

Appendix A
Draft Cabinet response to recommendations of
the Climate and Environment Panel of the Scrutiny Committee

The document sets out the draft response of the Cabinet Member to recommendations made by the Climate and Environment Panel on 20 November 2024 concerning the Eco-moorings Update. The Cabinet is asked to amend and agree a formal response as appropriate.

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<i>Recommendation</i>	<i>Agree?</i>	<i>Comment</i>
<p>1) That the Council communicates with local residents and the boating community by distributing letters outlining the planned developments and work associated with the installation of eco-moorings at Aristotle Lane, including details of the temporary towpath closure; and to ensure relevant Members are kept informed and updated on this work.</p>	<p>In part</p>	<p>The City Council will prepare a press release, so that Oxford City residents are aware of the works associated with the installation of the eco-moorings and details of the temporary towpath closure. Website content is also being developed to provide relevant information about the project and should go live before the installation works. Ward members will also likely engage with local residents about the moorings.</p> <p>Street notices informing local people about the project are part of the normal process of submitting a TTRO (Temporary Traffic Regulation Order). At the moment signage is also being developed by the C&RT (with direct input from the City) with information about the project, the duration of the installation works and alternative pedestrian routes will be highlighted, whilst the towpath is closed. These will be displayed along the canal path a few weeks before the initiation of the installation works.</p>

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