

COMMUNITY SPORTS COMMITTEE

Review on Recreation and Sports Activities and Facilities

Purpose

This paper reports to Members the way forward for the review on recreation and sports activities and facilities in Phase II in response to the Study on “Sport for All - the Participation Patterns of Hong Kong People in Physical Activities”.

Background

2. The Study on “Sport for All - the Participation Patterns of Hong Kong People in Physical Activities” (the Study) is a large-scale study conducted by the Community Sports Committee (CSC) in 2007 for collecting data on the extent, frequency, etc. of public participation in community sports activities, objectively measuring the level of penetration of Sport for All in society, and providing reference for setting future strategies for the development of community sports. The Study began in September 2007 and was completed in September 2008. The report of the Study was submitted to the CSC in December 2008 for endorsement. Upon endorsement of the follow-up action plan of the Study at the CSC meeting on 3 June last year, the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) immediately embarked on the work of Phase I to strengthen publicity on the importance and benefits of sports and other physical activities. The work of Phase II was also launched this year. It focuses on enhancing the provision of “services” - to provide better and more suitable recreation and sports services for the public by reviewing the existing recreation and sports activities and facilities managed by the LCSD.

Follow-up Actions in Phase I

3. The follow-up actions in Phase I, emphasising the promotion of “education”, started in June last year. The message of the importance and benefits of regular participation in sports and other physical activities were disseminated and promoted to the public through collaboration among major stakeholders in the community. Major completed work includes -

- (a) Findings of the Study and the follow-up action plan were introduced to the following organisations and bodies -

- All secondary and primary schools and kindergartens in the territory;
 - District Councils (DCs);
 - District sports associations;
 - District organisations;
 - National sports associations (NSAs);
 - Government departments;
- (b) Fact sheets on the Study were produced and distributed to members of the public via District Leisure Services Offices (DLSOs) and sports venues of the LCSD to publicise the findings and recommendations of the Study;
- (c) Findings of the Study and the follow-up action plan were introduced in detail to the 18 DCs and their opinions were sought between 6 October 2009 and 25 February 2010;
- (d) The “Know your Physical Activity Level” booklet was produced and distributed in the 18 districts starting from the end of June 2010, with a view to publicising the importance and benefits of participating in sports and other physical activities;
- (e) TV and radio APIs were produced and first run in the press conference of “Sport for All Day” held on 2 July 2010, and thereafter broadcast on various TV channels, radio and RoadShow to widely disseminate the message of participation in sports and other physical activities;
- (f) Two “Sports Ambassadors” from each DC were appointed to assist in promoting the participation in sports and other physical activities among members of the public at the community level. The LCSD held a seminar for Sports Ambassadors on 22 July 2010 for them to grasp more information on physical activities;
- (g) “Sport for All Day” was held on 8 August as a highlight to promote participation in sports and other physical activities among members of the public. The appointment ceremony of Sports Ambassadors was also held on that day;
- (h) “Sport for All Carnival” was held in 18 districts in the territory to disseminate the message of Sport for All.

4. On top of the above promotion events, the LCSD will continue to convey to members of the public the relevant messages through different channels and means.

Follow-up Actions in Phase II

I. Review of Recreation and Sports Activities

Current Situation

5. The LCSD has been committed to promoting Sport for All and providing a wide variety of recreation and sports activities for different age groups with a view to encouraging the cultivation of a habit of exercising regularly and development of a healthy lifestyle, and to fully implementing the policy on Sport for All. The LCSD, on its own and through subsidising NSAs and other sports organisations, has provided various recreation and sports activities for the public. Please see Annex I for details. The information on recreation and sports activities over the past five years showed that from 2006 to 2010, the number of recreation and sports activities organised and subsidised by the LCSD increased by about 25.2%, while the attendance increased by 18.3%, and the percentage of population served increased from about one third in 2006 to nearly 40% in 2010.

