from fossil fuel combustion)
PAH's	Diesel, petrol
TPH	Diesel, petrol

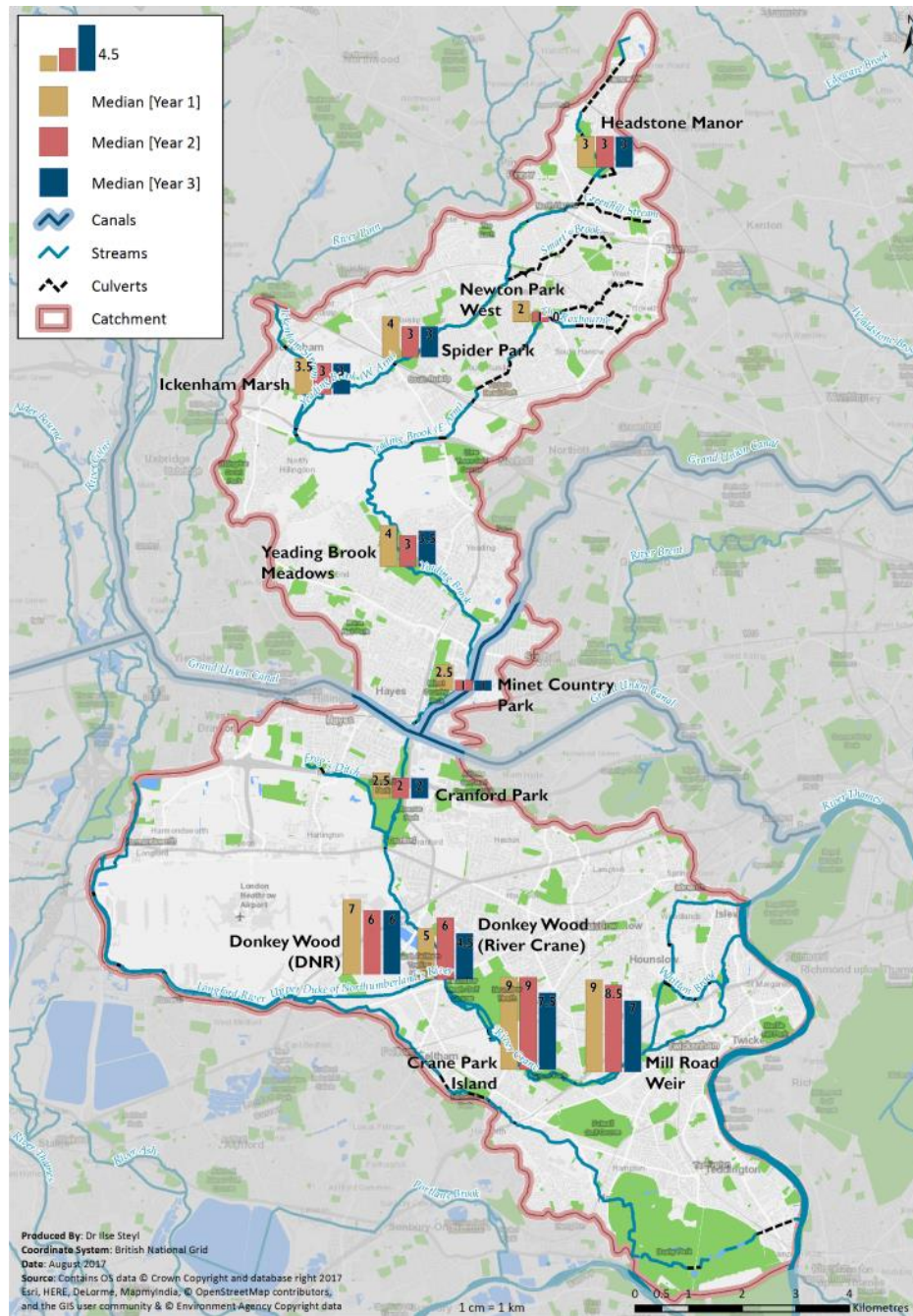


Road Run off – Key Takeaways

- Sediment store of organic and inorganic pollutants downstream of major roads e.g. M4
- Water samples did not return high concentrations of contaminants
- Hazardous silt can be a constraint to restoration efforts
- Working with Highways and the EA there is the potential for interventions
- There is still a legacy issue to deal with

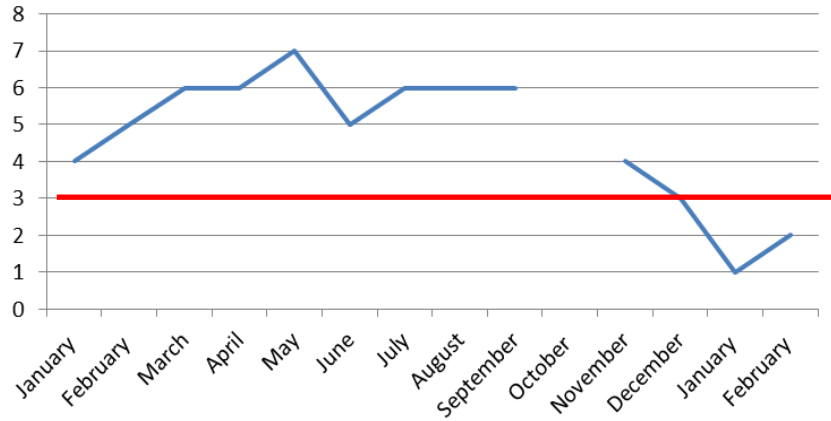


Median RMI scores by site for year 1, 2 and 3

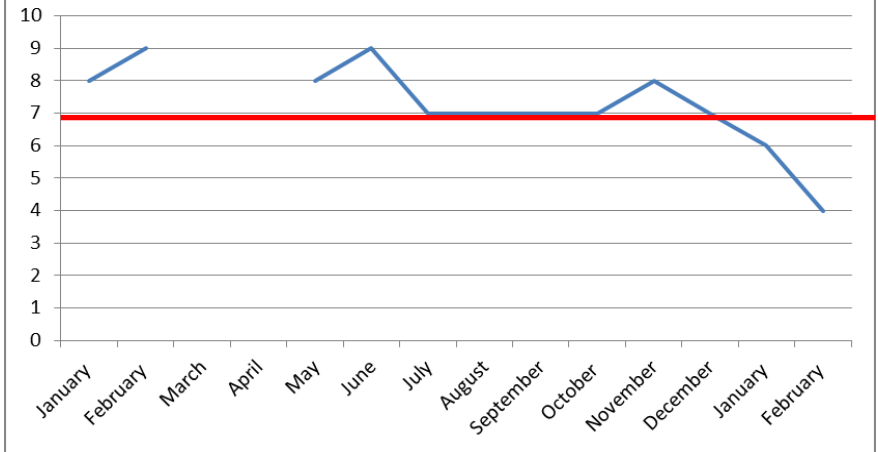


Pollution Detection

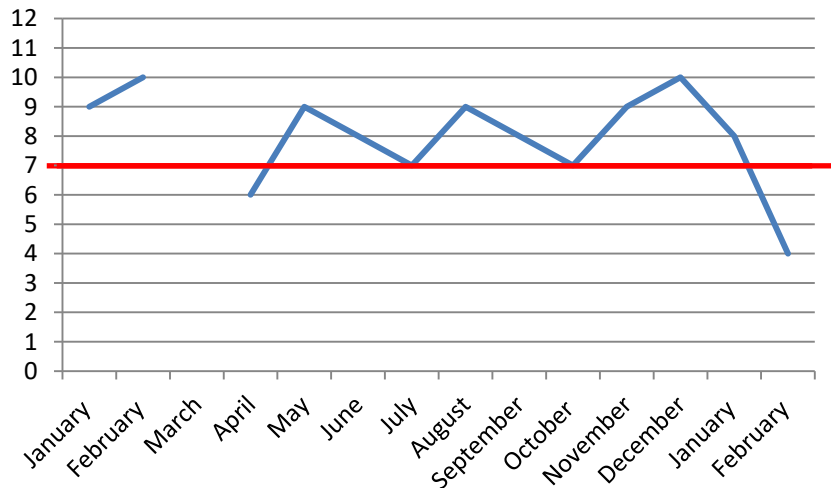
RMI Scores at Donkey Wood- Crane



RMI scores at Mill Road Weir



RMI Scores at Crane Park Island



Pollution Detection: How do we standardise reporting?



16th February 2017 Donkey Wood

- Standard way of assessing sewage fungus-cover?
- Pro forma for other forms of pollution e.g. oil, chemical or other ?

