



Tree Report

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Date: 20 January 2020

SECTION 1: SUMMARY REPORT ON GENERAL ACTIVITIES, INCIDENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE

1) Actions from previous meeting:

- a. Haine Tree Services quotation #1226 works are presently being undertaken. i) Large branches will be deposited in the Pit Woodland; ii) Chippings will be deposited in a heap in the Pit Woodland area for distribution along paths; iii) Other wood is free to collect for local residents who may require it. Consideration and respect is called for in this regard.
- b. Tree Risk Management Plan draft is ongoing.
- c. Moving of large piece of felled tree to 'Picnic area' will be undertaken in Summer 2020 to prevent damage to pitches.
- d. Manea Gala 5K representatives have been advised that a tree can be purchased. Details for the text on their plaque have been requested.
- e. Community consultation details are attached for approval regarding planting trees on FDC land within MPC.
- f. Private land between Pingle Wood and Station road has also been identified as a potential area for tree planting. Cllr Mark Pratt will be writing to individual landowners in this regard if there is no objection from fellow councillors. The plan is to have native Black Poplars planted in / next to the swales if appropriate.
- g. Other potential sites for tree or hedgerow plant that fellow councilors may wish to propose are called for, for Cllr Pratt to investigate further.

SECTION 2: TREE PLANTING PUBLIC CONSULTATION

- 1) The following is for consideration by the Parish Council.
- 2) This meeting represents the first part of the public consultation. The sites identified for tree planting are as follows:
 - a. School Lane / Hutchinson Close
 - b. Williams Way Park
 - c. Edwards Way / Georgina Close

Local residents with comments, words of support or objection to tree planting on these sites are to please put them in writing to the Parish councilors by post or email. Information is on display in this public meeting and also on the pages of this document that follow.

- 3) A leaflet drop is planned to all residential properties facing or backing on to all three sites asking for support or objections to be put them in writing to the Parish councilors by post or email.
- 4) Information will be posted on Community Notice Boards, Social Media and the MPC website (by posting of this document).
- 5) The Public Consultation will conclude at the next Parish Council Meeting.

TREE PLANTING PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Manea Parish Council needs to provide evidence of community consultation being undertaken regarding tree planting plans for FDC to assess and consider the proposals. Further to a positive outcome from the consultation, MPC may plant trees on FDC land subject to MPC taking on the costs for delivery, planting and all ongoing maintenance.

Local residents with comments, words of support or objection to tree planting on the following sites are to please put them in writing to the Parish councilors by post or email. Please include your name and address in correspondence.

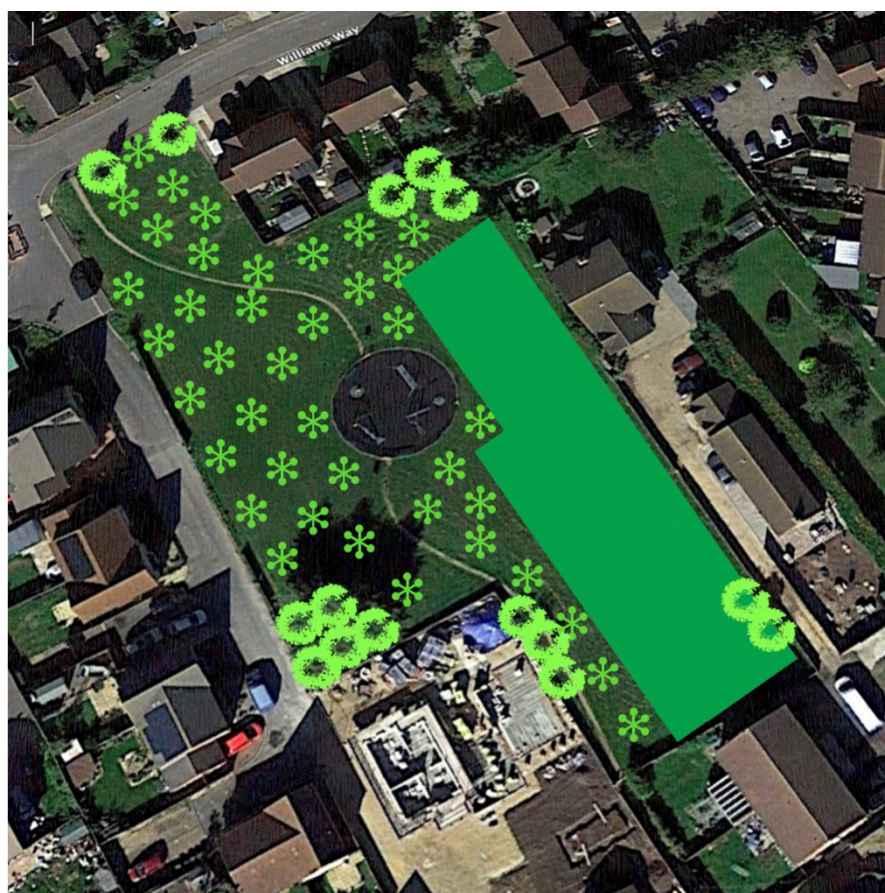
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Williams Way Park



WILLIAMS WAY PARK (FDC land)

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-  Existing trees
-  Open space

Edwards Way / Georgina Close



EDWARDS WAY OPEN SPACE (FDC land)

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