6. As for the community recreation and sports activities provided by the LCSD, except for some territory-wide major promotion programmes or competitions or some school-based sports programmes specially designed for students, most of the community recreation and sports activities are organised by the 18 DLSOs of the LCSD, which formulate recreation and sports plans for their respective districts taking local characteristics and needs into account. Factors to be considered when formulating district recreation and sports plans are mainly as follows -

- (a) The overall Sport for All development policy;
- (b) The percentage of overall population growth and the changes to populations of different ages and different groups, such as the under-privileged group;
- (c) Suggestions from DCs, such as their opinions on the development of sports activities with local characteristics;
- (d) Local needs for recreation and sports activities;
- (e) Advice from the NSAs and district sports associations and their support to relevant activities;
- (f) Resources and funding available;
- (g) Availability of recreation and sports facilities;
- (h) Popularity of an activity; and

- (i) Development trends of individual sports.

Proposed Way Forward

Review of the combination of recreation and sports activities

7. The LCSD will review and revamp the current combination of recreation and sports activities to enhance their qualities and quantities by, for example, cutting on activities that are less popular for re-allocating resources for new activities and the continuous provision of diversified sports and physical activities for different participants, including the provision of recreation and sports activities targeting at the specific needs of different age groups. Moreover, tailor-made physical and sports activities will be organised for parents and children, the middle-aged, inactive ones, working people and special groups (e.g. the elderly, people with disabilities, low-income families, young people at risk, etc).

Tailor-made activities for the middle-aged

8. The Study showed that the middle-aged (40 to 59 years old) accounted for most of the respondents in the “inactive group”, who never did physical activities or only participated in physical activities of low intensity, and the “slightly active group”, who participated in physical activities of moderate or vigorous intensity for an accumulated 30 minutes once or twice a week. In response to the findings of the Study, the middle-aged have been selected as the main service targets of the LCSD for this year and the coming year and a variety of sports activities have been tailor-made for them to encourage more active participation in sports. Since August 2010, the LCSD has launched a series of parent-child activities, including badminton, social dance and ultimate for family participation, which hopefully would motivate the middle-aged to do more exercise. Besides, as most of the middle-aged are busy at work, it will be difficult for them to spare time for sports activities that are subject to the constraints of venue, time and number of participants. The LCSD will focus on promoting jogging and qualiwalk to the middle-aged. According to the findings of the Study, jogging is the most widely participated sport among Hong Kong citizens. Jogging and qualiwalk are less demanding on physical strength and only require simple equipment. They are not subject to time constraints or number of participants, and thus are especially suitable for the busy middle-aged city dwellers. The sports are easy to pick up and more likely to induce regular participation. Therefore, the LCSD is currently studying the details of the activities with the relevant NSAs. Proper posture, skills, safe codes, venues and routes of the relevant activities will be introduced to the public, so that they may pick up the relevant skills for taking part in the sports.

Promotion of sports activities that still have room for further development

9. The LCSD will discuss with the relevant NSAs the further promotion of

some sports activities that still have room for further development, such as DanceSport, gateball and lawn bowling, according to the availability of venues. Currently, the venues, facilities and the NSAs of these activities still have room for development and more of such activities could be organised. These activities are suitable for people of all ages and of various degrees of physical fitness.

Enhancement of the role of and co-operation with Sports Ambassadors

10. With the support of the DCs, two district councillors from each district have been appointed as Sports Ambassadors to assist in promoting Sport for All in the community. At present, the 18 DLSOs of the LCSD have arranged the Sports Ambassadors to attend district major events where they will promote to the public the importance and benefits of regular participation in sports. The DLSOs will also secure more resources from the DCs for more vigorous promotion of Sport for All in the community. The LCSD will study how to further enhance the role of Sports Ambassadors for more effective promotion of physical activities to the public at the district level.

Continued organisation and optimisation of territory-wide major sports events

11. The LCSD will continue to organise and optimise territory-wide major sports events, including the Hong Kong Games, Sport for All Day and Sport for All Carnival, and consider organising other major promotion activities to further encourage more active public participation in physical activities.

