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IMPLICATIONS/CONSULTATIONS

Contribution to the Council's Corporate Priorities/ Objectives (delete as	People This priority focuses on enhancing the quality of life, health and wellbeing of individuals, families and communities, particularly those who are vulnerable.
appropriate):	Prosperity This priority focuses on safeguarding and enhancing our unique mix of rural and urban communities, promoting sustainable, economic and social opportunities.
Consultation:	There has been no consultation.
Legal:	Legal implications are considered in the report.
Financial:	The Community right to challenge may result in expressions of interest leading to procurement processes which would result in additional costs to the Council. Officer time will need to be redirected which could impact upon existing service delivery. Costs will be evaluated further in future reports which will be needed under the processes outlined within this report. Government grant of £8,547 has been received (under the New Burdens funding arrangement) which is available to support initial work
Human Resource:	No Comments
Risk Management:	The Council needs to have adequate processes to consider expressions of interest and manage the procurement process.