The Outfall Safari across Greater London



112 volunteers trained

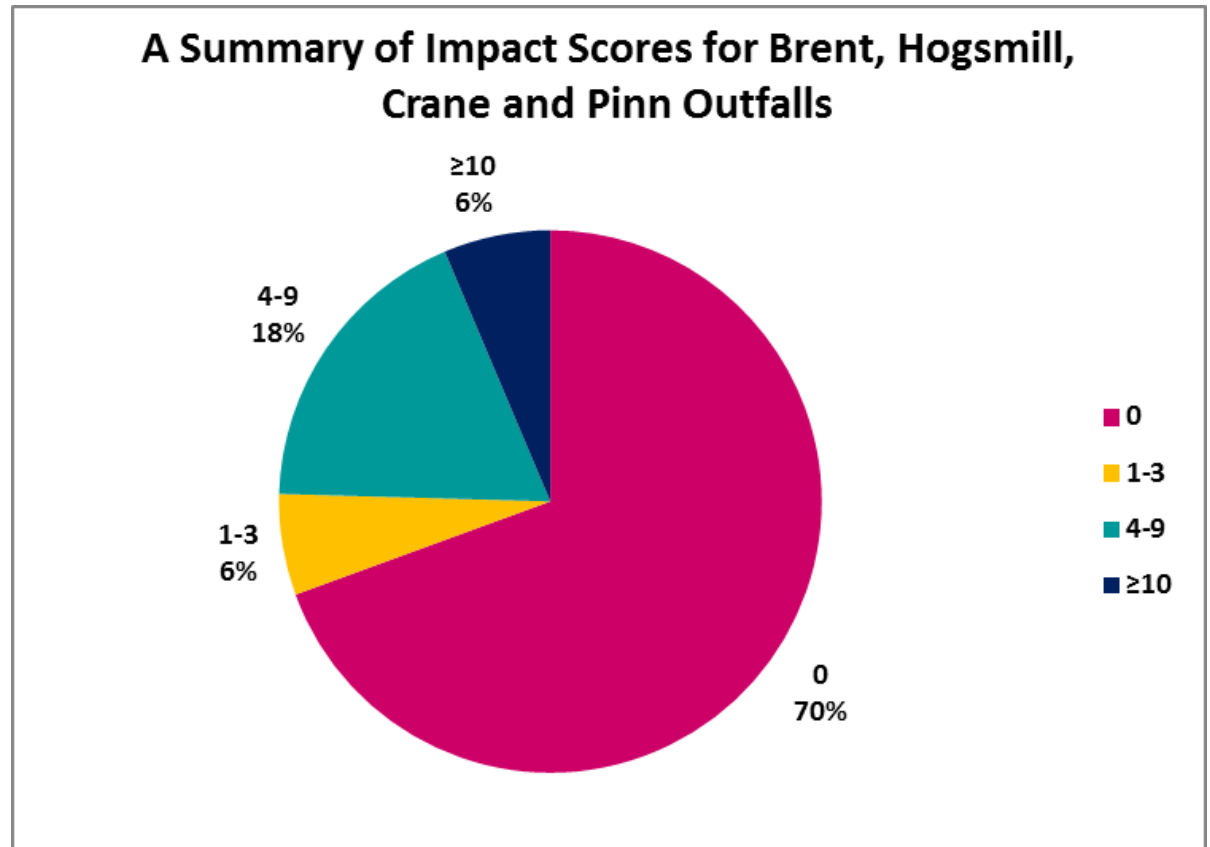


104.6km of river surveyed



The Outfall Safari across Greater London

- 896 outfalls assessed
- 274 outfalls Polluting
- 2 catchments currently being surveyed: Ingrebourne and Ravensbourne
- Impact on Thames Water SWOP works



Mass Balances for P and NH₃N

- Uses loading, real time and SWOP data
- First order balance subject to refinement
- Insight into key processes
- Quantification of interventions



Mass Balances

	P provisional mass balance (Kg/day)	NH ₃ -N provisional mass balance (Kg/day)
Inputs		
SWOP outfalls	18	18
Other outfalls	11	11
Upper DNR	10	1.0
Peak flush	N/A	0.3
Total	39	30.3
Outputs		
Dissolved outflow	11	4
Absorbed/flushed as sediment	28	—
In-river chemical processes	—	26.3
Total	39	30.3

- Importance of SWOP
- Importance of in river processes
- Importance of P load in sediment ~ 50 tonnes



FUTURE STRATEGY

1. Continue baseline monitoring
2. Support volunteers
3. New volunteer led initiatives
4. Work on mass balances – feed into AMP 7
5. Investigate ammonia pulses



FUTURE STRATEGY

6. Quantify effects of interventions
7. Assess road run-off impacts
8. London links – practitioners and academics
9. Target reductions in NH₃-N and P by 2020
10. Engage public - social media etc





Thames Water Surface Water Outfall Programme

31 October 2017

Ruta Akelyte
Environmental Protection Technologist

SWOP

- A team of 6 individuals – environmental science backgrounds
- Programme developed by Thames Water and Environment Agency
- Funding approval from Ofwat
- Funding released in Asset Management Plans (AMP) – over a 5 year period
- Current (AMP6) PSWO Programme is largest ever with biggest delivery profile yet 200 (40/year)
- 101 delivered to date, 21 – in year 3
- ~ 100 live projects



AMP6 Review

- 101 outfalls have been significantly improved to date
- 1770 properties with misconnections were identified in the process
- 4024 misconnected appliances identified
- ~90% of these property owners resolved the issue voluntarily
- The remainder are passed over to local authorities for enforcement

Misconnection	Amount
Kitchen Sink	925
Washing machine	899
Hand Basin	802
Toilet	345
Dishwasher	318
Bath	255
Shower	243
Other pollution sources	250

River Crane Projects

- 22 projects signed off to date (Fulwell Park Avenue A B & C was signed off as one)
- 10 – on River Crane, 8 – on Yeading Brook, 4 – Roxbourne
- 217 properties with misconnections were identified in the process
- 531 misconnected appliances identified
- Misconnection rate – ~3.3 %
- Live Projects – 16
- 2 projects to commence in the beginning of 2018.

Misconnection	Amount
Kitchen Sink	114
Washing machine	126
Hand Basin	111
Toilet	35
Dishwasher	70
Bath	30
Shower	32
Other	2

Hospital Bridge North Outfall

- 14 misconnected properties;
- 2 outstanding;
- 1 with Local Authority – a meeting with Richmond EHO to discuss rectification has been arranged;
- CCTV to trace pollution on one road will be completed in the beginning of November.



Outfall Safari

Total Outfalls Assessed	Total scoring impact Score 10+	Outfalls not on SWOP or Hotspot List	Total scoring impact Score 5-9	Outfalls not on SWOP or Hotspot List
230	6	1	23	9



Figure 1. In-channel survey work in Harrow during the 2016 OS (taken from Citizen Crane Project Year 2 Progress Report)



Outfall Safari - Overview

Investigations completed:

Project Name & Location	Post Code	TQ Reference	Watercourse	Outfall Score	Comments/Updates
Crane Park Road (A316)	TW2 6DF	TQ1356472692	Crane	6	No sign of pollution in SW line, manhole has been caged.
Torcross Road	HA4 0TG	TQ1128686573	Yeading Brook West	8	No sign of pollution in SW line, manhole has been caged.
Appledore Avenue	HA4 0UT	TQ1091686332	Yeading Brook West	8	No sign of pollution in SW line, manhole has been caged.
Cedar Avenue (near Bourne Primary School)	HA4 6UJ	TQ11371 84872	Yeading Brook East	6	No pollution found at the outfall, just debris
Northumberland Road	HA2 7RE	TQ1334788696	Yeading Brook West	6	No pollution



Outfall Safari - Overview

Awaiting rectification:

Project Name & Location	Post Code	TQ Reference	Watercourse	Outfall Score	Comments/Updates
Hayes Road	UB2 5XJ	TQ1043778650	Crane	8	3 misconnection found and 1 food compressor leaking and not bunded causing pollution into the service water line.
North Hyde Gardens	UB3 4QR	TQ1043678948	Crane	6	1 misconnection found (overpump system from foul to surface).
Brook Drive	HA1 4RS	TQ14639 89380	Yeading Brook West	16	1 misconnection and 1 network defect found.
Bedford Road	HA4 6LT	TQ1017885848 TQ1018285853	Yeading Brook West	8	3 misconnections found.
Under Kings Road bridge - Kings Road Bridge	HA2 9JG	TQ1273986328	Yeading Brook East	6	Under investigation.



Future Work

- 14 projects on River Crane, Yeading Brook and Roxbourne River on AMP6 Waiting List
- Emerging outfalls – prioritised accordingly
- Close collaboration with Citizen Crane in shaping AMP7 SWOP
- Sample analysis at TW labs
- Thanks for helping to shape an efficient SWOP



Thank you



Citizen Science Leads to Compliance

Name: Mathew Reed

Job title: WFD Technical Specialist & Regulatory Environment Officer

Date: 31 October 2017

Polluted Outfall at M4 Motorway Junction 3 - Cranford Park



- Identified during Citizen Crane Outfall Safari
- Reported to the EA via the National Incident Reporting System (NIRS)
- Assessed as having a limited and localised impact around the point of discharge

Production Database - Event 01280790

Help Cancel OK

Agency Impact Env. Impact Water Fisheries Source Type/Sector Pollutant Details Review Costs Recharge Legal Activities

Incident substantiated Agency action minimised the effect on the environment

Impact on Water

- ☐ No Impact
- ☐ Minimal effect on water quality
- ☐ Minor damage to ecology
- ☐ Minor effect on amenity value
- ☐ Minimal damage to agriculture / commerce
- ☐ Minimal effect on human health
- ☐ Minor effect on a potable abstraction
- ☒ Significant effect on water quality
- ☐ Significant damage to ecology
- ☐ Significant effect on a potable abstraction
- ☐ Significant effect on amenity value
- ☐ Significant effect on human health
- ☐ Significant damage to agriculture / commerce
- ☐ Serious effect on human health
- ☐ Major effect on water quality
- ☐ Major damage to ecology
- ☐ Major effect on a potable abstraction
- ☐ Major effect on amenity value
- ☐ Major damage to agriculture / commerce

Water Impact Category 4

Water Impact Category 3

Water Impact Category 2

Water Impact Category 1

Impact on Air

- ☒ No Impact
- ☐ Impact not Environment Agency business
- ☐ Minimal effect on air quality
- ☐ Minor damage to local nature conservation
- ☐ Minor effect on amenity value
- ☐ Minimal damage to agriculture / commerce
- ☐ Minimal effect on human senses
- ☐ Minimal effect on human health
- ☐ Minor impact on property
- ☐ Significant effect on air quality
- ☐ Significant damage to nature conservation
- ☐ Significant effect on amenity value
- ☐ Significant damage to agriculture / commerce
- ☐ Significant effect on human health
- ☐ Significant impact on property
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- ☐ Serious effect on human health
- ☐ Major effect on air quality
- ☐ Major damage to nature conservation

