**Appendix 1 – Recommendations Update**

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| **Environment** | **Complete/Ongoing** |
| Worked with the Oxford Rivers project to achieve Designated Bathing Water Status for Wolvercote Mill Stream | Complete |
| Partnership work to establish testing and provide updates to the public on water quality | Ongoing |
| Working with the Environment Agency to create an engagement piece on water quality (what goes down drains, toilets, sinks) | Ongoing |
| Working with the Environment Agency to amend the fish pass installation at Tumbling Bay | Ongoing |
| Work to identify biodiversity opportunities along the waterways, and in turn volunteering opportunities for local community groups  | Ongoing |
| Working with Air Quality Officer on a wood burning campaign | Ongoing |
| Integrated into the Wild Oxford Partnership, reviewing opportunities for north-south wildlife corridors along the waterways | Ongoing |
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| **Active Communities** |  |
| Produce and install information of the Wild Water Code across sites that we know is popular for wild swimming | Complete  |
| Comms engagement campaign around the wild water code and wild swimming | Ongoing |
| Installation of the ‘Oxford Waterways Loop’, a walking/cycling route to take users on a circuit from the city centre, around port meadow and back down Thames Path | Ongoing |
| Design and install new interpretation signage for Port Meadow, covering main entrance points  | Ongoing |
| Ongoing volunteering opportunities | Ongoing |
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| **Infrastructure/Health and Safety** |  |
| Feasibility to improve health and safety for the future of former bathing areas that are in poor structural condition, including Tumbling Bay and Long Bridges  | Ongoing |
| Commissioned re-profiling works for former bathing areas including Wolvercote Bathing Place and Sunnymead Bathing Place | Ongoing |
| Working to undertake an asset risk register for all city council owned infrastructure along the waterways; ownership data is currently fragmented and informally documented, and requires a centralised database | Ongoing |
| Capture asset data into a GIS database to give planners and other services more detail on areas for investment  | Ongoing |
| Working to undertake a structural condition survey of all city council owned infrastructure along the waterways; this is currently segmented and informally documented | Ongoing |
| Installed capping at Fiddlers Island, where people were at risk of hurting themselves from hidden sharp objects under the water | Complete |
| Installation of flood gates on Fiddlers Island, to close off access to this path in the event of flooding to protect the public from the risk of flood water | Complete  |
| Working to revitalise the port meadow boardwalk | Ongoing |
| Priority to restart the Oxford Water Safety Group post-covid, a group of key agencies involved in accident and drowning prevention | Ongoing |
| Work with partners and agencies to ensure towpaths remain clean and in good condition | Ongoing |
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| **Moorings** |  |
| Work with internal and external partners to monitor and remove derelict and sunken moorings | Ongoing |
| Work with Green Space Field Officers to manage OCC’s visitor moorings | Ongoing |
| Have worked with Collaborative Housing and Housing services on review of community owned moorings report | Complete |
| Supporting efforts to address illegal moorings on Castle Mill Stream, and exploring future options for this site | Ongoing |
| Investigate potential for new moorings introduced to the city’s waterways  | Ongoing |
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| **City Centre Regeneration** |  |
| Working with Canal and Rivers Trust on a vision document for the Oxford Canal, focusing from Hythe Bridge Street entrance to the Isis Lock | Ongoing  |
| Exploring with CRT installation of electric charging points along the Oxford Canal | Ongoing |