



**Meeting:** Better Places Partnership

**Date:** 11 February 2009

**Report Title:** Better Places Partnership/ Greenest Borough Strategy –Partnership Based Initiatives

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### **Introduction**

A range of partners, both members of the Better Places Partnership and external agencies, attended the last Better Places Partnership Board meeting (6 Oct 08) to discuss the first two priorities of the Greenest Borough Strategy:

1. Improving the Urban Environment
2. Protecting the Natural Environment

Partners discussed the actions that they are already undertaking that contribute towards these priorities, and identified potential projects or activities that could be developed in partnership. Although discussion focussed on the first two priorities, ideas were also discussed that could fall under other Greenest Borough themes. Please see the attached sheet for details of potential partnership activities that were discussed.

### **Moving Forward**

It is proposed that the good relations between partners that already exist and which were developed through the production of the Greenest Borough Strategy are now taken forward through further partnership projects.

### **Recommendations for Discussion:**

- That Better Places Partnership members consider the projects listed and identify which, potentially, they would like to develop
- That Better Places Partnership members consider who could lead on taking forward identified projects. Leadership could be undertaken jointly – e.g. lead from within Haringey Council and appropriate partner agency
- That Better Places Partnership Board members consider how identified projects could be resourced and funded