

Nature Map workshop on Development and Advocacy Plan

Nature Map and Strategies/Plans

Issue	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WFD • LAA/MAAs • IRS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advocacy with a key stakeholder e.g. RDA • Develop clear messages for stakeholders.

NM Advocacy Tools

Issue	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic lack of understanding of NM and its why its needed • NM not acknowledged 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Publish leaflet • NM logo? • Case studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HLS ○ PLN? Etc • NM in LDFs – Glcs example • Updated local advocates have all relevant information • Training programme for advocates (1 day) • Website with info • Community of practice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Newsgroup/blog/forum ○ FAQs • Show casing NM on the ground <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ To be done by local advocates ○ Branded events • Council packs • Press – NFU/CLA magazine/LGA • Set out stakeholder messages and stakeholder plan • Internal advocacy

NM and monitoring

Issue	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We do not know what we are delivering • How/what funds are attracted due to NM • BARS does not work? • Baseline needed on SNAs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitor % of SNAs under AES • Monitor number of 'projects' in each SNA • Reference to NM in LDF policies • Implement regional monitoring project • Monitor BAP habitats creation inside and outside SNAs • Develop regional guidance on using BARS more effectively • Update NBN through LRCs

NM and Climate change

Issue	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are regional habitats and species priorities correct? • Connectivity mapping needed • IS NM an answer to adapting to climate change? How do we deliver the message? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gloucs looking at connectivity and SNAs • Technical Working Group to consider • Build consideration of connectivity into SNA profiles • Relate NM to Hopkins Principles • ID vulnerable habitats to climate change and then ID representative SNAs – priorities • Habitat focused seminars

NM and Profile/Visioning/Driving Delivery

Issue	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision needed to visioning paper • Finding funds for delivery • What does delivery look like? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guidebook/template on 'Taking Forward SNA Delivery' <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Profiles – inc HLS targeting info ○ Visioning exercises ○ Project development and socio-economic elements ○ Finding funds ○ Map large estates and opportunities for delivery • Sharpen up John W report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Compelling ○ Data ○ Informed by workshops and experience ○ Testimonial • Develop a project register • Develop case studies

NM and Planning

Issue	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SNAs not seen as areas of opportunity • SNAs not relevant to LDFs or easy to use • GI most relevant to development • SNAs not understood by planners • Planners under time constraints and many pressures – why bother with NM? • Get Nm into strategic Plans • NM and DC – examples needed of how to put into practice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GI strategies to consider SNAs as part of assets • Make connectivity explicit between GI and SNAs • Promote access to and within SNAs • GI monies to contribute to SNAs locally • Provide clear examples of how to use it <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Series of case studies inc rural (inc. waste/quarries etc) ○ Sell NM as off the shelf easy solution to nature conservation issues with reference to NERC, PPS(etc ○ Noddy guide to NM and how it

	relates to plan
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