Appendix 1: Stakeholder analysis and engagement plan

Low

| Low | A: Proactively engage | B: Actively engage | | | | |
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| | Wider resident population | Regular Forest users and Forest Centre visitors | | | | |
| | Local businesses | Friends of Epping Forest | | | | |
| | Local recreational interest groups | Friends of Wanstead Parklands | | | | |
| | Local resident and community associations | Friends of Wanstead Flats | | | | |
| | Local historical societies | Lakehouse Lake Project | | | | |
| | Local schools | Epping Forest Conservation Volunteers | | | | |
| | Local Parish Councillors | Epping Forest Centenary Trust | | | | |
| | Local faith groups | WREN group | | | | |
| | National and regional interest groups | Epping Forest Riders Association | | | | |
| | Thames Water | West Essex Archaeological Society | | | | |
| | Essex Police and London Metropolitan Police | Licence holders, wayleave holders and tenants | | | | |
| | London Garden History Society | Commoners | | | | |
| | Essex and London Wildlife Trusts | Volunteers | | | | |
| | Lee Valley Park | Field Studies Council | | | | |
| Power | National Trust | Suntrap | | | | |
| | RSPB | | | | | |
| | Woodland Trust | | | | | |
| | Heritage Lottery Fund | | | | | |
| | C: Maintain engagement | D: Key audiences | | | | |
| | City of London (Guildhall) officer stakeholders | Epping Forest and Commons Committee | | | | |
| | Local MEPs | Open Spaces Directorate | | | | |
| | Local MPs | Epping Forest staff | | | | |
| | Local Councillors | Natural England | | | | |
| | Local Ward Councillors | Historic England | | | | |
| | London Borough of Newham | Environment Agency | | | | |
| | London Borough of Waltham Forest | | | | | |
| | London Borough of Redbridge | | | | | |
| High | Epping Forest District Council | | | | | |
| | Essex County Council | | | | | |

Level of interest

High

For a full list of organisations to be consulted, see the Statement of Community Involvement

Engagement Plan

| Consultation Phase | Start Date | End date | |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------------------|--|
| Notice Period | 24 May 2015 | 21 June 2015 | |
| Online Consultation Live | 22 June 2015 | 14 September 2015 | |

| Media | Method | Date | Target audience | Cost | Other relevant information |
|--------------|---|--|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Publications | Forest Focus (Spring) | May 2015 | В | No additional cost | |
| | LEAFlet (staff and volunteer newsletter) | May 2015 Summer (TBC) | Volunteers & D | No additional cost | |
| | Press release | May 2015 | A, B & C | No additional cost | |
| | Leaflets | W/C 25 May 2015 | A & B | £415 | Print run of 15,000. For Epping Forest Centres and Local Access buildings e.g. Libraries and Community centres |
| | Posters in public areas | W/C 25 May 2015 | A & B | £300 | Print run of 1,000 A4 and 1,000 A3 posters. Forest and public notice boards |
| Web/Online | City of London Website 'consult' page | 24 May 2015 | A & B | No additional cost | www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/eppingfor estconsultations Direct to the consultation portal |
| | Emails to current consultation database members | 22 June 2015 24 July 2015 19 August 2015 4 September 2015 | В | No additional cost | Email monthly to raise awareness and remind, if not completed |
| | Twitter | Weekly | A & B | No | Interesting observations or facts |

| | | | | additional cost | with links to consultation. Organic rather than promoted tweets. |
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| | Facebook | Weekly | A & B | £400 | Facebook advertisements targeted at local residents and people expressing an interest in the Forest. |
| | Content on other local interest sites | When available | A & B | No additional cost | Encourage all SCI stakeholder groups to publicise via their website |
| | City of London Staff Intranet | 22 June 2015 19 August 2015 | C&D | No additional cost | |
| Events | Staff briefings | 29 April 2015 22 July 2015 | D | No additional cost | |
| | Forum Meetings | Various (TBC) | В | No additional cost | |
| | Events roadshow | 13 June 2015: Chingford Village Festival 23 June 2015: Friends of Epping Forest AGM 27-28 June 2015: Waltham Abbey Town Show 5 July 2015: Epping Town Show TBC: Theydon Bois Donkey Derby 11 July 2015: Highams Park Day 18 July 2015: Music in the Park 15-16 July 2015: Chingford Big Weekender 24 August 2015: Copped Hall Open Day 31 August: Wanstead Flats Fair 4 September: Chingford Plain Fair | A | £65 in stall costs £1000 in additional staffing costs | To promote the Forest, the consultation and gather contact details of those interested in participation. Staff will also target City of London events during the consultation period. |
| Advertising | Pop-up banners for events (x2) | May 2015 | A & B | £170 | |
| | Rail and underground advertising campaign | July 2015 | A | £5000 | Targeted at Forest stations |
| | Bus advertising | June – September 2015 | A | £7000 | Targeted at local buses |

| | campaign | | | | |
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| Incentives | Prize giveaways to encourage response | June – September 2015 | A & B | £450 | One giveaway per week. 8 prizes targeted at specific recreational user groups (cyclists, horse riders, golfers, footballers, runners, anglers, walkers and dog walkers), 1 targeted at families, 1 targeted at wildlife enthusiasts, 1 targeted at heritage enthusiasts, remainder targeted at general users. Custom stickers to give to children at events and Forest Centres. Incentives to be advertised on the website, social media feeds, in Forest Centres and by targeting user groups. |
| Digital inputting | iPads with 3G | May 2015 | All | £872 | 2 iPads to facilitate user registration on the online consultation portal at events and in Forest Centres |
| Drop-in sessions | Displays at Forest venues | 4-5 July 2015: The Temple 18-19 July 2015: High Beach Forest Centre 24-26 July 2015: Harrow Road 27 July – 2 August: The View 15-16 August: The Temple 22-23 August 2015: High Beach Forest Centre 5-6 September 2015: The Temple 7-13 September 2015: The View | A & B | £500 plus any additional staff costs | Small display introducing the Forest, the consultation and the six key themes, with a call to action to respond to the consultation online |
| | Supported online access sessions | By appointment | A & B | Some additional staff costs | For those who do not have access to the internet at home or who feel uncomfortable answering an online survey |
| Correspondence | Letters and emails to key stakeholders | 22 June 2015 | B & C | £20 | To arrive at beginning of consultation period |
| | | | | £16,192 | |

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