Set up of a dedicated website on physical activities

12. The LCSD will study with the relevant NSAs and relevant departments of universities the feasibility of constructing a website on physical activities for easy public access to information on physical activities.

II) Review of Recreation and Sports Facilities

Current Situation

13. The major recreation and sports facilities currently managed by the LCSD include 37 swimming pools, 89 sports centres, 25 sports grounds, 50 turf soccer pitches, 24 artificial turf soccer pitches and 231 hard-surface soccer pitches. The utilisation rates of some major land-based facilities are set out in Annex II. The facilities with the highest utilisation rates are turf soccer pitches (100% on average) and badminton courts (that of arenas of sports centres is 78% on average), while those with comparatively low utilisation rates are squash courts (55% on average) and tennis courts (58% on average). Annex III sets out the numbers of entries of public swimming pools in the past three years. It can be seen that public demand for swimming pool facilities has been relatively stable. It is worth noting that when the

Free Admission Scheme of LCSD Leisure Facilities was launched between July and September 2008, the number of entries was pushed up, which accounts for the apparent increase in the number of entries in the year 2008-09.

Proposed Way Forward

14. The LCSD will continue to monitor the relevant utilisation rates in order to understand public demand for various recreation and sports facilities, and will make reference to the standards for recreation and sports facilities recommended in the Hong Kong Planning Standards and Guidelines. A comparison between the number of major recreation and sports facilities provided by the LCSD, and that of such facilities provided by the Hong Kong Housing Society and Housing Department, as well as the difference between such numbers and the planning standards are set out in Annex IV. In the actual planning process, the LCSD not only considers the planning standards in terms of quantity, but also factors of various aspects, including the direction of policies, the concrete situation of utilisation of facilities and the preference of members of the public. For example, although the number of basketball courts provided by the Government at present is higher than the planning standard as shown in Annex IV, some of those basketball courts are located in multi-purpose venues, meaning that the relevant venues may be used for other sports (such as volleyball or badminton) or other community uses at different time. To take another instance, swimming is one of the most popular sports among the public. Thus, the number of swimming pools provided by the Government are above the planning standard. Under the above premise, the LCSD will act according to the long-term strategies proposed below when carrying out urban planning and reserving suitable locations for constructing indoor and outdoor sports facilities in the coming eight to ten years -

- (a) To lay emphasis on facilities with relatively higher utilisation rates, including providing new sports centres in certain districts and according high priority to the construction of sports centres already included in outline zoning plans, in order to meet the needs of the public and NSAs (paragraph 16);
- (b) The LCSD is currently reconstructing swimming pools to provide indoor heated pools in order to meet the needs of the public and NSAs (paragraph 18);
- (c) To accord high priority to the development of more 11-a-side soccer pitches, especially third generation artificial turf soccer pitches, in open spaces, and lay emphasis on districts with stronger needs for soccer pitches and convert existing hard-surface soccer pitches into third generation artificial turf soccer pitches (paragraph 20); and
- (d) To continue to provide jogging tracks and Tai Chi areas when planning open spaces and park projects in order to meet the needs of

the public (paragraphs 21 and 22).

15. The LCSD will continue to plan and construct new venues, and convert and enhance existing facilities under appropriate circumstances in order to meet public needs for recreation and leisure facilities. Concrete plans for developing facilities by the LCSD in the coming five years are as follows -

(a) Sports Centres

16. To meet public needs for facilities in sports centres such as badminton courts, the LCSD is currently constructing seven sports centres and planning to construct five indoor sports centres between 2013 and 2016 (see Part (1) of Annex V). The LCSD will continue to plan the provision of more sports centres in order to meet the needs of the public and the NSAs for training and competition venues. The LCSD proposes to accord high priority of development to districts with stronger needs for facilities, and provide new sports centres for these districts. The LCSD further proposes that the construction of sports centres already included in outline zoning plans should be accorded high priority.

