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Dear Neighbour,

The National Trust has produced a draft Masterplan for Hive Beach which aims to help us adapt the site over the short, medium, and long-term. The draft Masterplan responds to site analysis and external data sources and sets-out how the site could respond to ongoing challenges from coastal erosion and climate change.

We would like to discuss the draft Masterplan with you, to elicit your feedback, and have booked Burton Bradstock Village Hall on **30th April 2026 at 6pm** to do so. We expect the session to last around 90 minutes depending on Q&As.

If you can't make this session we will be in the Reading Room, in the village, for some 'drop in' sessions where people pop in to see us during the day. The dates for this are **7th and 12th May between 10am and 5.30pm**.

One final date for your diary is a walk around the Hive Beach site, which we are organising with Sam Scriven, on **18th May at 10:30** for 90 mins. Sam has worked on the Jurassic Coast for over 20 years and is currently Principal Officer for World Heritage at Dorset Council, where he provides expert advice on the protection, management, and long-term stewardship of the Jurassic Coast World Heritage Site. If you would be interested in reserving a place on this walk please call into the National Trust Hut at Hive Beach and speak to one of our team. Spaces are limited.

Yours sincerely,

Mark Brett,
Hive Beach Project Manager