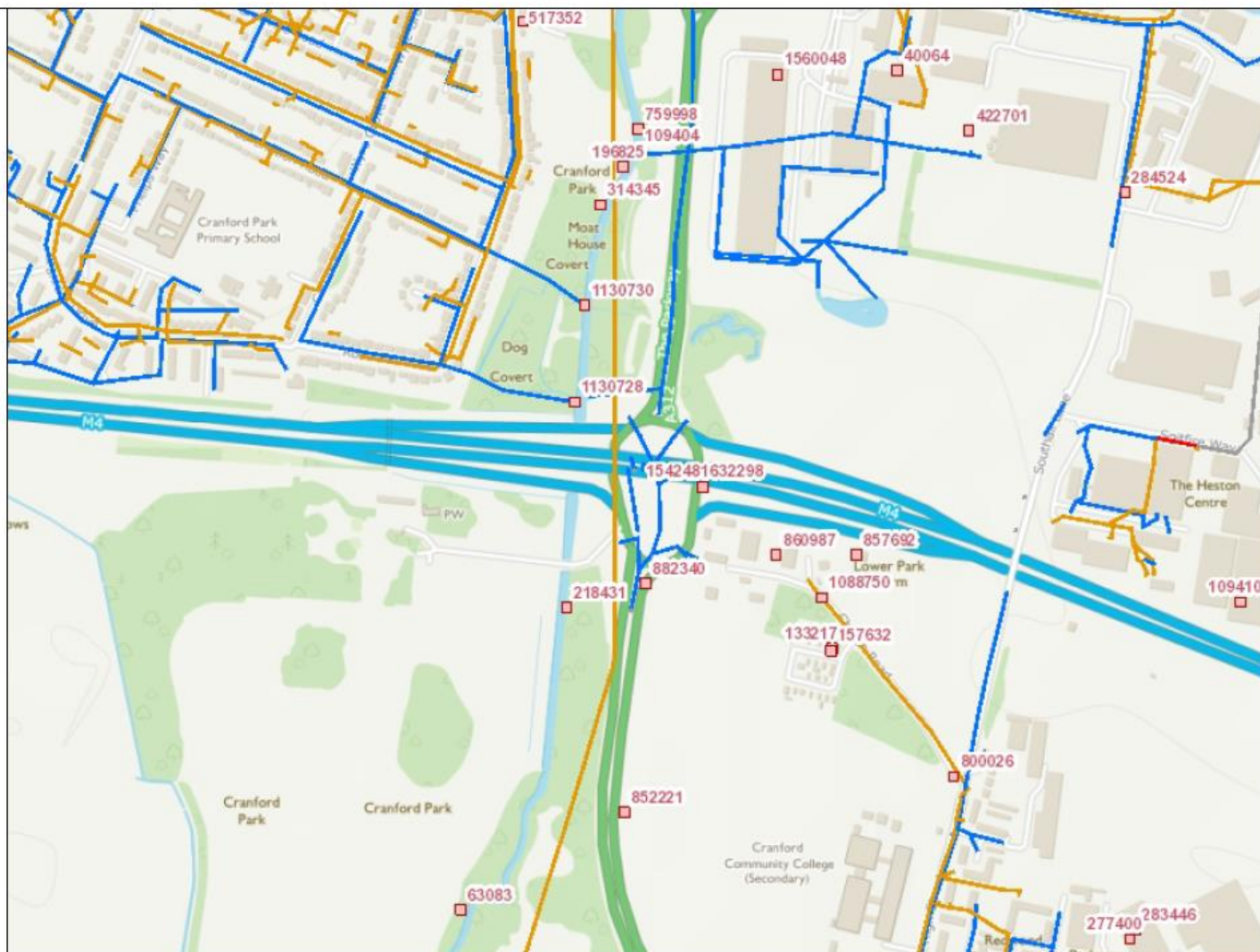
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Team: HNL Area (Read Only) User: Amanda MacLean

M4 Junction 3

Legend

- ◆ Open Pollution Incidents
- Closed Pollution Incidents
- Thames Water sewer network
 - Foul
 - Surface
 - Combined
 - Other/Not defined
- United Utilities sewer manholes
 - Foul
 - Surface Water
 - Combined
 - Other/Not defined
- ☒ Hostile Sites
- Live Flood Warnings (Points)
 - ▲ Severe Flood Warning
 - ▲ Flood Warning
 - ▲ Flood Alert
- Live Flood Warnings (Areas)
 - Severe Flood Warning
 - Flood Warning
 - Flood Alert
 - All Clear Given
 - Warning no longer in force



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Measurements

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	E	0076	Temperature of	26	14	CEL		N	U	U	U	U	U		N
	E	0077	Conductivity at 25	26	1374	uS/cm		N	U	U	U	U	U		N
	E	0085	BOD : 5 Day ATU	21	<2.75	mg/l		Y	U	U	U	U	U	ELEVATED M	N
	E	0111	Ammoniacal	21	6.35	mg/l		Y	U	U	U	U	U		N
	E	0116	Nitrogen, Total	21	1.05	mg/l		Y	U	U	U	U	U		N
	E	0119	Ammonia un-	25	0.0656	mg/l		U	U	U	U	U	U		N
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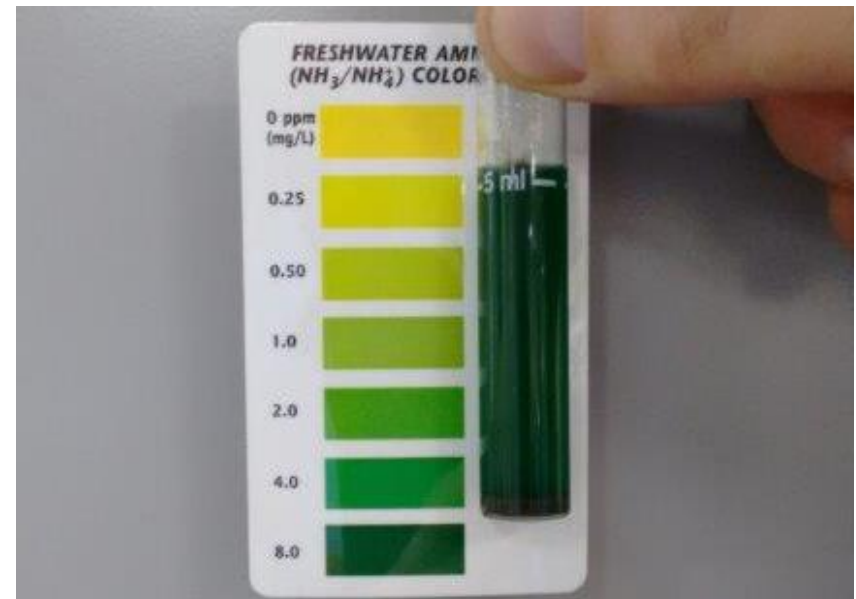
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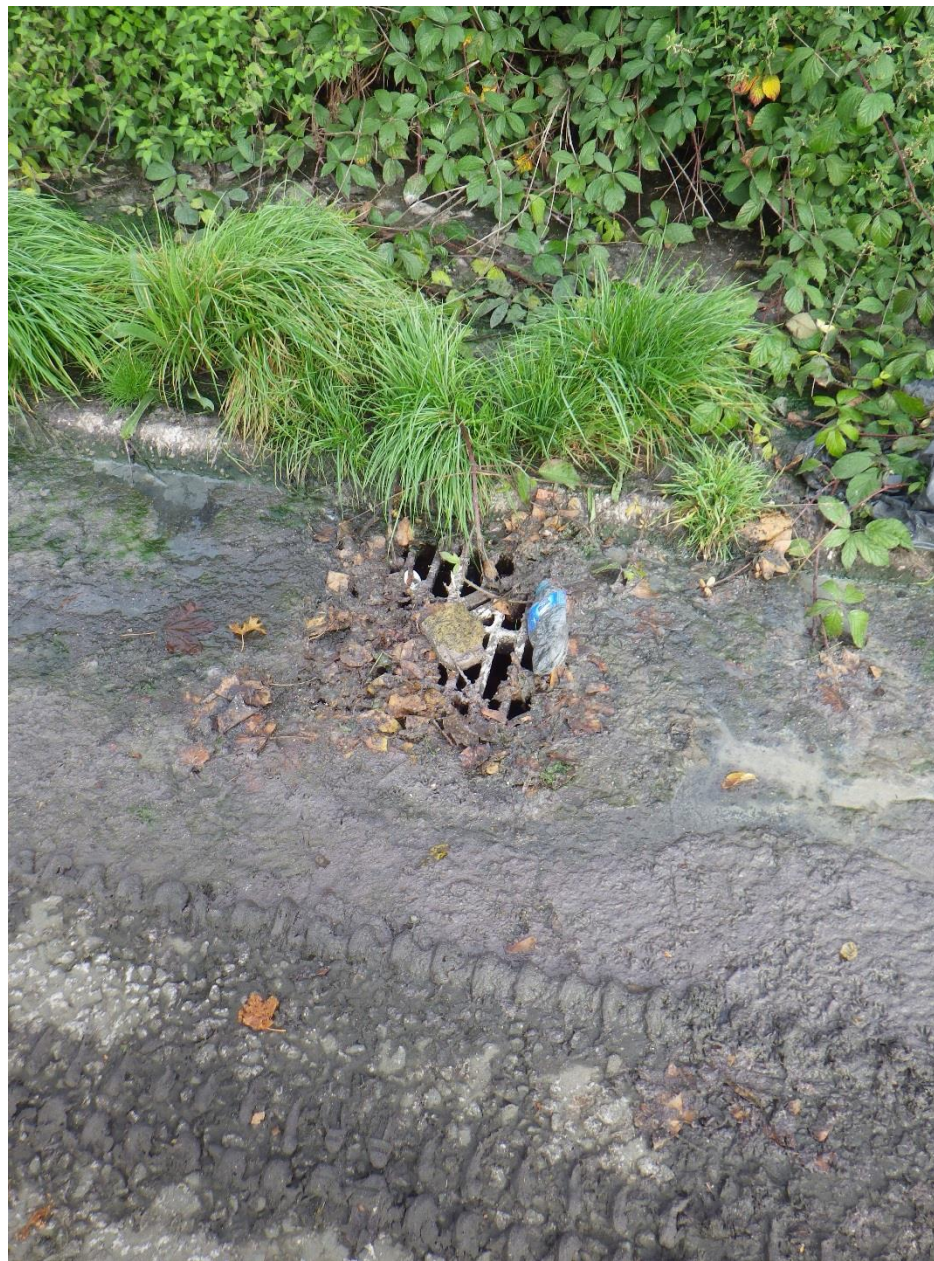
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Project Name: M4/J3 Cranford Park

EDF Topic(s): Flooding and Water Quality, Biodiversity, Cultural Heritage

Partners: Highways England, Hillingdon and Hounslow

Aims

The EA are working with Highways England (HE) to improve water quality, water attenuation and baseline flow at Cranford Park. Biodiversity will also be enhanced in the area by creating new habitat, providing fish refuge and providing an important nursery area for juvenile fish, thus improving fish populations and the WFD status of the reach of the river. This aligns with the Environment Designated Fund sections of Flooding and Water Quality, Biodiversity and Cultural Heritage, which addresses pollution from highway runoff through measures to attenuate and improve water quality and improving the biodiversity as well as the character and quality of the built and natural landscape.

REGULATIONS AND ENFORCEMENT

- THE HAZARDOUS WASTE (ENGLAND AND WALES) REGULATIONS 2005
- CONTROL OF POLLUTION (OIL STORAGE) (ENGLAND) REGULATIONS 2001 (OSR)
- ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT 1990
- ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (DUTY OF CARE) REGULATIONS 1991
- ENVIRONMENTAL PERMITTING (ENGLAND AND WALES) REGULATIONS 2016

ACTION: Please provide evidence that waste oil storage areas have been modified to comply with the Control of Pollution (Oil Storage) (England) Regulations 2001.

