Agenda item: 13

Committee	Assets & Services Committee
Month	May 2023
Report Title	Lions Club Proposal Jubilee Garden
Report Author	Terry Frostick- Operations Manager
Attachments	None



Summary

Following an initial request from the Saffron Walden Lions Club to introduce a sensory garden in Saffron Walden, the Operations Manager and the town gardener met at Jubilee Garden to discuss a potential sensory area within the garden.

An area of scrub was identified as suitable for refurbishment just inside the gate from Hill Street.



Costings were obtained and a plan prepared.

The project was discussed at some length within the club, and it was agreed "the area identified at our onsite meeting would benefit from improvement and I am instructed to offer a fixed sum of £2000 as a contribution towards the project without the inclusion of a bench. This would be with the proviso that we can install our own plaque indicating that the project was a joint venture between the Town Council and SWLC in their 40th Charter year."

Recommendation

To agree to the introdution of a small sensory area and to accept the donation from the Saffron Walden Lions towards funding this project and to allow a small plaque to be affixed to the toilet wall, noting this contribution.