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My Wild City

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Meeting with Parks Forum

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AWT vision for Bristol



A nature-rich city, where everyone has access to a high quality natural environment where they live.

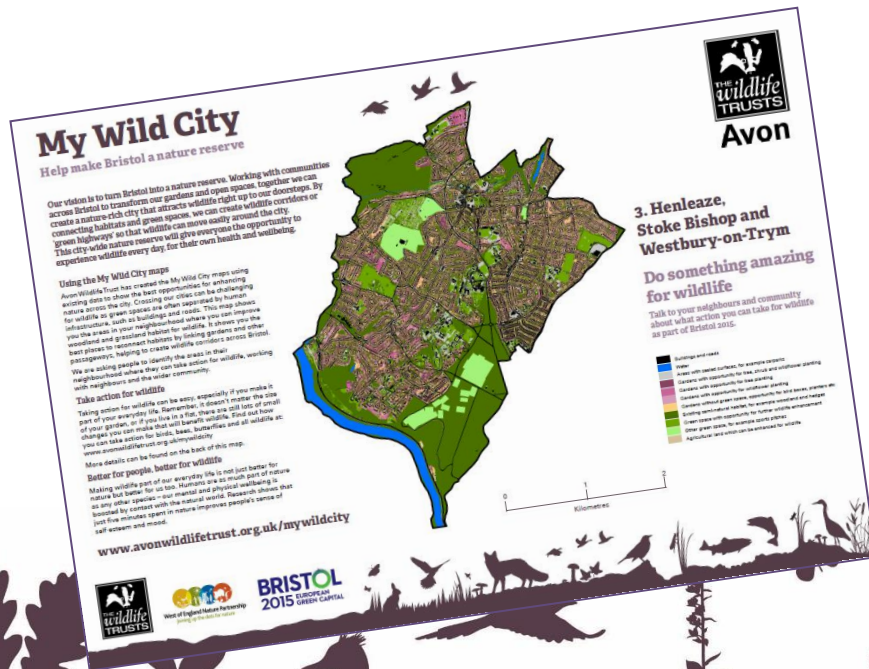


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“a city where whole streets get together to enhance their gardens for wildlife, and where communities and businesses are engaged in the management of their local green spaces”



Spaces within the city:

- Local Wildlife Sites
- Parks and estates
- Schools, Offices
- Churches
- Hospitals
- Allotments
- Gardens
- Streets

Introduction



- **‘My Wild’ projects 2015-16**
Demonstrate how any space anywhere in the city can be improved for wildlife.
- **Parks and Local Wildlife Sites 2018 -22**
Support for the management of LWS and green spaces within the city



Heritage Lottery Fund



- Application to HLF for £457,500 project;
 - 2018-19 development year and stage 2 bid
 - 2019-22 deliver habitat management work and community engagement
- Partnership with Bristol City Council and University of Bristol
- Main focus is eight Local Wildlife Sites



New HLF project



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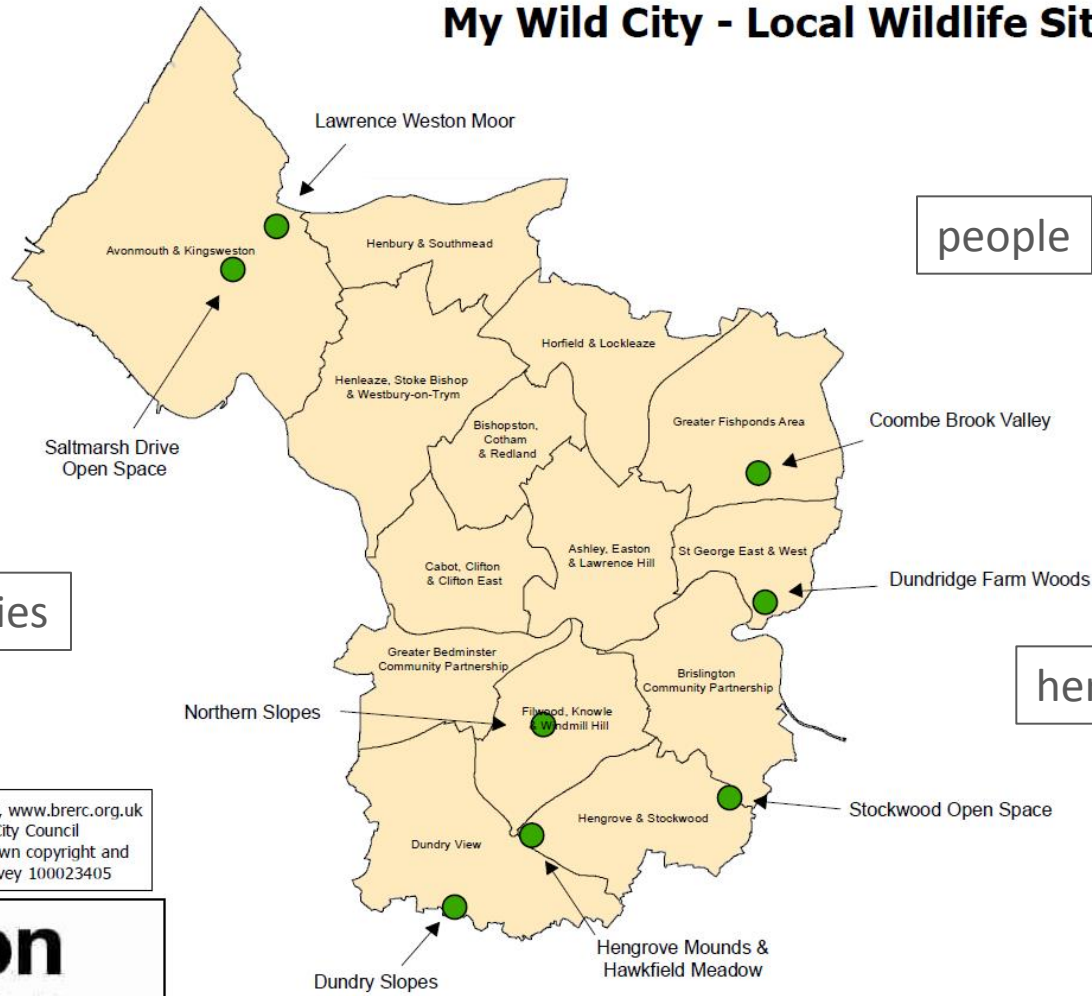
My Wild City - Local Wildlife Sites

Wildlife

people

communities

heritage



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Our Approach



Increase awareness of LWS within local communities

Restore wildlife habitats and create new resources for wildlife across the city

Engage a wider range of people with their LWS

**Provide opportunities to increase habitat management skills
and wildlife knowledge**

Support more people to become involved in caring for their LWS and other green spaces.



Discussion



How can we work with you to:

- Identify training needs – provide a workshop?
- Support volunteering and wildlife management of LWS and parks
- Any questions?

