



**Bryniau Clwyd a
Dyffryn Dyfrdwy**
Clwydian Range
and Dee Valley

Ardal o Harddwch Naturiol Eithriadol
Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty

Forward Work Programme June 2023 Update

Project Existing	Detail/Action	Timescale	Timescale Not Started or Problem =Red In Progress on track =Amber Complete =Green	Cost -ve or +ve (£ Cost) or neutral (Through existing and external budgets)
New	Updated Action	New Dates		
Finance				
Finance and Funding	<i>Draft Risk Register to JC 10.11.22</i>	2023-24		Neutral
NRW Core AONB Funding	<i>Offer received although £20k short on revenue (£40k for two years)</i>	2022-24		-ve
WG Gap Fund	<i>WG Offer Accepted for £20k revenue for 22-23</i>	2022-23		+ve
SDF Fund	<i>WG continue fund at £100k.</i>	2022-25		+ve
SLSP Fund	<i>Year 2 and 3 increase to £200k</i>	<i>2022-25</i>		
Strategic Plans 2022-25				
AONB Management Plan	<i>Management Plan distributed at Joint Committee and Partnership</i>	2022-25		Neutral
Central Recreation Plan	<i>Holdings and actions to be on annotated map. Actions see SLSP 2022-23</i>	2022		+ve
AONB Tourism Plan	<i>Consultation underway to CRTG .October 2022</i>	2023-24		Neutral
AONB Joint Committee				
Joint Committee Meetings	<i>JC Meetings on track</i>	2023-24		Neutral
LA Legal Agreement	<i>All agreed and sealed by LAs for next 5 years. FCC Constitution no to subs via Leader</i>	2019-2024		Neutral
AONB Forum	<i>Theme Climate Change Llyfasi complete</i>	<i>November 23rd 2022</i>		Neutral
AONB Meet Local Members/Town and Community Councillors/AONB Champions	<i>Next Meet of LA Members and AONB Community champions 15.6.23. Term of Ref being Drawn up</i>	2023-24		Neutral

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AONB Partnership				
Full AONB Partnership Meetings	<i>2 x AONB Partnership Meetings completed.</i>	2023-24		Neutral
10 Year AONB Working Group Review	<i>Reported back to Partnership on 19.5.23</i>	2023-24		Neutral
Partnership Working Groups:				
Landscape Character and Built Environment	<i>Under Review</i>	2023-24		+ve
Land Management and the Natural Environment	<i>Under Review</i>	2023-24		+ve
Heritage, Culture and Communities	<i>Under Review Strong attendance 2 x meets completed</i>	2023-24		+ve
Tourism	<i>Under Review</i>	2023-24		+ve
Recreation and Health	<i>Under Review 1 x Meet</i>	2023-24		+ve
Sustainable Development	<i>Met 1x to discuss proposals</i>	2023-24		+ve

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AONB Special Projects				
SLSP	<p><i>Majestic Moorlands and Wild Woods of the AONB</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CPAT Heritage work • Dinas Bran Improvements • Bryn Alyn Accessibility <p><i>Enjoying our remoter landscapes 2022-25.</i></p> <p><i>Projects:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Moorlands and the traditions of the Commons • Woodlands Study • LNR/Llangollen GI/Pengwern Planting 	2022-25		+ve
SLSP Collaborative	<p><i>The AONB is engaged in three collaborative projects:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Wales Traditional Boundaries • All Wales Dark Skies Project • All Wales Education Project 	2022-25		+ve
SDF	2022-25 £100k per annum	2022-25		+ve
Special Project WG	<p>2022-25 £300k allocated to increase staffing:</p> <p><i>Farming/Engagement Officers appointed:</i></p> <p><i>Huw Morgan/Mari Jones</i></p>	2022-25		+ve

NRW Projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>10-year Review of Partnership</i> • <i>Overheads Meetings</i> • <i>New Hand Book</i> • <i>Highways Doc</i> • <i>SPG Revisions</i> • <i>Threshold Signs</i> • <i>New Leaflets Moel Famau/Loggerheads</i> • <i>National Park Alignment Review</i> 	2022-24		
Our Picturesque Landscape Project	<i>Coming in to final year projects progressing</i>	2018-23		+ve
Climate Change	<i>Appointment of Graham Berry as Climate Change and Nature Recovery Officer</i>	March 2023		Neutral
Northeast Wales National Park Designation Project	<i>Working with our Officers to look at the Opportunities and perceptions for farmers and residents</i>	June 2023		

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Section 85 Organisations				
SP Network Lines	The Shelf back on track. New schemes in consideration - Shelf, Llangar, Plas Newydd and Llangollen Water Tower.	2022-25		Neutral
Dark Skies SPG	All 3 LAs agreed Dark Skies SPG. 2 of the 3 LAs approve	2023-24		+ve
National Grid VIP and Landscape Enhancement Initiative	AONB Officer is rep for 39 AONBs on National Board. <i>4 x LEI Schemes Morwinion Valley and Minera Corwen EOI approved</i> AONB Award to National Grid on 23.3.23 <i>NG considering CR and DV LEI as exemplar Project for NG SI UK Project</i>	2023-24		Neutral
NAAONB Lead Officer Meet	Regular Monthly Meets 1x Lead Officer's	2023-24		Neutral
Pontcysyllte Aqueduct and Llangollen Canal World heritage Site	<i>HS appointed Vice Chair of Steering Group</i>	2023-24		+ve
Severn Trent/Dwr Cymru	<i>Joint Meet to discuss working on Land holdings 9.6.23</i>	2022-23		+ve
Highways Guidance for LAs	<i>DH and HS Joint meeting FCC Highways 19.5.23 -Area Inspectors to follow guidelines</i>	2023-24		-ve