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Paths for Communities - Project summary sheet:

Calder Close Cycle Path

Location:	Lancashire
Right of Way Created:	Bridleway 413 m
	Footpath
Improved existing rights:	n/a

Supporting local businesses:	2
Volunteer hours contributed:	884
Cost of project:	£17,579
Grant rate:	78%

The project created a 3 metre wide and 413 metre long walking and cycling track through Calder Close a poorly used green space on the edge of Kirkham.

The new path provides an alternative route on the long distance Lancashire Cycle Way which presently goes

through the centre of the town. It is a safe off road route for cyclists and pedestrians in and out of the centre of Kirkham.

Calder Close is being developed as a wildlife/nature area for the enjoyment of local people and the new path will give access to both able and less able



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walkers, including residents of nearby sheltered housing. The project was granted £15,250 and included tree and bulb planting and seating. Much of the work physical construction work was undertaken by inmates from HM Kirkham Prison as part of their rehabilitation efforts in a long standing and successful partnership between the prison and the town council.



"We were overjoyed to receive the grant and are very happy with the results.."

Marjorie Barnes,
Kirkham Town Council Clerk.

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