

# WESTON ON THE GREEN PARISH COUNCIL

14<sup>th</sup> July 2021 Parish Council Meeting



## **Agenda Item 21.369.11: Repair to entrance of footpath connecting North Lane and Westlands Avenue**

The footpath entrance which leads to the footpath linking North Lane to Westlands Avenue has become hazardous to walk along, due to the v-shaped nature of the path. The ground is very uneven and therefore requires some maintenance which will include digging out, compacting topsoil into the area and re-seeding on top. It will then require watering at least every other day for at least 4 weeks (ideally 6 weeks) and diversions signs placed to avoid people using the footpath.



The Parish Council has received a quote (attached) to undertake the work which would comprise digging the area out and removing the waste, compacting topsoil into the area and re-seeding on top.

### **Cost Breakdown**

- £230.00 plus VAT for materials and waste removal

- £320.00 plus VAT for labour

**Total Cost - £ 550.00 plus VAT**

All materials would be invoiced in advance and labour invoiced upon completion.

An additional spend of £50.00 is also requested to provide top soil to ensure complete coverage linking into the existing footpath.

Despite approaching a number of different companies the clerk has been unable to obtain multiple quotes, companies are reportedly fully booked and have no capacity to quote for additional work.

## **Funding**

The Parish Council received funding of £600.00 to undertake these footpath repairs via the Covid Outbreak Management Fund grant on 30<sup>th</sup> April 2021.

**Resolution: To Approve** spend of up to £600.00 to incorporate a repair to the eroded footpath entrance of the footpath connecting North Lane and Westlands Avenue at a quote of £550.00 plus £50.00 spend for additional top-soil to ensure appropriate coverage. This spend will utilise the COMF grant funding of £600.00 already received by the Parish Council.