

# Fairhaven Lake HLF Project

Restoration Project Update  
Tourism & Leisure Committee 7 June 2018



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## Recap

- The Fairhaven HLF team
- Historic overview of Fairhaven Lake and Gardens
- High level overview of masterplan
- Proposed audience consultation strategy
- Programme



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## Design Development

HLF Round 1 vs where we are now



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## Changes from Round 1

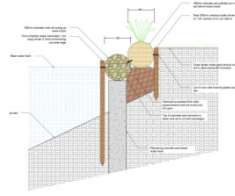
- Proposed Adventure Golf (subject to further funding)
- Forest school island
- Winter wader roost island
- External boat yard
- Beach area (subject to cost review)
- Sensory gardens (subject to cost review)



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### Remaining Key Capital Work Elements - Lake

- Lake dredging
- Aeration pods
- Lake edge pilot projects
- Lake edge widening (adjacent to café)
- Boat pontoon & jetty
- Health and safety grab chains



### Remaining Key Capital Work Elements – Buildings

- Heritage restoration of Pavilion Café
- Isaac Dixon Boathouse – Watersports centre and community facility
- Pagoda building – RPSB & wider park heritage centre



### Remaining Key Capital Work Elements - Landscape

- Restoration of Japanese Gardens
- Completion of circular pathway
- Mawsons Lookout
- Tennis and bowls improvements
- Adventure play area
- Planting and vegetation management



### Consultation

- Stakeholders and resident clubs
- UR Potential- Youth consultation
- BME forum visits
- Building visitor profiles
- Visitor surveys



### Volunteers

- Volunteer partners – FOFL, Lytham Heritage Group, Kirkham Prison
- Volunteer role development
  - event support
  - survey & monitoring
  - grounds maintenance
  - heritage research
- To date – 1,931 hours= £27,218 match funding



### Piloting Activity

- Open days
- Action days
- Heritage walks
- Community archaeology



## Action Plan development

- Number of events rationalised based on consultation  
Fewer, Bigger, Better philosophy!
- New activities included, more arts and culture outdoor activities and water sports. Still heavy focus on Fairhaven's heritage stories
- Expenditure as round 1



## HLF Mid-Term Review

- Held in Manchester on 11<sup>th</sup> April
- Feedback positive
- Presentation 3 hours
- Round 2 submissions, more competitive
- Minimise risk – request to underwrite any gap funding
- Maximise heritage outcomes



## Next Steps

- Planning application mid-June 2018
- Finalisation of the following supporting documents;
  - Business Plan
  - Management and Maintenance Plan
  - Activity Plan
  - Conservation Management Plan
- Additional meeting of T&L Committee proposed mid/late-July 2018 (tbc)
- Planning determination late July/early-August 2018
- HLF Round 2 submission mid-August 2018

## Thank you for listening

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