

# Lakeside signboard wording proposals

Boggart Hole Clough Community Action Trust (**BHCCAT**) works in partnership with, among others, Manchester City Council (**MCC**) the landowner of Boggart Hole Clough (**BHC**).

1.10.2010, BHC Visitor Centre meeting. William Eastwood (MCC North Area Parks Acting Manager) told Joan Kavanagh (BHCCAT Chair) & Peter Milner (BHCCAT Secretary) that a large signboard is to be installed at the carpark entrance to the Lakeside near the Cafe and that BHCCAT suggestions for the wording on this signboard would be welcome.

BHCCAT consultation produced the following 2 alternatives:



Proposal 1.



Proposal 2.

We understand that at the bottom of the signboard will be a row of signs indicating for example prohibitions (e.g. motorcycling, swimming), requests (e.g. not to feed the waterbirds) and warnings (e.g. deep water).

16.12.2010, BHC Visitor Centre meeting. Joan & Peter gave Graham Wightman (MCC North Area Parks Manager) copy of 2 proposals above. Graham said he liked the proposals but needed to consult with others before progressing the matter further.

These proposals should be seen in context. Please see our website for further BHCCAT documents re the Lake environs e.g. 'Lake & Island biodiversity health proposals' (16.6.2008), 'Canada Geese population management 2009' (28.12.2009), '*Please don't feed the waterbirds* sign draft proposal' (23.5.2010), 'Lake & Island Waterbirds Sanctuary proposal' (30.9.2010), 'Waterbirds Survey 2004-2010' (survey ongoing).