

## Donna Nook Survey Schedule

Survey	Date	Aim of Survey / Target Species
Extended Phase 1 Habitat Survey	March 2007	Classify terrestrial habitats Map habitats types Assess Protected Species potential
Ecological Assessment of Existing Foreshore & Terrestrial Habitats at Donna Nook	March 2007	Assess status of habitats & communities Invertebrate communities Botanical assemblages
Bait Marking Study	April 2007	Assess badger population and territories
Wintering / Wetland Bird Surveys	January – March 2008 September – December 2008	Identify & map water-bird use of the site
Breeding Bird Surveys	April & May 2008	Identify & map breeding bird activity
Water Vole Surveys	April 2008	Identify water vole presence
Reptile Surveys	April & May 2008	Identify reptile presence
Great crested newt Habitat Suitability Index (HSI)	April 2008	Assess the suitability of habitat for GCN
Fisheries Surveys	February 2009	Assess the fish population on site
Breeding wildfowl/wader Surveys	March, April, June 2009	Identify any breeding activity in seaward saltmarsh habitat
Passage wader Survey	April 2009	Assess the numbers of 'on passage' waders on or adjacent to the site
Badger Activity Survey	April 2009	Update badger data
Water Vole & Otter Surveys	April 2009	Re-assess water vole presence
Orchid Survey	July 2009	Identify any orchids within the likely working area
Water Vole & Otter Surveys	March 2010	Re-assess water vole presence
Badger Activity Survey	March 2010	Update badger data
Reptile Survey	March 2010	Re-assess reptile presence (whilst on site surveying for other species)
Bat Roost Assessment	March 2010	Assess the potential for roosting bats
Bat Surveys & Inspection	May 2010	Identify roosting bats in trees/structures
Water Vole Surveys	September 2011	Re-assess water vole presence
Badger Activity Survey	November 2011	Update badger data