

Appendix A7 Q3 – ENVIRONMENT & HERITAGE

Key Activities Q3

Work towards the delivery of a new record office

Due to the pressure on the 2020/21 capital budget, it is not recommended to approve the £1m funding requested for the record office scheme. As a consequence, property services have commissioned works to the existing record office at Hillside to maintain/improve the building.

Work has commenced to identify other options for a record office.

Develop a rights of way strategy for the Island, promoting riding, cycling and walking.

[Rights of Way improvement plan](#) has been produced and published on iow.gov.uk after consultation with key stakeholders.

By the summer of 2020, secure the future of the Island's geological collection by working with regeneration and investment partners on the future of Dinosaur Isle.

Tendering process taking place currently with final submissions scheduled to be received by 31 January 2020.