HEALTH & SAFETY ADVISER

GIRLING ANGLING SOCIETY

| <insert department=""></insert> | Girling Angling Society |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| <insert number="" serial=""></insert> | Bacterial Pollution – issue 1 |
| Process/Activity | Angling with an accepted level of Bacterial Pollution |

<Insert General Description of Activity to be Assessed Here>

During November 2022 an Angling Trust E.Coli test at Fladbury measured 158MPN/100ml, this was confirmed by Rob Moore of AOL to be a very low level of Bacterial infection. Although swimmers became ill in the summer no Angler has ever become ill after

visiting Fladbury. This Risk Assessment has been produced to advise and mitigate risk from low level

bacterial pollution when fishing at GirlingAS Fladbury Left Bank Fishery

| | LIKELIHOOD (Chances of occurrence) | | SEVERITY (Outcome) |
|----|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------|
| 2 | Remote Possibility | 2 | Negligible Injury |
| 4 | Unlikely | 4 | Minor Injury |
| 6 | Possible | 6 | Major Injury or Disability |
| 8 | Very Likely | 8 | Death |
| 10 | Certainty | 10 | Multiple Deaths |

| None | BEFORE CONTROLS |
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| | HAZARDS | LIKELIHOOD x SEVERITY = RISK RATING |
|---|-------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Ingestion. | Low |
| 2 | Falling into the river | Low |
| 3 | Contaminated hands | Low |
| 4 | Contamination of angling eqt. | Low |

| LOW | MEDIUM | HIGH | VERY HIGH |
|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| (1 – 30) | (30 – 40) | (40 – 80) | (80 – 100) |

Who Might Be Harmed?

| 1 | Society Members |
|---|-----------------|
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Controls

| | Main Concern – Ingestion | IN-SITU | |
|---|--|---------|----|
| | Follow the guidance below. | YES | NO |
| 1 | No Swimming | Y | |
| 2 | Wash hands or use wet wipes regularly | Y | |
| 3 | Do not bite shots onto the line | Y | |
| 4 | Do not eat while fishing unless hands are cleaned first | Y | |
| 5 | Take extra care when handling water, mixing groundbait etc. | Y | |
| 6 | After fishing clean everything that came into contact with river water | Y | |
| 7 | | | |

Risk Rating After Controls

| | | | LIKELIHOOD x | SEVERITY = | RISK RATING |
|---|-----------------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
| 1 | After following out here | procedures set | Low | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | |
| | LOW | MEDIUM | HIGH | V | ERY HIGH |
| | (1 – 30) | (30 – 40) | (40 – 80) | () | 30 – 100) |

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Further Action Required

| Spe | ecify any further action required | Date Completed |
|-----|---|----------------|
| 1 | Re-assess further risk as necessary | |
| 2 | Re-assess if further E.Coli measurements prove higher | |
| 3 | Re-assess after any incidents of illness | |
| 4 | | |

| Assessment completed by: | Frank Bagley |
|--|---|
| Date: | 18 th Nov. 2022 |
| Signed: | Frank Bagley |
| Confirmation that detailed controls will be implemented at all material times: | Assessment placed on Society Website. Assessment applicable to all angling sessions at Fladbury |
| Signed: | |
| Date: | 18 th November 2022 |
| Position: | Secretary of Girling Angling Society |

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