DEADLINE: 24 June 2016

PLEASE BE AWARE, FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THIS DEADLINE MAY RESULT IN ENFORCEMENT ACTION.

Public Interest Factors

- Intent
- Foreseeability
- Environmental Effect
- Financial Gain
- Previous History
- Attitude of Offender
- Personal Circumstances



National Incident Hotline

Freephone from landline or mobile:

0800 80 70 60

- Where is it?
- Is the water discoloured?
- Is there an odour?
- How big is the area affected?
- Have you seen any dead or distressed fish or other wildlife?



- What is the cause of the problem/where is the pollution entering the stream?
- Has this ever happened before?
- Do you have any pictures?
- Your contact details



November 2016

Yeading Brook & Roxbourne Stream River Improvements

Roxbourne Stream River

Newton Park West



Fig. 1 Naturalised Playing Landforms



Fig. 2 Formal Combined Path

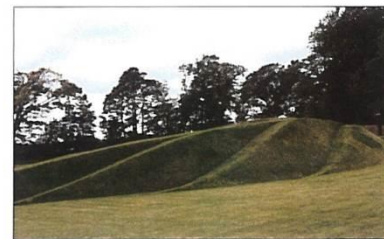


Fig. 3 Amenity Landforms



Fig. 6 Amenity Seating Bund



Fig. 4 Viewing Platform



Fig. 7 Entrance Obelisks



Fig. 6 Raised Informal Mown Path



Fig. 5 Naturalised Landforms

Design Legend

- Amenity Landform
- Naturalise Landform
- Naturalise Playing Landform
- Wetland Cell
- Formal Combined Path
- Informal Mown Path

Design Information

Wetland Cell 1	766m²
Wetland Cell 2	503m²
Wetland Cell 3	539m²
Wetland Cell 4	689m²
Total Area	~2500m²



Client
Harrow Council, London



Project
Newton Park River Restoration

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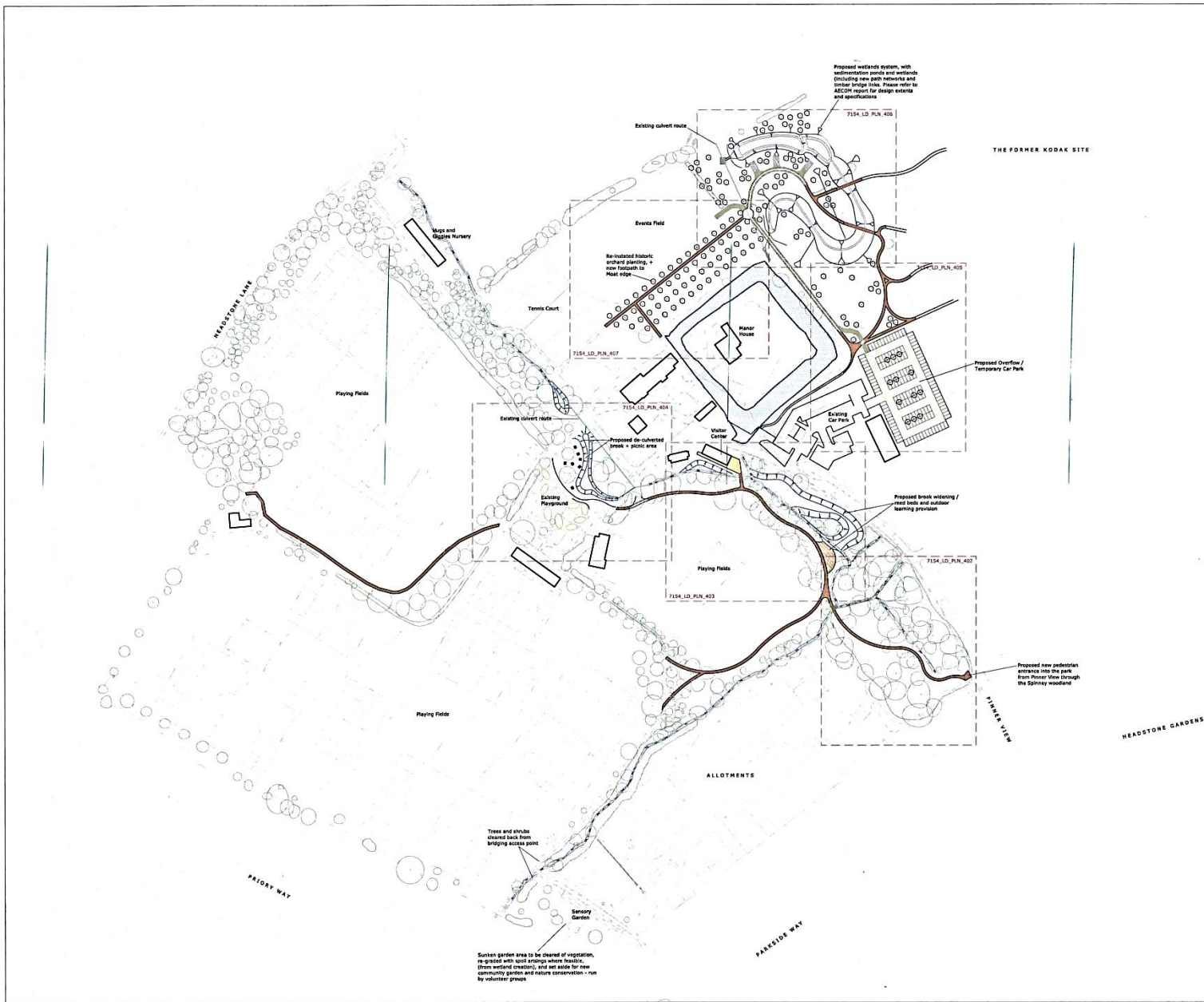


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Yeading Brook

Headstone Manor Park



NOTES:

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3. All dimensions are drawn in mm.
4. Landscape drawing only.
5. All materials/finishes used to be as specified or alternatives to be approved by landscape architect.

KEY:

- Detail Plans - Sheet Layouts (see also: 7154_ID_PLN_401-407)
- Existing Building
- Existing Tree/Hedge/Shrub Retained
- Proposed Tree Planting (stock varies: see detail plans for information)
- Proposed Native Shrub/Hedge Planting (exact extents: see detail plans for information)
- Proposed New Foot Paths + Trails (note: 7 foot paths: see hardworks + detail plans for information)
- Proposed Terrace Paving (exact extents: see detail plans for information)
- Proposed Outdoor Learning Space (exact extents: see detail plans for information)
- Proposed Vehicle Access Track (extents varies: see hardworks layout plan for information)
- Proposed Overflow Car Park (exact extents: see hardworks + detail plans for information)
- Proposed Picnic Area (exact extents: see hardworks + detail plans for information)
- Proposed New Natural Play Elements (exact extents: see detail layout plans for information)
- Proposed Wetland System / De-Culverting + Reed Beds (exact extents + types: see detail plans for information)

Sheet Notes:

Please read plan in conjunction with the below:

Tree Constraints Plan (incl. Arb. tree works + removals):
Please refer to drawings 1052_ID - 1053_ID + Survey Report (Dr S. Stephens), for site wide tree recommendations regarding tree removals and tree works to be carried out.

Tree Works (for design purposes) + Site Clearance:
Please refer to drawings 7154_ID_PLN_391-392

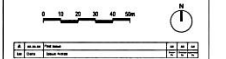
Proposed Hardworks Layout Plan:
Please refer to drawing 7154_ID_PLN_391

Relating Hardworks Installation Plan + Access Audit:
Please refer to drawing 7154_ID_PLN_392 + Access Audit Report

Detail Area Plans:
Please refer to drawings 7154_ID_PLN_401-407

Site Wide Sections:
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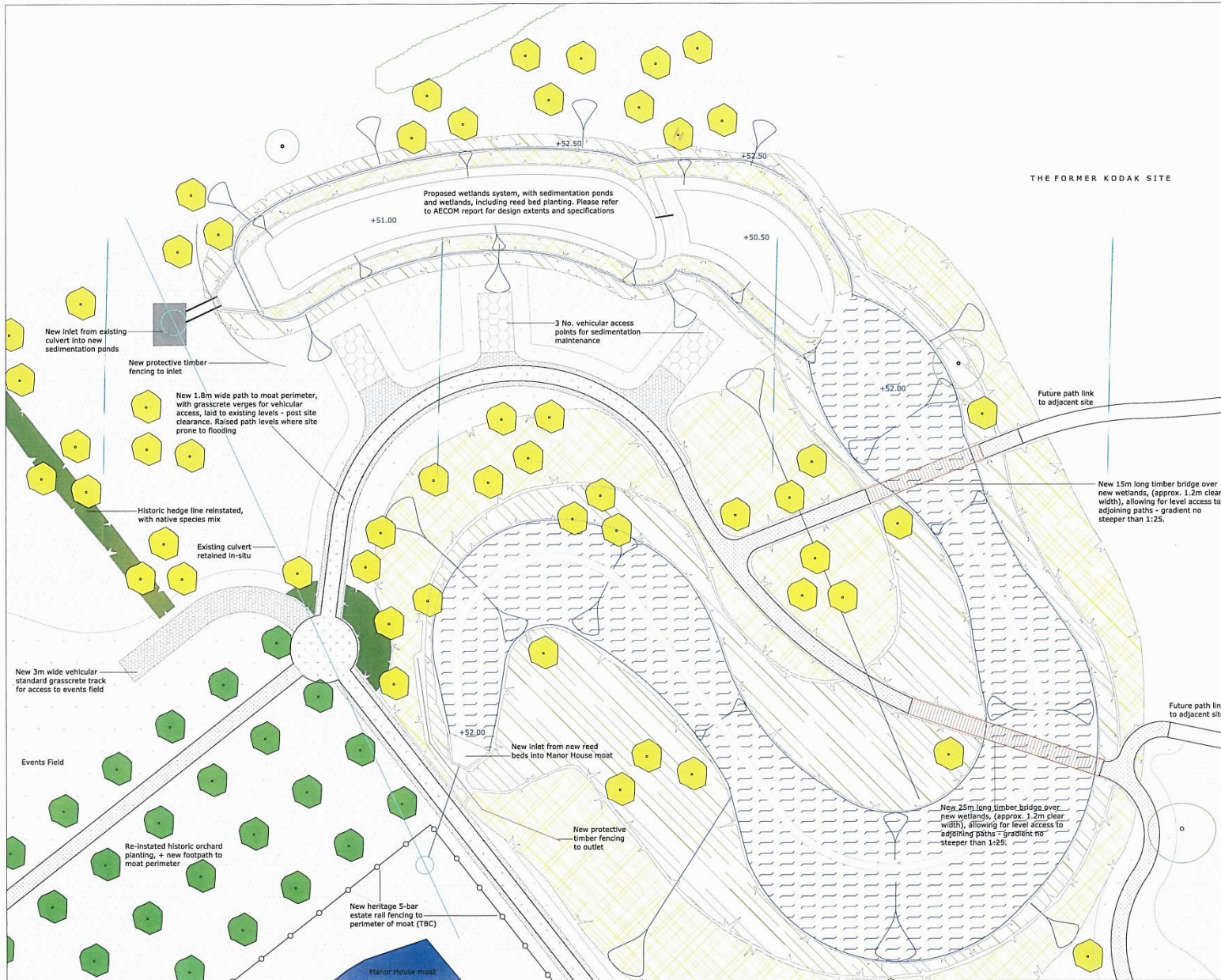
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KEY:

