RISK ASSESSMENT - iwas - TENBURY

| **Description of Activity** | **Potential Hazards** | **Severity** | **Probability** | **Risk Rating** | **Control Measures in Place** |
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| Access to Riverside | From mixed use car park, on foot or with single vehicle and trailer, across field.  Uneven ground, risk of falls. | 3 | 1 | 3 | Take appropriate caution when standing, walking, parking or manoeuvring in yard area. Beware of hazards and uneven ground when driving across field.  Look where walking and wear appropriate footwear. |
| Access to Banks | Banks may be slippery or crumble leading to fall into water and risk of drowning. Caution on areas of high erosion.  Uneven ground, risk of falls. | 5  3 | 3  3 | 15  9 | Check bank for signs of slip or undercut. Exercise caution when ascending or descending banks.  Look where walking and wear appropriate footwear. |
| Riverside Working & Angling | Risk of injury from tangled vegetation, low branches and fallen trees.  Casting of lines with weights or fly, risk of injury from tackle  Risk of electrocution – overhead power lines and lightning.  Wading, not envisaged, although risk of drowning.  Hygiene – risk of leptospirosis  Risk of drowning from falling in. | 2  2  5  5  5  5 | 3  2  1  3  1  2 | 5  4  5  15  5  10 | Appropriate headgear should be worn, hat and eye protection.  Appropriate headgear should be worn, hat and eye protection.  Do not work or fish underneath or near power lines. Do not work or fish in thunderstorms.  Wear appropriate flotation device, use suitably soled waders or footwear. Wading should be avoided.  Cover any cuts, sores or scratches with waterproof plasters or gloves; disinfect any wounds that occur at the waterside; wash hands or cover food with wrappers before eating; do not put hands in mouth after immersing in water; do not touch dead animals. If flu like symptoms develop that persist take medical advice explaining that you may have been exposed to leptospirosis so that such can be considered in the diagnosis.  Wear appropriate flotation device. |
| Working or Fishing Alone | No immediate assistance if any of the above occur | 5 | 1 | 5 | Carry mobile phone, carry whistle. Let someone know where working/fishing and anticipated return. Working alone to be avoided. |

Severity: 1 – Nil - No risk of injury or disease Probability: 1- Improbable Risk rating: 1 – 10 Low

2 - Low - Minor injury 2 – Remote 11 – 15 Medium

3 – Medium – 3 day injury under RIDDOR 3 – Possible 16 – 25 High

4 – Major – major injury under RIDDOR 4 - Probable

5 – High - Fatality 5 – Likely