(b) Swimming Pool Complexes

17. 34 out of the 37 swimming pool complexes under the management of the LCSD are equipped with leisure pools. Except for Islands, there is at least one leisure pool in every district. The number of entries at public swimming pools over the past three years reflects that public demand for swimming pool facilities has been relatively stable.

18. Swimming is one of the most popular sports among the public. Moreover, NSAs such as the Hong Kong Amateur Swimming Association and the Hong Kong Triathlon Association often ask for more training and competition facilities. The Study also revealed that there was a constant demand for heated pools among the public. Therefore, the LCSD is constructing six swimming pool complexes and further improving four existing swimming pool complexes (see part (2) of Annex V). The LCSD is of the view that review should be conducted after the completion of these 10 projects to decide if any additional swimming pool complex is required to meet public needs.

(c) Basketball Courts

19. The LCSD provides indoor basketball courts in sports centres and outdoor basketball courts in parks and playgrounds. As at the end of 2009, a total of 475 indoor and outdoor basketball courts were managed by the LCSD. The Study showed that basketball was a popular sport, especially among youngsters. Although the number of basketball courts provided by the Government exceeds the planning standard, the LCSD will continue to construct more basketball courts. In the current eight projects, 17 new basketball courts are included. In the six recreation and leisure

facility projects under planning, 12 new basketball courts will also be constructed in the next five years (see part (3) of Annex V) to meet public demand for basketball courts.

(d) 11-a-side Soccer Pitches

20. The Study showed that youngsters' interest in playing football was as great as in playing basketball. Currently, the utilisation rate of soccer pitches is extremely high. To meet the demand, the LCSD will construct more third generation artificial turf soccer pitches. Compared with natural turf soccer pitches, more sessions are available in a third generation artificial turf soccer pitch (the number of sessions available in a third generation artificial turf soccer pitch is 270 per month, while that in a natural turf soccer pitch is 60 per month) and the ground surface is more even. The LCSD also plans to convert some natural turf soccer pitches and old artificial turf soccer pitches into third generation artificial turf soccer pitches. The tentative plan is to provide 13 11-a-side third generation artificial turf soccer pitches. In addition to the standard 11-a-side soccer pitches, the LCSD will also convert eight 7-a-side soccer pitches (see part (4) of Annex V). Together with one 7-a-side soccer pitch opened in the Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park on 1 November 2010, a total of 22 third generation artificial turf soccer pitches will be added. In order to meet the constant public demand for the facilities and to cater for the need of different levels of soccer training and competition, the LCSD suggested according priority to the development of more soccer pitches, especially third generation artificial turf soccer pitches. In this respect, the LCSD suggested laying emphasis on the construction of new soccer pitches. In districts with stronger needs for soccer pitches, the LCSD also considers converting some existing hard-surface soccer pitches into third generation artificial turf soccer pitches.

(e) Jogging Tracks

21. The Study revealed that jogging was the most popular leisure activity among different age groups. In addition to open spaces such as parks or promenades, pathways can be used as jogging tracks. As at 31 December 2009, the LCSD managed a total of 103 jogging tracks with a total length of 48 km. Currently, the LCSD is constructing three jogging tracks. Besides, four more jogging tracks are under planning (see part (5) of Annex V). The LCSD will continue to consider providing more jogging tracks to meet public needs in its plan for new open spaces or park facilities.

(f) Tai Chi Areas

22. Tai Chi is especially popular among the elderly. The LCSD provides Tai Chi areas in many gardens, parks and playgrounds. It will continue to provide more Tai Chi areas to meet public needs in its plan for construction of open spaces and parks in districts.

