

	FULL COUNCIL
Date	10 November 2025
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To consider improvements/additions to the Potential Open Spaces Improvement plan

BDC have been in touch regarding the annual update for the Potential Open Space Improvements (POSI) plan.

The Potential Open Space Improvements plan (formerly known as the Open Space Action Plan) is a key document used by Braintree District Council as Local Planning Authority. It demonstrates the need for additional and improved open spaces when seeking S.106 monetary contributions for Public Open Space improvements across the district.

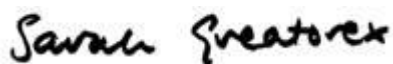
It is important that the document is kept up to date to provide the best opportunity to improve areas of open space, including allotments, across the district.

Please find the link below to the 2025 document to review the information for your area. Then please use the attached form to notify us of any:

- Existing items to be removed
- Projects that have already been delivered and can be removed
- Changes or errors in the existing information
- New items you wish to be included within the 2026 version

This plan will be scrutinized by the Open Spaces champions, and brought back to Council with their suggestions, but any suggestions from councillors will be welcome. Some consideration should also be given to the request for a dog park in Halstead.

Recommendation : that HTC makes suggestions to be added to the POSI.



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