



BUCKINGHAMSHIRE LOCAL ACCESS FORUM

Report

AGENDA ITEM 5

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The Buckinghamshire Greenway is a vision aiming to provide improved off-road travel for as many different users as possible along the spine of the county. The route will run from the Colne Valley Park, Denham in the south-east to Buckingham and Silverstone in the north-west. The outline route is shown in APPENDIX 3.

The Greenway will connect with existing and planned leisure and active travel routes in Buckinghamshire and beyond. This will help to spread the benefits of the Greenway to all areas of the county.

The Greenway vision aims to improve active travel opportunities, such as access to employment and education; to enhance leisure and tourism, and provide safer alternatives for walkers, cyclists, horse riders and persons with reduced mobility.

The route is divided into sections to aid delivery and funding:

- Misbourne Greenway – Colne Valley to Great Missenden
- Misbourne Greenway – Great Missenden to Wendover
- Wendover to Stoke Mandeville and Aylesbury
- Aylesbury to Waddesdon and Westcott
- Waddesdon to Calvert and Claydon House
- Calvert to Buckingham, Silverstone and Brackley

Some of the route passes across land in public ownership, which will hopefully aid delivery, subject to tenancy agreements. Other sections are reliant on negotiations with private landowners to dedicate bridleways or provide long-term permissive agreements, such as the Waddesdon Greenway.

The Local Access Forum are invited to provide advice and feedback to endorse the proposals.