Advice Sought

23. Members are invited to comment on the above way forward.

Secretariat, Community Sports Committee
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**Community Recreation and Sports Activities (R&S Activities)
Provided or Subvented by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD)**

Year	Population in Hong Kong (A)	No. of R&S Activities			No. of Participants for R&S Activities			Percentage of Population Served (%) (G)/(A) x 100%
		Organised by the LCSD (B)	Subvented by the LCSD (C)	Total (D)=(B)+(C)	Organised by the LCSD (E)	Subvented by the LCSD (F)	Total (G)=(E)+(F)	
2006	6 857 100	29 113	8 131	37 244	1 783 810	509 000	2 292 810	33.4%
2007	6 916 300	33 506	10 017	43 523	1 815 058	692 278	2 507 336	36.2%
2008	6 977 700	34 642	10 156	44 798	2 289 626 ⁽¹⁾	701 783	2 991 409	42.8%
2009	7 034 100	35 790	10 384	46 174	2 167 026 ⁽²⁾	711 108	2 878 134	40.9%
2010 * (Estimated)	7 094 100	36 000	10 630	46 630	1 997 000 ⁽³⁾	716 000	2 713 000	38.2%
% Increase from 2006 to 2010	3.45% (+ 237 000)	19.1% (+ 6 887)	30.7% (+ 2 499)	25.2% (+ 9 386)	11.9% (+ 213 190)	40.6% (+ 207 000)	18.3% (+ 420 190)	

Source of Demographic Figures: Projections of Population Distribution from the Planning Department

- Note (1) : The apparent increase in the number of participants was attributable to organisation of additional territory-wide activities for the public to tie in with the Beijing 2008 Olympic and Paralympic Games.
- Note (2) : The decrease in the number of participants in 2009 vis-à-vis that in 2008 was mainly attributable to the organisation of a number of additional territory-wide activities to tie in with the Beijing 2008 Olympic and Paralympic Games. Nevertheless, the LCSD also organised the 2nd Hong Kong Games and activities related to the 2009 East Asian Games in 2009.
- Note (3) : The number of participants in 2010 is estimated to decrease due to the completion of the 2nd Hong Kong Games and the 2009 East Asian Games programmes in 2009. The LCSD will nevertheless organise more sports activities in 2010 to promote Sport for All in the community.

Utilisation Rates of Recreation and Leisure Facilities

	Utilisation Rates (Average of 2007-10)		
Recreation and Leisure Facilities	Peak Hours	Non-peak Hours*	Average
Turf Pitches (Standard)	-	-	100%
Rugby Pitches	100%	100%	100%
Sports Grounds	99%	97%	98%
Arenas in Sports Centres	90%	63%	78%
Artificial Turf Pitches (Standard)	95%	50%	75%
Dance Rooms in Sports Centres	70%	63%	67%
Tennis Courts	75%	39%	58%
Table-tennis Rooms in Sports Centres	63%	47%	56%
Squash Courts	61%	47%	55%
Fitness Rooms in Sports Centres	38%	34%	36%

* Non-peak hours normally refer to the office hours for Monday to Friday and Saturday morning

Number of Entries of Swimming Pools in the 18 Districts in the Past Three Years

District	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10
Southern	166,233	215,085	158,888
Central & Western	234,376	306,742	215,604
Wan Chai	822,036	909,502	799,282
Eastern	661,276	890,154	659,358
Sham Shui Po	792,064	1,094,602	761,151
Yau Tsim Mong	805,176	821,329	964,955
Kowloon City	517,333	714,730	477,438
Wong Tai Sin	625,480	889,701	563,320
Kwun Tong	435,617	640,993	415,062
Islands	13,925	22,696	14,072
Tuen Mun	382,020	534,557	360,833
Yuen Long	516,453	695,824	526,275
Tsuen Wan	603,009	645,196	534,580
Kwai Tsing	461,047	718,790	449,726
North	381,684	510,478	383,969
Tai Po	280,378	349,766	251,487
Sha Tin	874,233	1,205,363	870,866
Sai Kung	519,234	674,951	470,974
Total	9,091,574	11,840,459*	8,877,840

* Owing to the Free Admission Scheme implemented from July to September 2008, there was an apparent increase in the number of entries of swimming pools in 2008-09.

