

1.0 Background

As part of Active Communities approach to managing growth the 'Improve your Neighbourhood' scheme was developed, allowing new project ideas to be processed.

Information on the scheme is available through the City Council website <http://www.cambridge.gov.uk/ccm/content/community-development/improve-your-neighbourhood.en>

All submitted ideas are presented to a S106 working group and subjected to an approved scoring process by these sections-

- Green Spaces
- Recreation Services
- Sports Development Service
- Landscape Architects
- Children & Young People Participation Service

Recommendations for inclusion on the S106 project list are made for ideas that fulfill a minimum 30% of the criterion.

Once they have been assessed as viable ideas, they are added to a project list and prioritised according to ward based strategic objectives.

Projects on this list go to Scrutiny Committee January 2009 and are then adopted for further development.

Some projects considered as 'Quick Hits' are marked * , meaning that they are easily achievable and so may be developed alongside higher scoring projects.

2.0 Project Recommendations

Ward Councilors are asked to approve recommendations for new projects in their Area & Citywide.

West/Central Project Recommendations in Priority Order.

1	TW019/WC/D 'Natural Play Zone - Jesus Green' Natural play zone, introducing high wire zones & awareness of bio diversity
2	TW007/WC/A Additional Hard tennis Courts on Jesus Green
3	TW011/E/C Updating of play equipment @ Petersfield Mansions
4	TW009/WC/A Expansion/Extension of Skate Park - Jesus Green

Citywide Project Recommendations in Priority Order

1*	TW013/CW/D Formal picnic & BBQ facilities in larger City Wide Parks
2	TW005/CW/D Cambridge Trim trail - Exercise stations around open spaces
3*	TW001/CW/D Signage on green spaces showing distance around the green space
4	TW012/CW/E Provision of WC's at allotment sites where there is not foul sewerage connection
5*	TW018/CW/C 'Maximising Play Areas' Assess all play areas & Infill where space allows for new equipment
6	TW010/CW/D Information & Signage - all parks, history, flora, fauna etc.

3.0 Live or Completed Projects

Projects now completed or in progress through this scheme are-

Code	Status	Project
N015/C	Completed	Refurbish Play Area, Ramsden Square
N010/D	Completed by Green Team	Landscape Improvements, Histon Rd Cemetery
E025/C	Completed	BMX Facilities, Thorpe Way

E025/C	Completed	Refurbishment of Play Area, Thorpe Way
E025/C	Completed	Informal Games Area, Thorpe Way
PL001/A	Completed	Goal Posts installed, Tiverton Way
S012/C	Completed	Improvements to Open Space, Church End Road
RC11/C	Completed	Play Area Improvements, St Barnabas
RC009/A	Installation due Nov08	Wave facility for Kayak Training, Bishops Mill
S002/A PLS	In Progress	Additional Tennis Courts at Nightingale Ave
S001/C	In Progress	Informal Games Area, Nightingale Ave
S022/D PLS	In Progress	Peripheral path, Nightingale Ave
RC12/C	Currently under Consultation	Play Provision at Romsey Recreation area.
RC002/C	Currently under Consultation	Play Equipment at Green End Rd.
N022/C	Currently under Consultation	Recreation Improvements, King's Head Pulley.
CW008/C	Part of wider consultation / redevelopment	Informal games/Refurbish Play Area, Jesus Green

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