	Site boundary
	Existing building
	Proposed levels - wetlands (reference levels for new wetland system, as per AECOM design + remediation)
	Existing tree planting (existing shrub + woodland planting with isolated cutting back works, as required)
	Proposed tree planting - orchard (re-instated orchard planting - covered in wetlands)
	Proposed tree planting - wetlands (existing tree planting - Willow + Alder species)
	Proposed shrub/hedge planting (reinstated hedge boundary + park wide shrub planting)
	Existing grass (existing grass areas to be managed in long swarded grass as per the MFL)
	Parkland grass (existing grass areas to be managed in long swarded grass as per the MFL)
	Proposed reed beds - wetlands (planting to wetland system + sedimentation ponds - above 30 year storm level. Plug planting. See PLN 304)
	Proposed reed beds - wetlands (planting to wetland system + sedimentation ponds - up to 30 year storm level. Plug planting. See PLN 304)
	Proposed reed beds - wetlands (planting to wetland system + sedimentation ponds - at water level. Plug planting. See PLN 304)
	Existing water channels - moat (existing sections of the existing drains)
	Proposed water channels - wetlands (new sections of waterways + drain development along the existing drain. Created areas 1:2. See PLN 304)
	Existing culvert line - retained (existing culvert section to be retained for high water protection + flood alleviation)
	Proposed culvert connection - brook (new culvert-river culvert pipe to connect water channels into existing watercourse. See PLN 304)
	Proposed footpath - park wide (new 1.8m wide path through grass footpath with timber edging + 1m covered gravel at outlet. See PLN 303)
	Proposed footpath - vehicular (new 3m wide path through grass footpath with timber edging + 1m covered gravel at outlet. See PLN 303)
	Proposed vehicular road - wetlands (new 1.8m wide path through grass footpath with timber edging + 1m covered gravel at outlet. See PLN 303)
	Proposed foot bridge - park wide (new timber footbridge with stainless steel handrails, access 1.2m clear width. See PLN 303)
	Proposed estate railings - 1.2m + moat (proposed 1.2m estate railings with 1.2m high posts, with steel mesh to 1.2m high + 1.2m high access)
	Proposed protective fence - wetland (proposed stainless steel fence post + rail fence system - see general approach to layout + design sheet)

Sheet Notes:

Please read plan in conjunction with the below:

Tree Constraints Plan (incl. Ash tree works + removals):
Please refer to drawings 7154_LD_01-03 + 01-04 + Survey Report (by SJ Stephens), for site wide tree recommendations regarding tree removals and tree works to be carried out.

Tree Works (for design purposes) + Site Clearance:
Please refer to drawings 7154_LD_PLN_201-202.

Proposed Hardworks Layout Plan:
Please refer to drawing 7154_LD_PLN_302 + Access Audit Report.

Existing Hardworks Remediation Plan + Access Audit:
Please refer to drawings 7154_LD_PLN_302 + Access Audit Report.

Detail Area Plans:
Please refer to drawings 7154_LD_PLN_401-407.

Site Wide Sections:
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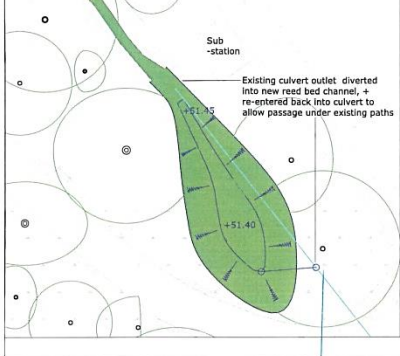
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Inset A - Existing Yeading Brook Culvert Inlet:



1 No. access gate, self-closing (to existing bow top fencing), to new picnic area

New culvert outlet diversion into new reed bed brook channel

Relocated bow top fencing to new playground alignment

New gravel path infill to amended playground perimeter

New section of brook opened up to create new reed beds for water filtration + flood attenuation, with graded banks profiled up to existing levels + planted. Arisings to be re-used on-site in localised bunding and earth profiling. Water re-directed at culvert inlet into new reed beds, (culvert pipe retained in-situ for flood overflow, with control mechanism to engineers detail). Existing services (e.g. BT + electrical conduits) to be redirected around new reed bed creation, subject to service provider permissions.

Please refer to Inset_A for existing culvert inlet

Granary

Existing culvert retained in-situ

New inlet connection from reed bed creation into existing culvert system. Existing culvert outlet to control flow through new mechanism (to engineers detail) to slow water down supplying water to new reed beds upstream

New reed bed outlet into existing culvert

New vehicular standard path area - allowing for access to Bessborough CC, no dig over RPA's + laid to existing levels

Notes:

1. Do not scale from this drawing.
2. All dimensions must be checked on site and any discrepancies verified with landscape architect.
3. All dimensions are drawn in mm.
4. Landscape drawing only.
5. All materials/items used to be as specified or alternatives to be approved by landscape architect.

KEY:

- Site boundary
- Existing building
- Existing tree planting
- Existing tree planting - mature trees to be retained as per the Landscape Management Plan (LMP)
- Proposed tree planting - park wide
- Proposed tree planting - mature trees to be retained as per the Landscape Management Plan (LMP)
- Proposed shrub/hedge planting
- Proposed shrub/hedge planting - mature trees to be retained as per the Landscape Management Plan (LMP)
- Existing grass
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- Parkland grass
- Parkland grass - mature trees to be retained as per the Landscape Management Plan (LMP)
- Proposed reed bed planting - brook
- Proposed reed bed planting - brook (existing along Yeading Brook - existing landscape + new reed bed creation. Prop. planting. See PLAN_304)
- Existing water channels - brook
- Existing water channels - brook (existing sections of the Yeading Brook)
- Proposed water channels - brook
- Proposed water channels - brook (new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)
- Existing culvert line - retained
- Existing culvert line - retained (existing + proposed culvert line to be retained for water flow)
- Proposed culvert connections - brook
- Proposed culvert connections - brook (new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)
- Proposed footpath - park wide
- Proposed footpath - park wide (new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)
- Proposed footpath - vehicular
- Proposed footpath - vehicular (new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)
- Proposed foot bridge - park wide
- Proposed foot bridge - park wide (new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)
- Proposed play bow top - relocated
- Proposed play bow top - relocated (existing + new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)
- Proposed Picnic Area
- Proposed Picnic Area (new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)
- Proposed Natural Play Elements
- Proposed Natural Play Elements (new sections of existing + new reed bed creation along the Yeading Brook. Graded banks 1:3. See PLAN_304)

Sheet Notes:

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- Tree Constraints Plan (incl. Ar. tree works + removals):** Please refer to drawings 7154_PLN_01-01 to 7154_PLN_01-02 (to 1:10 scale), for site wide tree recommendations regarding tree retention and tree works to be carried out.
 - Tree Works (for design purposes) + Site Clearance:** Please refer to drawings 7154_PLN_01-03 to 7154_PLN_01-04.
 - Proposed Hardworks Layout Plan:** Please refer to drawing 7154_PLN_01-05.
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 - Detail Area Plans:** Please refer to drawings 7154_PLN_01-07 to 7154_PLN_01-10.
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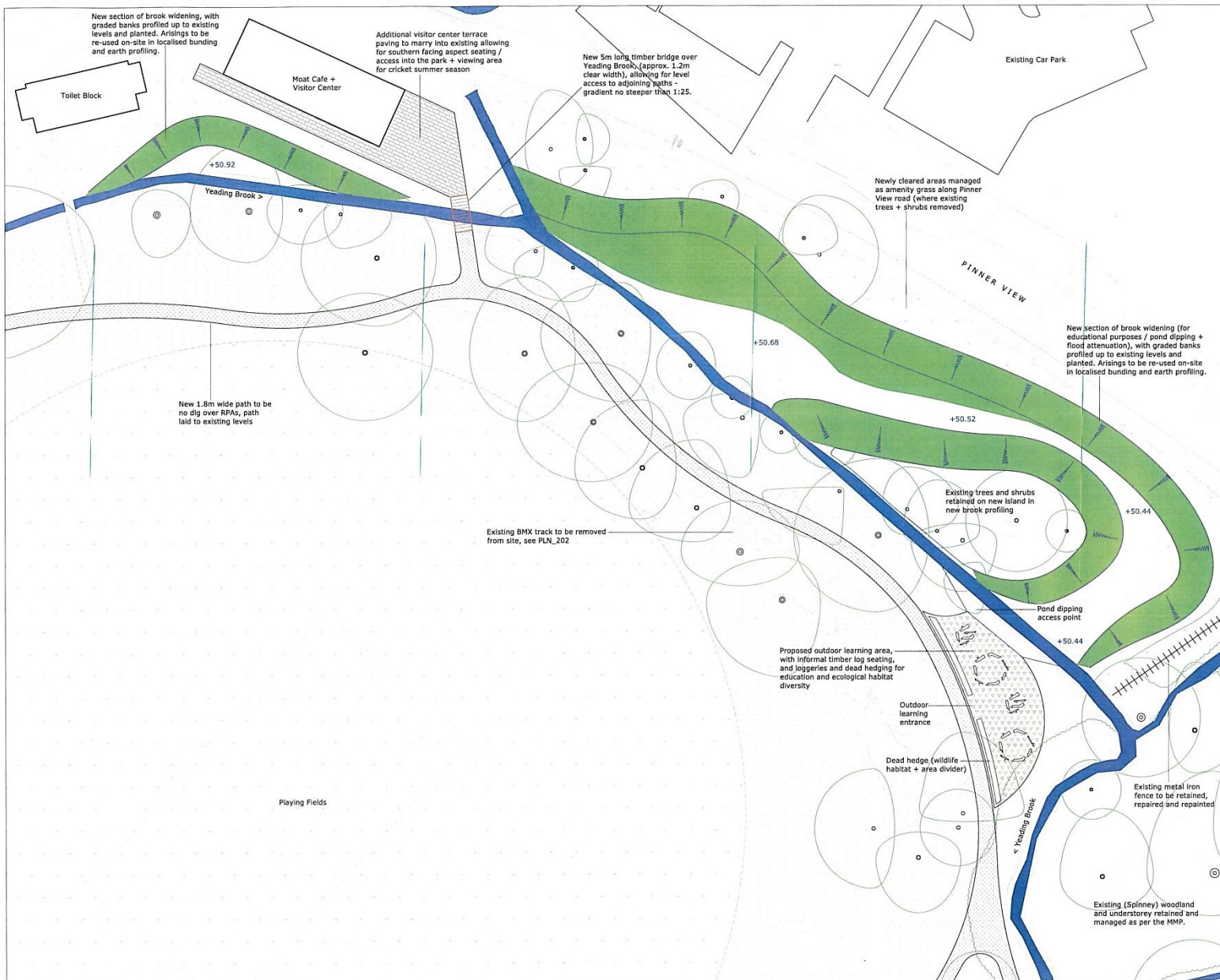
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Thames Water's Smarter Catchments Proposal

Yvette de Garis
Head of Environmental Regulation

Catchment based approach.

