

Press Release

Removal of Fish

Canvey Island Town Council has conducted its 2nd phase of removing fish stock from Canvey Lake as recommended by the Environment Agency for the fish welfare and to help improve the ecology and biodiversity of the area. The Town Council employed fisheries consultants NG Fisheries to work in conjunction with the Environment Agency to re-home the fish from Canvey Lake where they will be allowed to live out the rest of their natural lives.

Last year over 900 carp were re-homed and this year 86 carp and two eels have been removed to a fully enclosed non fished lake as the previous year. This year has shown a massive reduction in numbers indicating a successful programme of removal which helps in managing and future proofing improvements to the lake.

For more information, please see the Councils website www.canveyisland-tc.gov.uk.

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