

# St Paul Malmesbury Without Parish Council

Report #09.2

## Provision of enhanced facilities to existing bench and notice board in Milbourne

### 1. Purpose of the report

- 1.1. To invite the council to approve the creation of slabbed paths to a bench and the council notice board, both of which are located within the small grass area in the centre of the village.

### 2. Background

- 2.1. A local resident has recently cleared away long established grass/turf from around the chestnut tree in Milbourne thereby revealing a previously hidden concrete path and hard standing on which currently stands a bench.
- 2.2. It has now become apparent that the council could further improve the visual amenities of this area by creating two slabbed paths to the other bench in that area and the parish council notice board.

### 3. Options

- 3.1. To consider this proposal unnecessary.
- 3.2. To support the proposal to enhance the pedestrian access to the bench and notice board by accepting one of the estimates provided by contractors previously used by the council.

### 4. Financial Implications

- 4.1. The council can fund the cost of this proposal from its general reserve or CIL contributions.

### 5. Recommendation

- 5.1. The council is recommended to support Option 3.2.

Cllr D Briggs  
On behalf of the Project WP  
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## Appendix

Contractor	Estimate ex VAT
A	£670
B	£950