A Delivery model for Commons

ELMs Test and Trial

We're working with eight Commons around England to test and trial an ELMs **Delivery model for Commons.**

This **Delivery Model** will consist of:

A Commons Toolkit

This underpins our whole approach. It's a 'how to guide' with straightforward advice for anyone who'll be tasked with drawing up an ELMs agreement for a Common. It will include a 'menu' of everything from how to record public goods on a Common and assess their health, to producing maps, drawing up agreements and negotiating payment rates.

A baseline map and a map of how the common could look in 10 years time

Two maps will be produced for each Common (drawing on guidance in the toolkit). The first will illustrate the baseline / current characteristics and condition of the Common. The second will illustrate what the Common could look like after 10 years of ELMs.

A Common Management Plan

A Common Management Plan will be produced for each Common. This will set out what the Commoners and owners will **DO** to move from the baseline situation to the end of the 10 year agreement. It will detail a set of **outcomes** (changes) that will result from a series of **actions** completed to enhance the public goods on the Common. It will also set out how the different rights holders will **work together, distribute payments** and how this will be **negotiated** and **agreed.**

In summary - what outputs will our Test and Trial produce?

Four key elements

'A' Baseline Map	Commons Management Plan (How are we going to get from A to B?)	'B' 10 year Map

Commons toolkit Underpins and provides the guidance for producing all of the above