

Project name

Raphael Park

Status

Concept only

Catchment

Beam

Tributary

Blacks Brook

OS grid reference

TQ518899

Length (m) of enhancement(s)

450m

Type of enhancement(s)

On-line lake improvements and bank works.

Reasons for enhancement(s)

Blacks Brook runs through Raphael Park. It becomes an on-line pond which comprises concrete banks. The river and pond are largely devoid of environmental features with footpaths and hard standing right to bank top. Any vegetation that did exist has been destroyed by Canada Geese.

Key themes of enhancement(s)

Indicate by ticking one or more that apply.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sustainable urban regeneration/development | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Biodiversity/conservation |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fisheries | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Education |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Recreational amenity (access to nature) | <input type="checkbox"/> Climate change |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sustainable flood risk management | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please state) |
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Possible constraints

Geese may need to be controlled for the project to be successful, this may not be well received by park users.

Potential partnerships

LB Havering

Approximate cost

Unknown

Possible funding

Mayor's Priority Parks funding.

Next steps

Unknown

Contact details

Primary contact: Martin Stanton (LB Havering), Rebecca O'Shea (Environment Agency)

Landowner details: Left bank LB Havering, domestic gardens form the right bank to the lake

Other
