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FRESHWATER HABITATS – RESTORING THE MILL BROOK

Councillor Acreman outlined an imaginative proposal to restore part of the Mill Brook which had strong heritage and ecological value. The focus of attention would be the stretch between the culvert headwall (near the Fir Tree Avenue) and the bypass culvert.

The Mill Brook was no longer effective in evacuating flood water from the Sports Park and no longer supported wildlife, history or amenity. The proposed work would be undertaken in a co-ordinated way by multiple parties within the community.

It was proposed by Councillor Acreman, and seconded by Councillor Sandall, and

RECOMMENDED unanimously that this initiative be strongly welcomed and endorsed by the Town Council

Councillor Acreman was thanked by the Committee for developing this initiative which had long been talked about.

*Parks, Gardens, Allotments and Open Spaces Committee,
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