

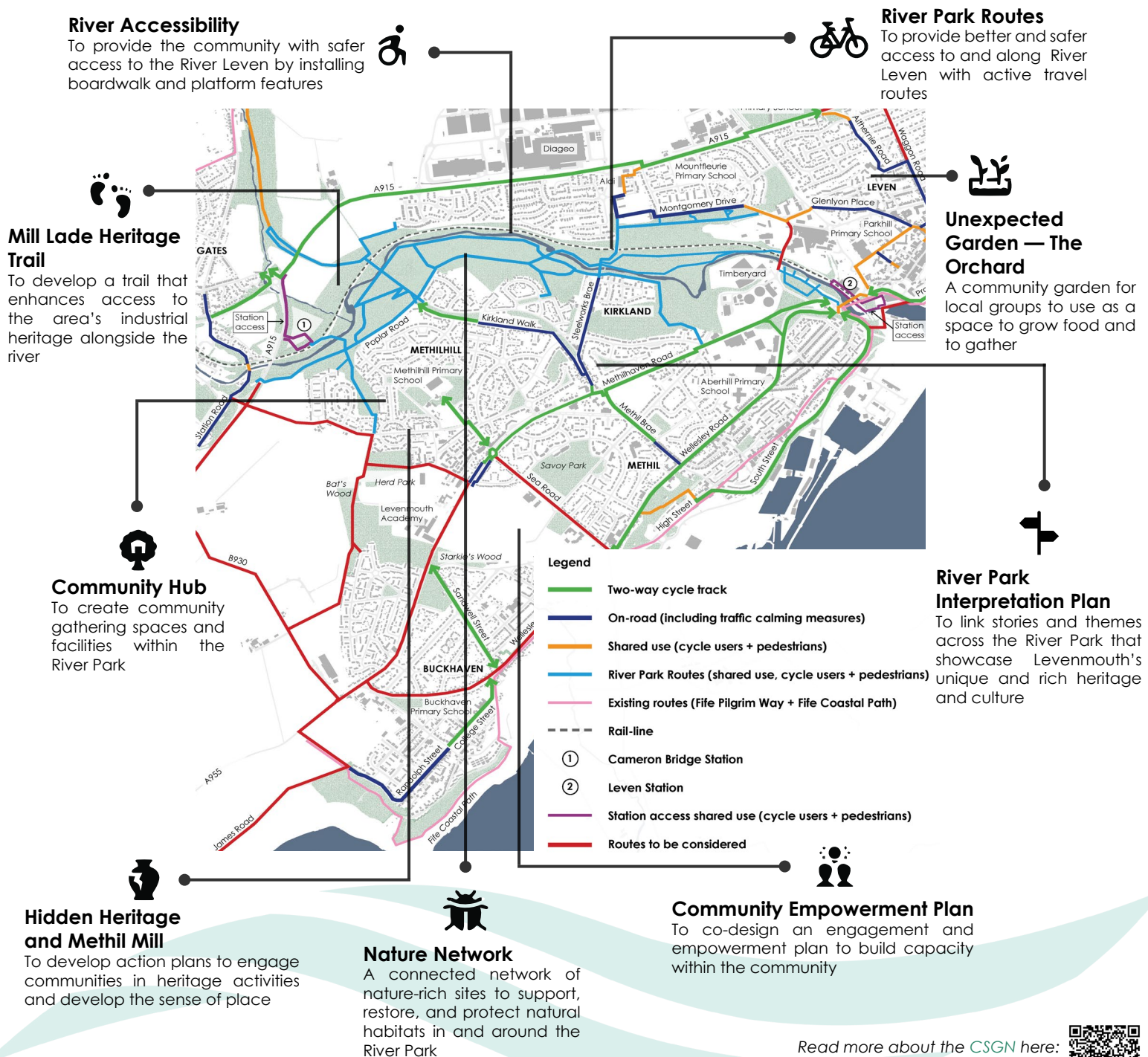
The Leven Programme's flagship project, the **Connectivity Project** aims to **reconnect the communities** within the Levenmouth area to each other and the river, through the creation of a **safe and attractive active travel network** that is accessible to all.

The network is designed to accommodate the needs of those walking, wheeling, and cycling in the area. The two main components of this project are the **active travel network** led by Fife Council and **off-road river park routes** led by Green Action Trust.

Within the river park routes are a range of projects that **Green Action Trust** is collaborating with wider stakeholders and communities to develop and secure delivery funds for.

In 2020, we published the **Levenmouth Active Travel and River Park Concept Design Masterplan**, which laid the foundation of our projects and their goals—to deliver an accessible, attractive, and biodiverse public park for the local communities and visitors.

These goals align with the objectives of the **Central Scotland Green Network (CSGN)**, which aims to deliver **environmental improvements** while **maximising social and economic opportunities**.



# The Leven **Connectivity Project – River Park Routes**

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A series of *pathway improvements* along key routes within Levenmouth that will *enable easier and safer travel* for those wishing to get around by foot, wheeling or cycling. This also includes a *Levenmouth Community Action Plan* to encourage more people to *adopt walking, wheeling, and cycling* in the area. If taken to full delivery, this work has a value of circa £5m.

## Stage 1: Visioning (2018-2019)



£250,000 Sustrans Places for Everyone (PFE) funding (2019) + Water Environment Fund (WEF) match funding

Visioning and Integrated Masterplan Report



## Stage 2: Concept design (2020-2021)



c.£515,000 Sustrans PFE funding

Published Levenmouth Active Travel and River Park Concept Masterplan

Published the Levenmouth Community Action Plan

Community engagement and consultation



## Stage 3-4: Development & Detailed Design (2022-2024)



c.£2.17m Sustrans PFE funding (2022) + match funding

River Park Routes classed as a **National Development** under National Planning Framework 4

Consultation and engagement with stakeholders



## Stage 5-7: Delivery (2023 onwards)



Funding applications 2023 onwards including Sustrans PFE and Levelling Up Fund

Phased construction of routes



Read more about the [River Park Routes](https://www.theleven.org/projects/connectivity-project/) here:

Read more about the [Levenmouth Community Action Plan](https://www.theleven.org/media/1111/behaviour_change_report_2021_easy_read.pdf) here:

Read more about the [NPF4](https://www.gov.scot/publications/national-planning-framework-4/pages/5/) here:



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### Project Summary:

The implementation of the *Levenmouth Community Action Plan* and creation of a new and upgraded **11km active travel network** that will be delivered over four phases, featuring:

- Play features and infrastructure
- Signage
- Habitat enhancements
- Drainage improvements
- Social spaces
- Accessibility features