Local partnerships and delivery.

- Collaborative working on a river catchment scale.
- Cost effective delivery.
- Improvements to the environment.
- Targeted and integrated catchment interventions.



Engage

Use Data

Deliver

Monitor



Defra pioneer projects.

- 4 pioneer projects designed to support the Government's 25 Year Environment Plan
- Landscape, urban, catchment and marine pioneer areas
- Urban pilot in Greater Manchester
- Questionable read across to the London challenges?

“Together there's lots of things we can do. Working with stakeholders across the city region to make sure people here have clean air to breath, quality green spaces to enjoy and also places where they can get out of their cars and onto their bikes”.

Andy Burnham – Mayor of Greater Manchester



Our challenge.

**Upgrades
£100s
millions**

**Tighter
treatment
standards**

**Increase in
customer
bills**

**Record
growth**

**Extreme
weather
patterns**

**Increased
expenditure
in damages**



'Smarter' Water Catchments.



What are the key elements of Smarter Catchments?

Managing land and surface / ground water as a system.....

Catchment based

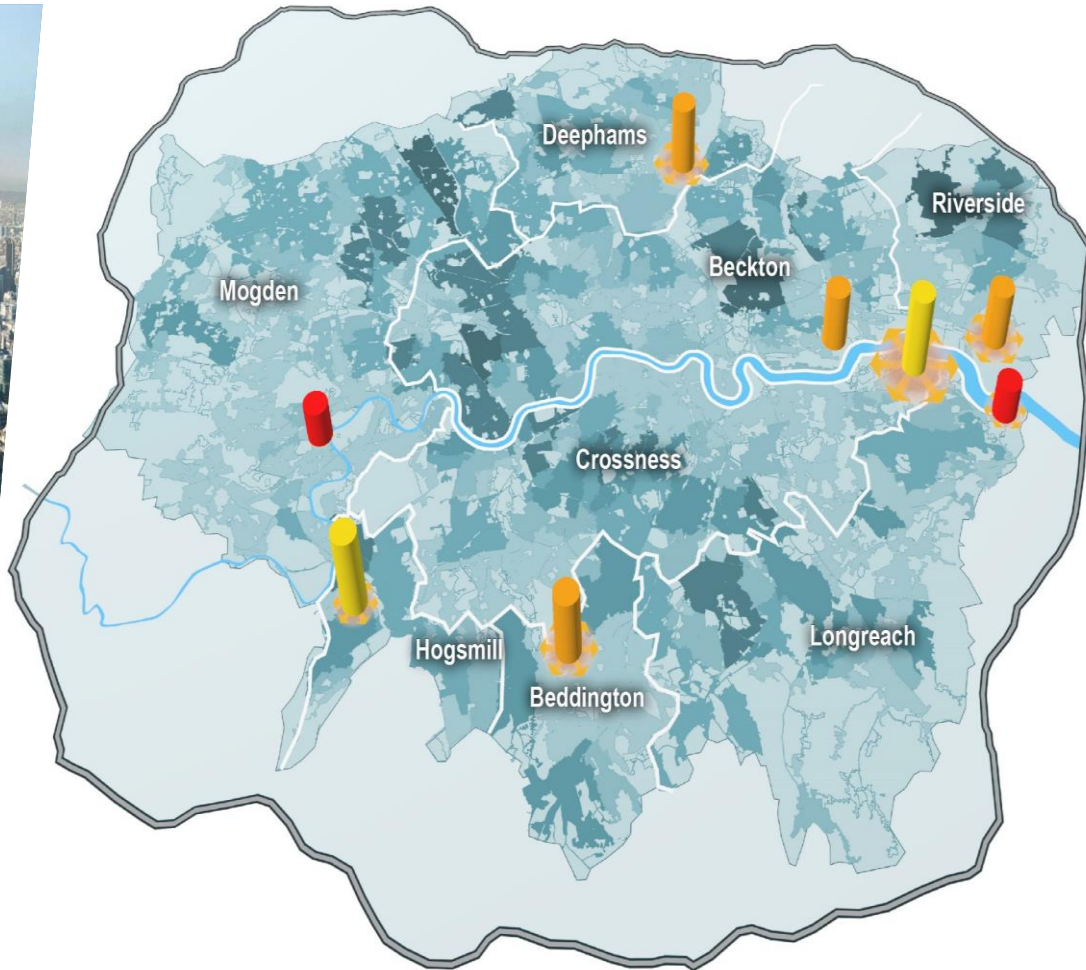
Multi-stakeholder approach

Engaging our customers

Delivering wider societal benefits



The London challenge.



London is growing. FAST.

From 8.6 million people today, we expect that by 2036 our five largest catchments will need to transport and treat the waste of 10.8 million people.

By 2100 that number is forecast to grow to 15 million.

We have to serve these customers and deal with issues such as climate change, ageing infrastructure, new regulations, changing markets.



Mogden sewage treatment works - 1945



1945



Mogden sewage treatment works - 1999



1999



Mogden STW 2017



West London catchment management pilot.

Understand the issues.

Flooding

Population growth

Modified channels

Pollution

Invasive species

Water resources

Meet with key external stakeholders.



Thames Rivers Trust
Restoring the Thames and its tributaries for people and wildlife

ZSL
LET'S WORK
FOR WILDLIFE



Environment
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Berkshire
Buckinghamshire
Oxfordshire



**LOCAL
COMMUNITY**



**London Borough
of Hounslow**

What might solutions look like?

Option	Notes
Local catchment partnership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussing with LCP how we could work together
Catchment modelling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sophisticated map and model key for wider work • Repository for citizen science data; potential as engagement tool
Misconnections; outfall restoration; foul network issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Surface water in combined networks significantly increasing flow to works • Estimated 25% SWOs polluted • Opportunities for new foul network and recommissioning of old SWOs
SuDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significant element of AMP7 plan
Domestic drainage schemes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • E.g. water butts; attenuators; planters • SuDS in schools
Citizen science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seek to extend successful existing programme • Training and quality assurance key
Education and engagement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programme targeting 60 schools within catchment

Our proposed pilots.



Urban
catchment
management
- Crane



Rural
catchment
management
- Chess

Rural
catchment
management
- Evenlode



Water
resources
and flood
management

Education,
engagement
and
behaviour
change



Developing
environmental
resilience



Progress to date.

Establish pilots within current business period ready to start delivering projects and work on the ground in AMP7.

Identified key partners for each pilot and held initial discussions to gauge support.

All potential partners are supportive but different which will demand adaptive ways of work and governance arrangements – one size does not fit all!

Crane catchment

How can we work with you to integrate our Smarter catchments proposal into your vision for the catchment?



Thank you



Riverfly Plus

Steve Brooks



RiverflyPlus

What is it and why do it?

- Optional add-ons to the basic ARMI monitoring
- Limitations of ARMI
 - few taxa not always best-suited for some rivers
- Record other important parameters affecting river quality
- Learn new skills
- Get to know more about your river










Extended riverfly monitoring





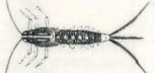




Detects effects of low flow, siltation, nutrients, impacts on urban rivers








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-ve score

26 target groups

Flatworms (Turbellaria)	
Planariidae (<i>Polycelis</i> sp.) Up to 15 mm.	Multiple black eyes all around the front of the head. Black or brown body. 
Dugesiiidae Up to 25 mm.	Two eyes with pale circles around them, brown body. 
Dendrocoelidae Up to 30 mm.	Bright, white body. Two small black eyes on the front edge of the head. 
Segmented worms (Leeches & true worms)	
Erpobdellidae (leech) Usually 30 to 40 mm, but can reach 100 mm.	Sucker at either end. 8 eyes in 2 chevrons, dark brown body. 
Glossiphoniidae (leech) Usually 15 – 20 mm, but can reach 25 mm.	Suckers, 2, 6 or 8 eyes in parallel lines, normally pale brown body. 
Oligochaeta (true worm) Range from 1.5 mm up to 50 mm +. Usually around 10mm.	Looks like an earthworm. Can be tiny. 
Molluscs	
Planorbidae (ramshorn snails) Range from 3 mm to 30 mm in breadth.	Curled-up like a ram's horn. 
Lymnaeidae (pond snails) Usually 15 – 20 mm in height, but can reach 60 mm.	Aperture on the right (dextral). 
Hydrobiidae/Bithyniidae ('trapdoor' snails) Range from 5 mm (Hydrobiidae) to 15 mm (Bithyniidae) in height.	Hard, bony plate which seals up the shell. 
Sphaeriidae (orb & pea mussels) Range from < 2 mm up to 22 mm, but commonest species is typically around 10 mm in width.	Small to tiny bivalves. Usually shades of pale brown. 