**Comparison between the Number of Recreation and Leisure Facilities
Provided according to the Hong Kong Planning Standards and Guidelines
and that of the Existing Facilities**

Recreation and Leisure Facilities	Standard	Requirement for Population ¹ (a)	Number of Facilities Provided by the LCSD (b)	Number of Facilities Provided by the Hong Kong Housing Society and Housing Department (c)	Difference (+/-) (a)-(b)-(c)
Sports Centres	1 : 65,000	108	89	0	-19
Basketball Courts	1 : 10,000	705	475	391	161
Volleyball Courts	1 : 20,000	353	245	149	41
Badminton Courts	1 : 8,000	882	547	315	-20
7-a-side Soccer Pitches (Hard-surface)	1 : 30,000	235	194	15	-26
11-a-side Soccer Pitches	1 : 100,000	70	61	0	-11
Sports Grounds	1 : 200,000 - 250,000	28	25	0	-3
Swimming Pool Complexes	1 : 287,000	25	37	7	19
Leisure Pools	1 per district	18	34	4	20

¹Population was estimated at 7.056 million in 2008.

Recreation and Leisure Facilities under Construction/Planning

(1) Sports Centres

Estimated
Completion Date

Sport Centres under Construction

1. Siu Sai Wan Complex	November 2010
2. Tseung Kwan O Complex in Area 44	May 2011
3. Tin Shui Wai Public Library cum Indoor Recreation Centre	May 2011
4. Sports Centre in Area 28A, Fanling/Sheung Shui	July 2011
5. Sports Centre and Community Hall in Area 101, Tin Shui Wai	June 2012
6. Indoor Velodrome-cum-Sports Centre in Area 45, Tseung Kwan O	April 2013
7. Public Library and Indoor Recreation Centre in Area 3, Yuen Long	June 2013

Sports Centres under Planning

1. District Open Space, Sports Centre and Public Library in Area 74, Tseung Kwan O	2014
2. Indoor Recreation Centre in Area 4, Tsing Yi	2015 (under review)
3. Sports Centre, Community Hall cum Public Library in Area 14B, Sha Tin	2015 (under review)
4. Sports Centre in Area 24D, Sha Tin	2015 (under review)
5. Sports Centre in Area 14 (Siu Lun), Tuen Mun	2016 (under review)

(2) Swimming Pool Complexes

Estimated
Completion Date

Swimming Pool Complexes under Construction

1. Siu Sai Wan Complex	November 2010
2. Swimming Pool Complex in Area 2, Tung Chung, Lantau	November 2010
3. Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park and Swimming Pool Complex	April 2011
4. Tin Shui Wai Public Library cum Indoor Recreation Centre	May 2011
5. Swimming Pool Complex in Area 1, Tuen Mun	March 2012
6. Lam Tin North Municipal Services Building	June 2012

Recreation and Leisure Facilities under Construction/Planning (Con't)

Conversion of Existing Swimming Pool Complexes

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| 1. Redevelopment of Victoria Park Swimming Pool Complex | 2012 |
| 2. Redevelopment of Kwun Tong Swimming Pool Complex | 2012 |
| 3. Conversion of the Secondary Pool of Lai Chi Kok Park Swimming Pool into an Indoor Heated Pool | 2012 |
| 4. Re-provisioning of Kennedy Town Swimming Pool | Phase 1 : 2011
Phase 2 : 2016 |

(3) Basketball Courts

	<u>Number of Courts Provided</u>	<u>Estimated Completion Date</u>
Recreation and Leisure Venues (with Basketball Courts) under Construction		
1. Siu Sai Wan Complex	2	November 2010
2. Tseung Kwan O Complex in Area 44	2	May 2011
3. Tin Shui Wai Public Library cum Indoor Recreation Centre	2	May 2011
4. Sports Centre in Area 28A, Fanling/Sheung Shui	2	July 2011
5. Sports Centre and Community Hall in Area 101, Tin Shui Wai	2	June 2012
6. Indoor Velodrome-cum-Sports Centre in Area 45, Tseung Kwan O	2	April 2013
7. Redevelopment of Kwun Tong Recreation Ground	3	December 2014
8. Public Library and Indoor Recreation Centre in Area 3, Yuen Long	2	June 2013

