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## **Economy & Culture Scrutiny Committee**

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### **Fields In Trust**

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## Background / Current Position

- Fields in Trust – Registered Charity
- Advocate
- Policy Advice
- Research
- Protection
- Ten Cardiff Council owned sites
- Two Community Council owned sites



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## What Protection Means ?

- Ownership and management remains with the Council
- Deed of Dedication (Non-charitable legal agreement)
- Required to preserve the land as accessible open space
- Any disposals/changes of use require consent
- Protection in perpetuity



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## Criteria / Site Selection

- Parks and green Spaces in wards that are deficient in open space as measured against FIT's Green Space Index
- Parks and green Spaces in wards which have Lower Super Output Areas that are in the top of 20% deprived areas in Wales (Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation)
- Parks and green spaces in wards that do not currently have a Council owned Fields in Trust protected site
- Parks and green spaces which include Functional Open Space (open space designated for play, sport and active recreation)



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- Cemetery Park – Adamsdown
- Craiglee Drive – Butetown
- Trelai Park - Caerau
- Sanatorium Park – Canton
- Rhydypenau Park – Cyncoed
- Fairwater Park – Fairwater
- Hailey Park - Llandaff North
- Parc Waun Fach - Pentwyn
- Westfield Park - Pentyrch & St Fagans
- Heol Llanishen Fach – Rhiwbina
- Caerleon Park – Trowbridge



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## Stakeholder Engagement



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- Notifications to Local Ward Members
- Installation of Site Signage
- Direct contact with key Organisations
- Use of Social Media
- Report back to Cabinet



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