

Appendix A

Draft Cabinet response to recommendations of the Scrutiny Committee

The document sets out the draft response of the Cabinet Member to recommendations made by the Scrutiny Committee on 08 June 2022 concerning the Oxford Waterways Project. The Cabinet is asked to amend and agree a formal response as appropriate.

| <i>Recommendation</i> | <i>Comment</i> |
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| 1) That the Council works with the university, colleges and adjacent landowners to encourage them to contribute to the Oxford Waterways Project, both in terms of financial and strategic contributions (e.g. considering how to utilise growth funding). | |
| 2) That the Council produces communications for Councillors and residents setting out the timeline for repairs to Waterways infrastructure. | |
| 3) That the Council uses appropriate data which it is already collecting to lobby the Government to ensure it is holding water regulators to account on matters of water quality. | |
| 4) That the Council ensures the work of the Oxford Waterways Project is aligned with other work related to wildlife and wetland. | |

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