

VILLAGE WORKING PARTY

1. BACKGROUND

Developing need for communities to take ownership of maintaining facilities as Councils gradually cut back on regular maintenance. This trend is only likely to increase.

2. ROLE OF PARISH COUNCIL

Potential roles include:

- Act as co-ordinator/facilitator to identify areas where additional resources needed on a regular or occasional need.
- Maintain list of volunteers and support them as needed
- Agree priorities
- Provide funds for materials – paint etc. (Budget 18/19 – allocate £250?)
- Insurance?
- Publicity/recognition – annual event?

3. WORK AREAS

On-going areas:

- Grass cutting – verges/public areas/bushes/shrubs. Lead person: Cllr?
- Drains/brook clearance. Lead person: Cllr?

One-off jobs:

- Maintain list of current jobs and potential volunteers.
- Lead person: Cllr ?

4. CURRENT JOBS

Current jobs requiring action:

- paint repaired notice board and Millennium boards
- paint white railings alongside brook
- paint white line at notice board (H&S)
- repair concrete slab at notice board
- repair slabs on Church Bank,