CRUSTACEANS	
Gammaridae/Crangonyctidae (freshwater shrimps) Up to 20 mm.	Look like shrimps! 
Asellidae (water hog lice) Up to 15 mm.	Aquatic woodlice. 
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INSECTS	
Mayflies (Ephemeroptera)	
Ephemeridae (Green Drake/Drake Mackerel Mayfly) Up to 30 mm.	Large, pale brown nymphs with triangles on the abdomen and feathery gills. 
Ephemerellidae (Blue-winged olive) Up to 12 mm.	Stripy body, legs & tails. Spines on top of abdomen. 
Baetidae Up to 15 mm.	Plate-like gills on the sides of the abdomen. Grey-brown colour. 
Caenidae (Anglers' Curse) Up to 9 mm.	Small, robust nymphs, with TWO FLAT PLATES COVERING THE GILLS AT THE BASE OF THE ABDOMEN. 
-ve	
Stoneflies (Plecoptera) WHOLE ORDER Range from 5 mm to 16 mm.	Two spiny tails. Heads like earwigs. 
True bugs (Heteroptera)	
Corixidae (lesser water boatman) Range from 2 mm to 14 mm. Typically around 7 mm.	'Paddles', brownish body with yellow stripes. SWIM THE RIGHT WAY UP. 
-ve	
Notonectidae (greater water boatman) Typically around 15 mm.	'Paddles', orange & black body, big eyes, SWIM UPSIDE DOWN. 
-ve	

Lacewings (Megaloptera)	
Sialidae (alder flies) Typically around 15 to 20 mm.	Spiny gills down the side of the abdomen and a single spine for a tail. Gnashy jaws. 
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Caddisflies (Trichoptera): caseless	
Hydropsychidae Range from around 10 mm to 20 mm.	Greyish body WITH WHITISH GILLS UNDER ABDOMEN. 
Rhyacophilidae Typically 20 to 25 mm.	Green body WITH RED GILLS DOWN THE SIDES OF THE ABDOMEN AND THORAX. 
Caddisflies (Trichoptera): cased	
Goeridae Up to around 10 mm.	Smallest larvae WITH BIG BALLAST STONES ON THE CASE. 
Sericostomatidae Typically 15 to 20 mm.	Case a very neat tube of fine sand grains. 
Molannidae Up to 30 mm.	Case kite-shaped, with flanges around the tube. 
-ve	
True/two-winged flies (Diptera)	
Simuliidae (Blackflies) Up to 8 mm.	Shaped like a dumb-bell, with feathery mouthparts. 

RIIM

River Invertebrate Identification & Monitoring

Species bench mark for your river
Species-level identification
Bespoke species identification
manual based on EA list for your
river

RIIM courses are being run at:

The John Spedan Lewis Trust's Field Centre at
Leckford Hampshire

Contact:

Warren Gilchrist - gilchrist@our-home.me.uk



Caddisflies	Spring	Autumn
<i>Silo nigricornis</i>	15	0
<i>Goera pilosa</i>	4	4
<i>Agapetus fuscipes</i>	13	2
<i>Lepidostoma hirtum</i>	402	0
<i>Potamophylax</i>	1	0
<i>Drusus annulatus</i>	7	2
<i>Chaetopteryx villosa</i>	11	0
<i>Anabolia nervosa</i>	1	1
<i>Halesus radiatus</i>	0	1
<i>Molanna angustata</i>	0	1
<i>Sericostoma personatum</i>	97	24
<i>Athripsodes</i>	14	0
<i>Mystacides</i>	0	25
<i>Hydroptila</i>	7	3
<i>Hydropsyche pellucidula</i>	9	49
<i>Hydropsyche siltalai</i>	10	0
<i>Rhyacophila dorsalis</i>	4	0
<i>Polycentropus flavomaculatus</i>	0	4

Damselfly	Spring	Autumn
<i>Calopteryx splendens</i>	1	0

Beetles & Bugs	Spring	Autumn
<i>Elmis aenea</i>	207	260
<i>Limnius volckmari</i>	52	76
<i>Dytiscidae</i>	0	7
<i>Gyrinus</i>	3	0
<i>Halplidae</i>	0	1
<i>Corixa</i>	1	0

Crustaceans	Spring	Autumn
<i>Gammarus pulex</i>	1328	590
<i>Asellus aquaticus</i>	14	5

Leeches	Spring	Autumn
<i>Glossiphonia complanata</i>	0	13

Mayflies	Spring	Autumn
<i>Ephemera danica</i>	77	67
<i>Serratella ignita</i>	7	181
<i>Baetis</i>	361	449
<i>Baetis scambus</i>	0	21
<i>Heptagenia sulphurea</i>	37	3
<i>Caenis rivulorum</i>	354	0
<i>Caenis luctuosa</i>	1	0
<i>Paraleptophlebia submarginata</i>	1	0

Stoneflies	Spring	Autumn
<i>Leuctra hippopus</i>	11	43
<i>Leuctra geniculata</i>	0	16

Molluscs	Spring	Autumn
<i>Theodoxus fluviatilis</i>	4	6
<i>Bithynia tentaculata</i>	14	2
<i>Valvata piscinalis</i>	0	2
<i>Physa fontinalis</i>	3	1
<i>Potamopyrgus antipodarium</i>	0	30
<i>Lymnaea pereger</i>	0	3
<i>Planorbis</i>	23	7
<i>Pisidium</i>	16	20
<i>Ancylus fluviatilis</i>	10	25

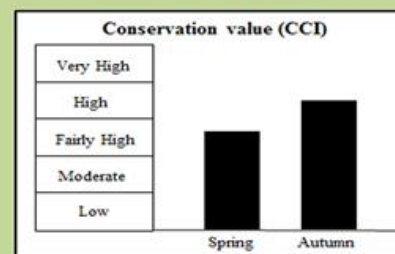
True Flies	Spring	Autumn
<i>Chironomidae</i>	41	371
<i>Dicranota</i>	1	1
<i>Simulium ornatum</i>	34	7
<i>Tipula</i>	1	0

Alderfly	Spring	Autumn
<i>Sialis lutaria</i>	0	1

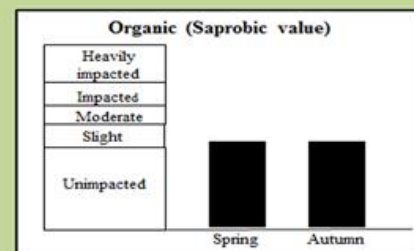
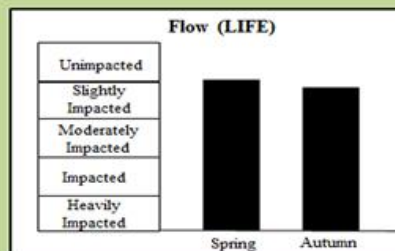
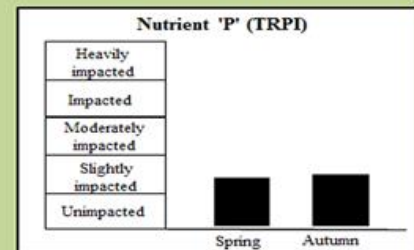
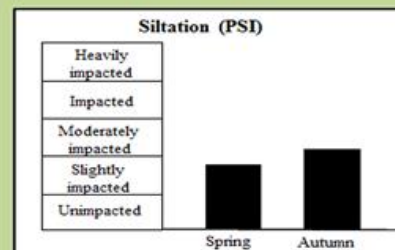
Worms	Spring	Autumn
<i>Oligochaeta</i>	25	0



River Avon - Allenby Bridge
2015



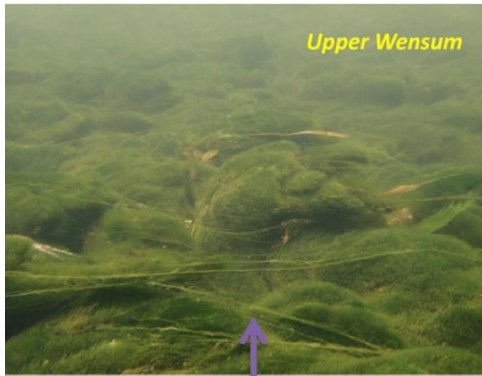
	Spring	Autumn
BMWP	196	195
WHPT	204	202
ASPT (WHPT)	6.4	6.1
Riverflies - EPT(s)	22	18
CCI	13.25	17.50
LIFE	8.11	7.72
PSI	64.63	56.58
TRPI	73.53	71.43
Saprobic	1.88	1.88



Water chemistry

Earthwatch, Freshwater Watch programme

Nitrates from vehicles and farm run-off and phosphates from domestic sources cause nutrient-enrichment of rivers with impacts on fisheries and invertebrates



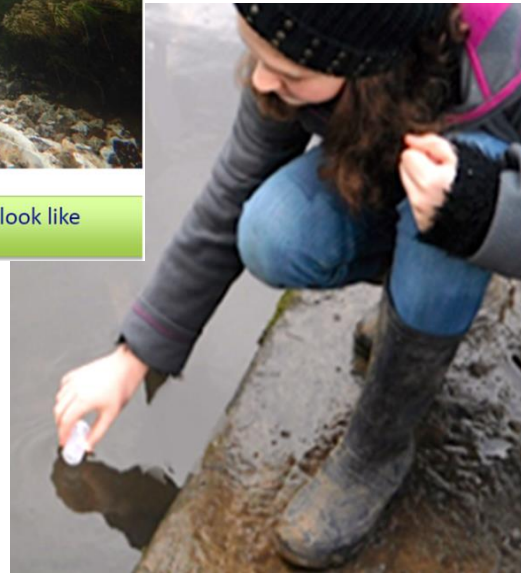
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Upper Test

