



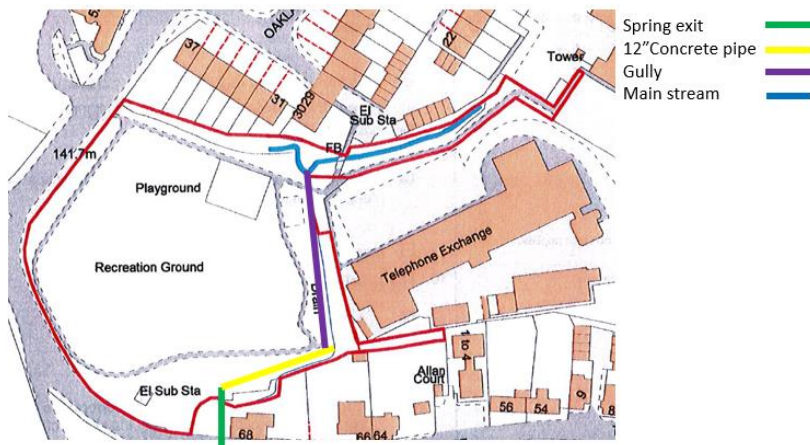
Haslemere Town Council - Town Meadow Drainage update

This what was initially put out to tender:

Haslemere Town Council requires a quotation on fixing the drainage problem we have at Town Meadow in Haslemere. We acquired the land from Waverley Borough Council in January 2021. I am happy to meet on site to discuss.

Recently we dug 3 trenches approximately 1.2m deep and they spanned 4m in length up to the boundary of the adjacent property. An older resident did tell us of an old drainage system but unfortunately, on investigation we believe the waste pipe goes into the adjacent property and is supposed to connect with one from the other side of the road. We found no evidence of waste pipe, gully, or remains of an old trench in any of the trenches dug. This could well have been possible, but this would be on the other side of the fence. The ground was mainly clay for 1 metre in depth before we met sandstone, again no evidence of there ever being any drainage.

We require advice/recommendations and quotations to remedy the drainage issues at Town meadow.



Response so far:

LHP Bailey House, 4-10 Barttelot Road, Horsham, West Sussex, United Kingdom, RH12 1DQ	01306 628 412 info@lhpl.co.uk	Awaiting Quotes Rang and emailed several times
Lucas LTD Busbridge Sidings Portsmouth Road Godalming Surrey GU7 2JP	01483 861187 lucasgroundworksltd@btconnect.com	Can't do
West Sussex Drains Ltd. The Birches, 76 Lockgate Road	01243 671 359 info@westsussexdrains.co.uk	No Reply



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Sidlesham Common, Chichester West Sussex PO20 7QQ		
Grafham Farm Cottage Horsham Road Bramley Guildford Surrey GU5 0LH	01483 894461 07976 626 890 info@richardfieldgroundworks.co.uk	No answer
Drainage Surrey 6c Lyons Ct, Dorking, RH4 1AB	01306 302157	Does not do
Advance Drains St Laurence Avenue 20/20 Industrial Estate Maidstone, ME16 0LL	01622 470118 drainage@advance.fm	SENT 30/07/2021 Cancelled appointment for 13/08/21
STM Environmental Consultants, Unit 6 Crane Mews, 32 Gould Road, Twickenham, TW2 6RS	(0) 845 303 9434 info@stmenvironmental.co.uk	SENT 30/07/2021 Goes to Vodafone voicemail
Iain Christie	01483 608 100 sales@christiescc.co.uk	Sent 13/08/2021

This appeared around a month ago and all clear inside in the storm drain. It has made no difference to the waterlogged meadow.



It has been difficult to try and get anyone to come out who is reliable.



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LHP they preferred a ditch rather than a covered pipe, which would require some maintenance. Another company advised a large pipe and soakaway, but aren't convinced it will solve the issue.

Advance were due 13 August but cancelled last minute due to Covid Isolation.

We are now going to only state there is an issue of a waterlogged meadow and await their expert advice on how to remedy.

There are only a few options:

- 1 stopping the source
- 2 Ditch
- 3 Waste pipe covered/soakaway