Appendix 2

Keats House Risk Register

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Rows are sorted by Risk Score

Risk no, Title, Creation date, Owner	Risk Description (Cause, Event, Impact)	Current Risk Rating & Score	Risk Update and date of update	Target Risk Rating & Score	Target Date/Risk Approach	Flight path
ENV-NE-KH 006 Delivery of major projects 27-Jul-2022 Rob Shakespeare	Cause: Lack of staff capacity and relationships to deliver major projects beyond the scope of the Keats House team's expertise. Event: Priority projects unable to progress. Effect: Reduced outcomes for Keats House and the CoL.	I2	Major priorities have been identified for progression in 2023/24 and beyond through the Divisional Plan, including access improvements to Keats House grounds; and implementation of the recently procured Collections Management System. 02 May 2023	Impact	31-Mar-2024 Reduce	

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	0 0	budgets have been approved.	Rob Shakespe are	02-May-2023	31-Mar-2024

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ENV-NE-KH 001 Health and Safety 07-Apr-2017 Rob Shakespeare	Cause: Poor understanding and/or delivery of H&S policies and procedures; inadequate training; failure to implement results of divisional H&S audits; security; anti-social behaviour; dealing with members of the public. Event: Staff, volunteer or contractor undertakes unsafe working practice. Impact: Death or injury of staff, contractor, member of public or volunteer.	Impact	8	Understanding of health and safety continues to be reinforced through team meetings and adoption of high level and bespoke risk assessments produced for property and specific activities/events. Advice is taken from the Departmental Health & Safety Manager and North London Open Spaces Management Meetings. Emergency procedures are currently being updated following changes to the way the contracts are managed. Projects to replace the fire monitoring systems for both buildings are still in process and therefore the current risk rating has been maintained pending their completion. 02 May 2023	Impact	4	31-Mar-2024 Reduce	

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ENV-NE-KH 001a Participation in H&S meetings	meetings as appropriate.		Shakespe	02-May-2023	31-Mar-2024

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ENV-NE-KH 003 Insufficient maintenance 07-Apr-2017 Rob Shakespeare	Cause: Building deteriorates due to insufficient maintenance. Event: City of London required to carry out maintenance on property which may cause inconvenience to visitors, including closure of building for extended periods. Impact: Reputational damage, poor visitor experience, poor working conditions, long- term survival of the heritage asset compromised, damage to collection due to poor environmental conditions (e.g. in case of heating failure).	Impact	8	CWP budgets have reduced across the department, and maintenance works are currently outstanding for both Keats House and Ten Keats Grove. The risk score has been reduced back to Amber 8 as the immediate concerns about Ten Keats Grove have been addressed. We continue to work with the City Surveyor's Department to identify future maintenance projects. 02 May 2023	Impact	8	Accept	

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003a Relationship	relationship with City Surveyor's Department	project meetings as required. The Principal Curator is liaising with the City Surveyor's Project Team	02-May-2023	31-Mar-2024

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ENV-NE-KH 002 Theft or damage 07-Apr-2017 Rob Shakespeare	Cause: Theft by people visiting the museum during opening hours, or a break in when the museum is closed; deliberate or accidental damage to items during museum opening or events. Event: City of London are unable to open the property to the public to show items of interest due to theft of item, or damage caused in effecting theft, and necessity to carry out repair or install new collection. Impact: Loss of or damage to heritage collection items; loss of equipment or personal belongings; reputational damage.	Impact	4	The current risk score remains at Green. Keats House is open to the public and staff attend site regularly. Despite a delay in replacing the security system, an intruder alarm and CCTV are both still in place and functional. We accept the current level of risk. 03 May 2023	Impact	4	Accept	

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002a Security maintenance		progressed for 2023/24.	Rob Shakespe are	03-May-2023	31-Mar-2024

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ENV-NE-KH 004 Loss of staff expertise	Cause: Staff move on to new roles. Event: Difficulties in recruitment and new staff not experienced in collection; unable to offer positive visitor experience. Impact: Loss of expertise; recruitment and training costs; short-staffing leading to operational issues.	Impact	4	The proposed Target Operating Model will result in recruitment to vacant posts within the Keats House team. The Collections Management System has been procured and is being implemented. Once staff training and testing has been completed, the risk will reduce to the target score of Green (2).	Impact	2	30-Sep-2023	
07-Apr-2017				03 May 2023			Reduce	
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004a Staff	All staff to be familiarised with the collection and database to ensure retention of collections-related knowledge.		Rob Shakespe are	03-May-2023	30-Sep-2023
	be purchased and commissioned.	financial year. Once tested and fully implemented, this action will reduce the risk of staff change and		03-May-2023	30-Sep-2023

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ENV-NE-KH 005 Financial sustainability	Cause: Pandemic recovery. Event: Continued reduction of income from all sources, particularly admissions, sales and hires following the Covid-19 pandemic. Impact: Inability to meet income targets resulting in pressure on the Keats House Charity's Reserves and increased liability of the City Corporation as sole Trustee.	4 Impact	Measures taken to reduce expenditure and rebuild income streams have proven successful as audiences have recovered. However, as these remain below pre- pandemic levels, they need to be monitored and, in the medium to long term, diversified to ensure the future financial sustainability of the Keats House Charity.	l Impact	31-Mar-2025	
25-May-2022			03 May 2023		Reduce	
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005a Policy and staff		Rob Shakespe are	03-May-2023	31-Mar-2024