

Lok Ma Chau Ecological Enhancement Area
Five-yearly Review Programme
for the Approved Habitat Creation Management Plan

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Scope

- 1.1. The management review shall cover qualitative and/or quantitative review on the achievement of target species. Any other species of conservation concern recorded in the period at the Lok Ma Chau Ecological Enhancement Area (LMC EEA) shall also be reviewed. A qualitative statement shall be given to conclude the wetland effectiveness for the target species achieved.
- 1.2. All monitoring data of the LMC EEA from 2017 to 2021 shall be reviewed to conclude the effectiveness of wetland management of LMC EEA and propose changes on target species (if any).
- 1.3. Review of numerical bird target level requirement.
- 1.4. Review of target bird species' data to evaluate any relationship with fish stocking, peanut residue/lime application.
- 1.5. Review of the benefit of rice planting at LMC EEA
- 1.6. Review of management practices and data records of Eurasian Otter
- 1.7. Review of the Camellia seed treatment on Apple Snail.
- 1.8. Review of the management status in Control Areas, and if there is implication on the target species
- 1.9. Investigation on whether there are impacts of climate change on the LMC EEA management/ target performance e.g. hydrological management to address the drier wet season
- 1.10. Review of the contribution at LMC EEA to e.g. the Deep Bay area, the Regional Flyway, Future development of the Wetland Conservation Parks/Nature Park under Northern Metropolis
- 1.11. Review of ponds bund conditions e.g. upgrading existing grasscrete track/ having more grasscrete track
- 1.12. Review of site security control

Programme

- 2.1. A competent wetland ecological consultant shall be engaged to conduct the review. The review findings shall be consulted with EPD, AFCD, Environmental Committee, and the Advisory Council on the Environment.
- 2.2. After finalising all comments on the review findings, existing HCMP shall be updated and be submitted to EPD for retention and public information.

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