CLASSIFICATION

- Site No: 51
- Location: Lovers Lane Marsh
- Size: 25.66 ha
- Ownership: Not known
- Planning Status/Zoning: Open Space
- Objective/Designation: District Park / Green/Brown Route / General Open Space

LOCATION MAP

DESCRIPTION

- Landscape Type: Naturalistic, informal, waterside
- Facilities: Footpath, Information board
- Effectiveness: Moderate accessibility, Moderate usage and moderate contribution to city form.
- Safety: Open site, enclosure by fence/wall. Not overlooked and no surveillance, No anti-social indicators

QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS

- Moderate visual amenity. Semi-mature bog/marshland, adjacent to housing estates. Low management and moderate usage

POTENTIAL AND OPPORTUNITY

- Potential for site to be developed as a ‘District Park’ with green and brown ‘routes’ linking to surrounding open space, golf course, college and residential areas. Improve usage by upgrading educational benefit, footpath and network facilities. Wetland area ecologically managed provide park facilities to remainder of open space.
- District Park
- Enhanced visual/ecological/physical amenities
- Redesign and reconstruct

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