

# 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.