What we're used to

What a chalkstream should look like



<https://freshwaterwatch.thewaterhub.org/>

Hydromorphology

MorpH – modular river survey

Baseline data

Changes following
river restoration

Comparisons with
ARMI scores



<http://www.modularriversurvey.org>

Monitoring ecosystem functioning and river restoration



Liangliang
Zhang



Colonisation traps designed by
Dr Murray Thompson

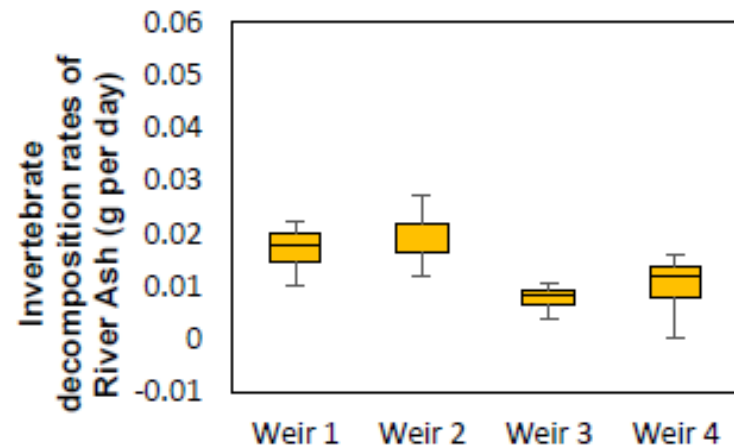
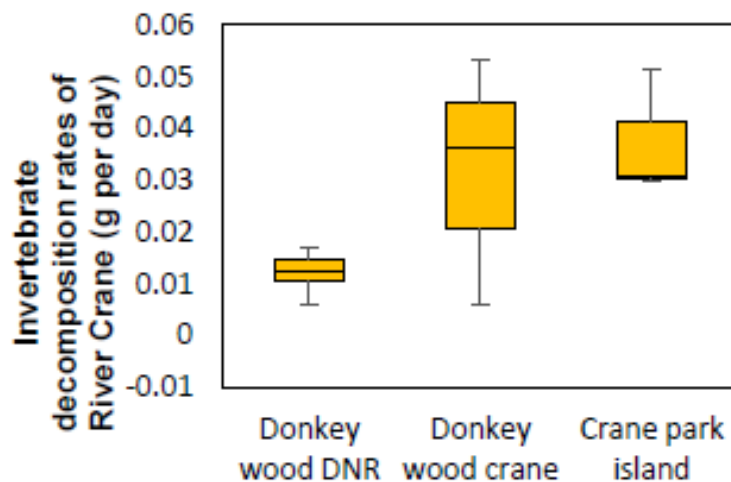
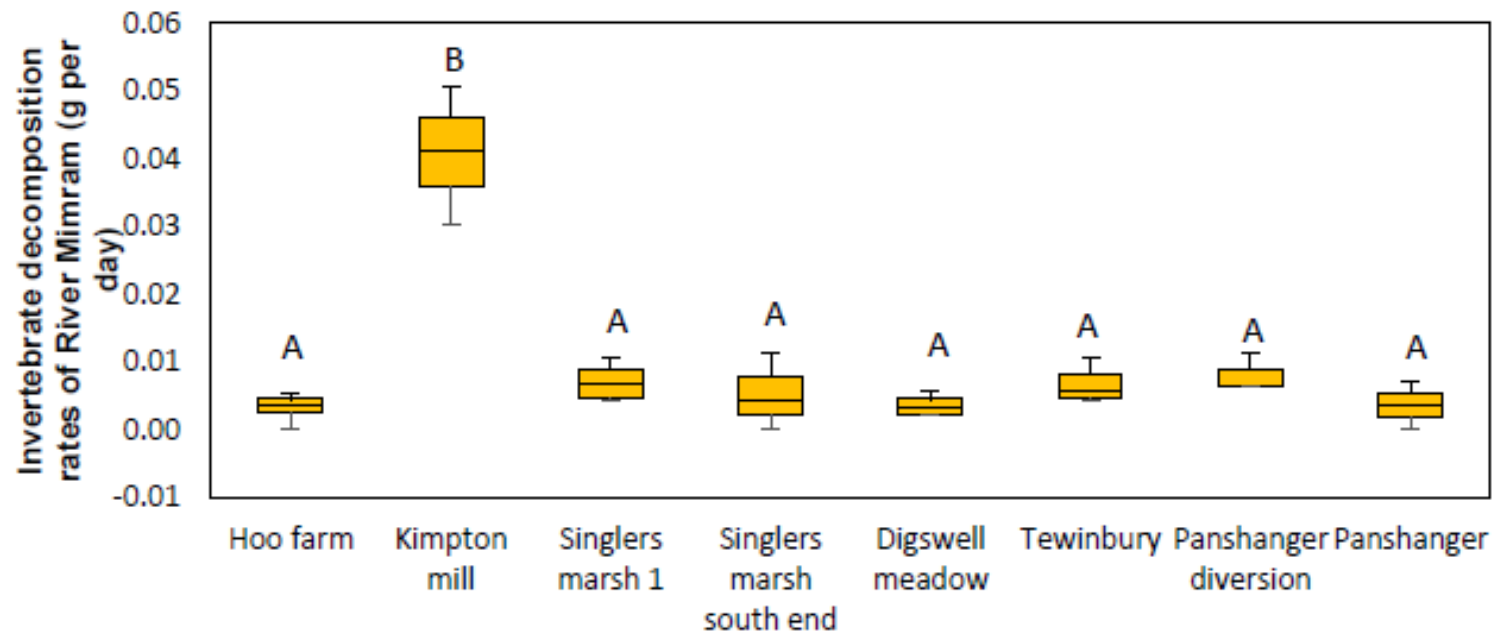


Traps in position at Kimpton Mill,
River Mimram, Herts

Paper exposed to invertebrate decomposition
after two weeks in R. Mimram, May 2017



Invertebrate decomposition rates



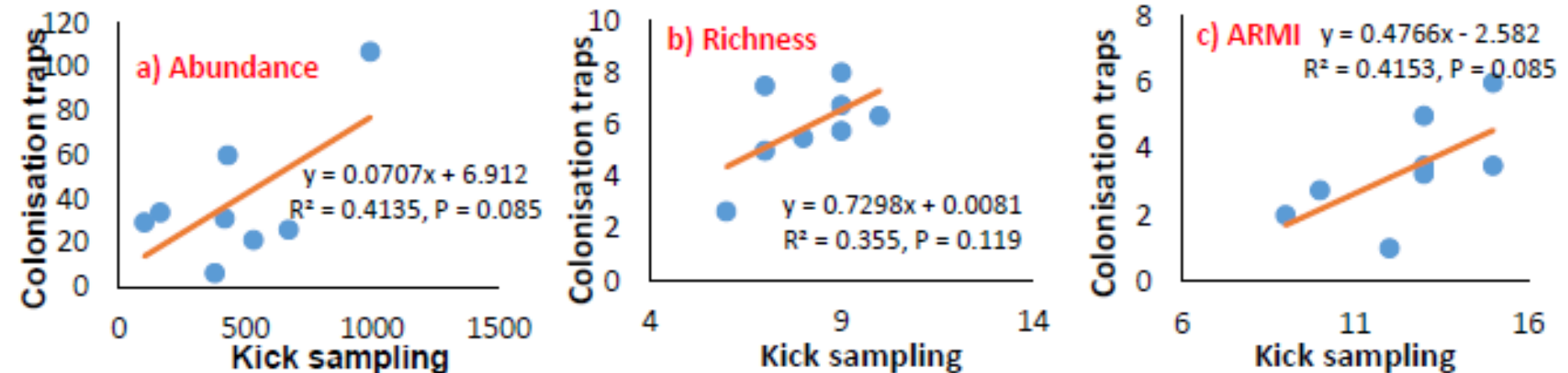
Weirs to be removed Autumn 2017

Invertebrate decomposition rates significantly correlated with

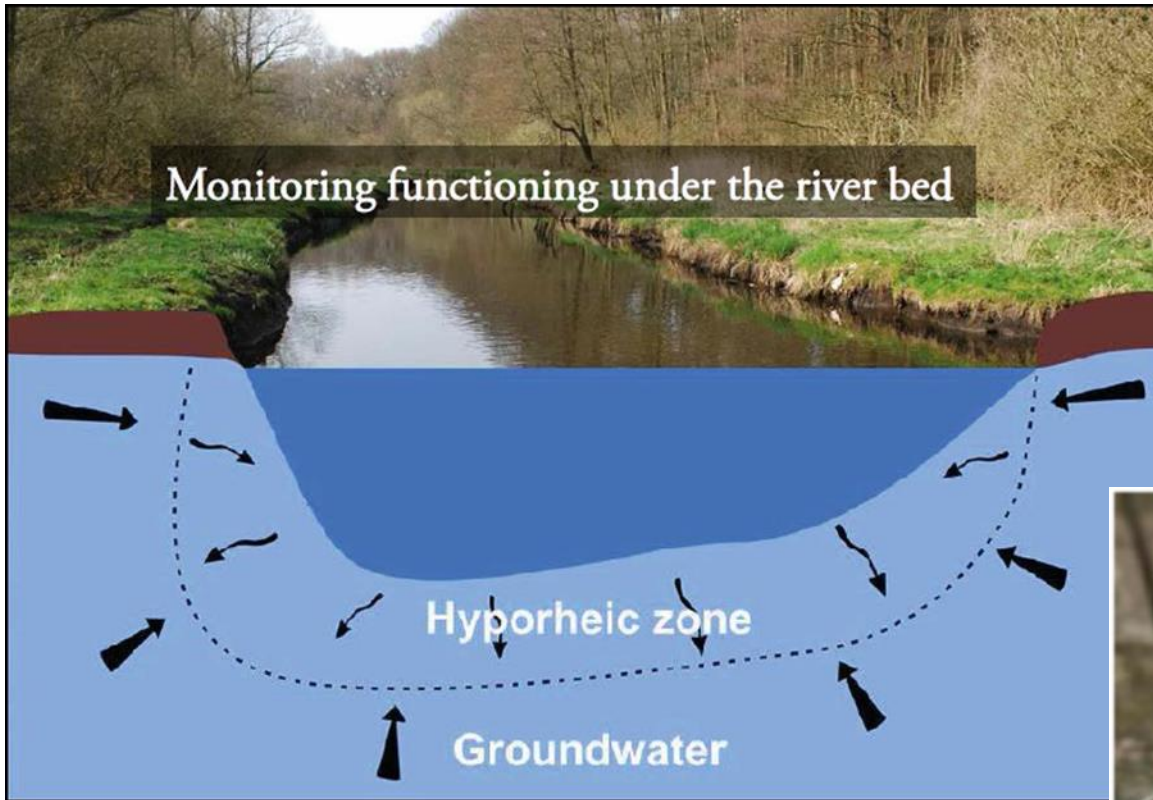
Abundance of shredders (e.g. *Gammarus*, molluscs)

Physical habitat complexity of channel and riparian vegetation
(MorpH data)

Invertebrate data from traps correlated with kick sample results



Scratching below the surface



Uses teabags to measure decomposition rates below the river bed

Little known on how function affected by environmental variables

Anne Robertson Roehampton University

Pilots on R. Wey and R. Eden



Invasive species



Impacts on fisheries,
invertebrates, bankside
habitats and channel
morphology

***Gammarus* orange spot**

Caused by a fish parasite (the spiny-headed worm *Pomphorynchus*) which uses *Gammarus* as an intermediate host.

Up to 25 cm long, potential pathogen

Data needed to assess status of parasite in UK

Send samples to:
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Environment Agency,
National Fisheries Lab
Bromholme Lane
Brampton,
Cambridgeshire
PE28 4NE



Details of all RiverflyPlus projects
mentioned here available on Riverfly
Partnership website www.riverflies.org