Recreation and Leisure Venues (with Basketball Courts) under Planning

1. Open Space in Area 6, Tai Po	2	2013 (under review)
2. District Open Space, Sports Centre and Public Library in Area 74, Tseung Kwan O	2	2014
3. Indoor Recreation Centre in Area 4, Tsing Yi	2	2015 (under review)
4. Sports Centre, Community Hall cum Public Library in Area 14B, Sha Tin	2	2015 (under review)
5. Sports Centre in Area 24D, Sha Tin	2	2015 (under review)
6. Sports Centre in Area 14 (Siu Lun), Tuen Mun	2	2016 (under review)

Recreation and Leisure Facilities under Construction/Planning (Con't)

(4) 11-a-side Soccer Pitches

Estimated
Completion Date

Construction of One Third Generation (3G) Artificial Turf Soccer Pitch

1. Open Space in Area 117 Tin Shui Wai, Yuen Long 2014 (under review)

Conversion of Nine Natural Turf Soccer Pitches into 3G Artificial Turf Soccer Pitches

2. Shek Kip Mei Park April 2011
3. Morse Park Pitch No. 3 September 2011
4. Happy Valley Recreation Ground Rugby Pitch September 2012
5. Kowloon Bay Park Works will commence after September 2011
6. Happy Valley Recreation Ground Pitch No. 2 June 2015
7. Happy Valley Recreation Ground Pitch No. 3 June 2015
8. Happy Valley Recreation Ground Pitch No. 4 June 2015
9. Aberdeen Sports Ground (non-infield pitch) Under review
10. Hin Tin Playground Under review

Conversion of Three Old-generation Artificial Turf Soccer Pitches into 3G Artificial Turf Soccer Pitches

11. Morse Park Artificial Turf Soccer Pitch September 2011
12. Wu Shan Recreation Playground April 2012
13. Tsang Tai Uk Recreation Ground Under review

7-a-side Soccer Pitches

Estimated
Completion Date

Construction of Two 3G Artificial Turf Soccer Pitches

1. District Open Space at Junction of Hing Wah Street West, Lai Hong Street and Tung Chau Street 2013 (under review)
2. Redevelopment of Kwun Tong Recreation Ground December 2014

Conversion of Two Natural Turf Soccer Pitches into 3G Artificial Turf Soccer Pitches

3. Morse Park Pitch No. 4 April 2012
4. Hammer Hill Road Sports Ground (non-infield pitch) Under review

Conversion of Four Old-generation Artificial Turf Soccer Pitches into 3G Artificial Turf Soccer Pitches

5. Shun Lee Tsuen Park September 2011
6. Quarry Bay Park Pitch No. 2 September 2011
7. Pak Fuk Tin Sum Playground Under review
8. Quarry Bay Park Pitch No. 1 Under review

Recreation and Leisure Facilities under Construction/Planning (Con't)

(5) Jogging Tracks

	<u>Estimated Completion Date</u>
Recreation and Leisure Venues (with Jogging Tracks) under Construction	
1. Aldrich Bay Park	February 2011
2. Town Park in Area 45, Tseung Kwan O	April 2013
3. Redevelopment of Kwun Tong Recreation Ground	December 2014
Recreation and Leisure Venues (with Jogging Tracks) under Planning	
1. Open Space at ex-Tai Kok Tsui Bus Terminus	2013 (under review)
2. District Open Space in Areas 47 and 48, Fanling/Sheung Shui (Phase I)	2013 (under review)
3. Open Space in Area 117, Tin Shui Wai	2014 (under review)
4. Kwun Tong Promenade (Phase 2)	2014 (under review)