

Dear Ms Holmes and ExA Panel members. Our members have an in-depth knowledge of the Hoverport site in contrast to the Applicant's total lack of understanding and their choice not to undertake surveys. We have provided a suggested walking route around the whole site that will provide the best chance of seeing and understanding the importance of this area for both the public of Thanet and nature. Keith Ross, a well respected wildlife photographer and film-maker, can accompany you on the visit route we have suggested as he knows the site best and has been documenting it for many years. An early notification of suggested dates for this would be very welcome if you would like Keith to join you on an accompanied visit. Thank you.

Interested party reference [REDACTED] Save Minster Marshes

Deadline 4a – 17 February

### **Suggested accompanied site visit locations for a planned walk around the Hoverport and footpaths to observe ecology.**

**We can provide a guide to show you confirmed locations of flora and fauna if you wish.**

Following the suggested route should provide ExA Panel Members with the best chance of observing important species. Our records show that depending on date, time and tides you will see the following. We can also provide more information on the protected Sussex Emerald and Fiery Clearwing food plant locations if required.

Man, Bee and Lizard orchids

Reptile mats – grass snake, slow worm and lizards

Sparrowhawk nest site

White letter and and green hairstreak butterfly sighting locations

Bearded Tit reedbed

Spotted flycatcher and ring ouzel area

Kingfisher favourite location

Redshank and Egret favoured feeding area

Curlew favoured feeding area

Buddleia regularly hosts Hummingbird hawk moth

Long tailed tit nest area

Rabbit feeding area

<b>Description</b>	<b>W3W</b>	<b>TR</b>
Start at the Viking Cafe	pens.ramps.walkway	3519764367
Walk to start of footpath at	surround.infuses.husky	3507964241
walk to	reflector.mental.wrist	3512164240
	pinch.headstone.nuance	3526064370
	revamping.scar.roughest	3535264492
Turn right to apron	update.paddock.thumb	3524864240
	selects.marzipan.succeed	3516864140
	replayed.dragons.frozen	3515264095
	tadpole.sang.touchy	3500863950
	flips.trials.sprinting	3493064006
	tastings.peg.unguarded	3494764100
	achieving.establish.pushed	3493864100
	popping.ironic.pronouns	3491164096
To assess turning circles etc – return to	petition.golf.digesting	3521864302

To walk the wheelchair & pushchair accessible route	pelt.archives.gateway	3538364562
Turn left and walk back to the Viking Café along the walkway		
Travel or walk to Salty Seal and Cappuccinos cafe	Parkland.lighters.back	3430663497
Then walk towards the south	buckling.mimed.exhales	3432463297
Turn left and walk to	nylon.beats.stone	3435563623
Continue to the right behind the lagoon to	feasting.shot.selects	3453063796
Return to nylon.beats.stone and continue on right footpath (used by Park Run every Sunday)		