



HASLEMERE TOWN COUNCIL

Town Meadow remedial works

BACKGROUND

As a consequence of the drainage works at Town Meadow, and the subsequent rain, a lot of stones and glass has raised to the surface. The area needs remediation before it can be reseeded.

We have taken advice from our grounds contractor who has proposed the following:

1. To supply 20 ton of premium topsoil 5mm screened.
2. To use a tractor and bucket to level the area.
3. Pick up as much stone and glass as we can.
4. Seed area using the 3 bags you have supplied and supplying an additional 20kg of seed.

Total cost £2130 +vat.

We are advised that although 20 ton of soil sounds a lot it will not go far, they would dress the worst areas and make good as best as they can the rest. The odd stone will still raise to the surface over time but having established grass will keep this to a minimum.

They recommend roping this area off once the seed is sown to give it the best chance and all waste would be lost on site except the glass, which will be removed.

RECOMMENDATION: The proposed works are carried out as a matter of priority at a cost of £2,130 and paid from the deferred projects ear marked reserve.