

WEST SWINDON PARISH COUNCIL

Benches Report

1. Update

- 1.1 Following discussion by this Committee in May 2018, the Committee agreed that three benches for the pathway along Shaw Ridge. Costs for benches are as follows:

For traditional park benches cost is approximately £1,000 with installation.



For rustic style as per Lydiard Park, cost is approximately £150 with installation.



- 1.2 In addition to Shaw Ridge, the Parish Council has been notified that a bespoke bench beside by the pond in the open space behind Horseshoe Crescent is reaching the end of its life. To replace the bench with a replica design would have a significant cost in the region of £2000. Other options would be to remove the bench with no replacement or remove and replace with a standard bench.



2. Recommendations:

2.1 The Leisure and Amenities Committee confirms its preferred style of bench and considers agreement to the purchase of three benches as proposed.

2.2 The Leisure and Amenities Committee agrees a course of action for the bench as set out in 1,2,

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