

FISHBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL – Non-Confidential Report

Committee: Full Council

Meeting Date: 17 February 2025

Report by: Clerk

Subject: Benches at Creek End

Agenda Item: 13.1

Elwood Benches

The Council has chosen Elwood benches to match the one at Deeside Avenue: total cost £2076.80

Quotations for concrete pads:

Wilbar Associates (provided the Deeside concrete pads)

Remove and dispose of the existing bench seat and slabs,
Excavate 2 areas 2.5m x 1.7m @ 300mm depth in grass verge and dispose of material,
Install 150 x 25mm timber framework,
Supply and lay 150mm of type1 and compact,
Supply and lay 150mm of C30 concrete,
Finish in a tamped and trailed finish.
Following construction of the bases collect new benches from your store and erect on site in line with the manufacturers instructions.

Total cost: £5,163.00

Thompsons Civil Engineering (provided tarmac at end of path on playing fields where t exits onto Blackboy Lane)


Please note that we have not allowed for the payment of any licences required.

Our specification would be as follows;

- 1)Excavate for concrete foundations (2.5m X1.7m x.200mm deep) and remove all arisings from site inclusive of slabs
- 2)Shutter each excavation as required
- 3)Lay and compact 50mm of Cement Bound Type One Stone Sub Base
- 4)Lay and vibrate 150mm of C35 Concrete with a A142 mesh Steel Insert
- 5)Collect and Install your bench x 2 as required
- 6)Brush Finish Concrete and complete with a Harris Trowel Edge
- 7)Leave to cure for minimum 3 days then return, remove shuttering and dress around concrete with good Quality Topsoil and seed

Total cost: £ 4,275

Landbuild

			
Benches - Fishbourne			
Description	Qty	Unit	Total Activity Price [£]
Mobilise to site	1	item	incl
Remove existing bench/concrete slab and dispose off site	1	item	incl
Excavate for & form new in-situ concrete slab 2x1.7x0.1m on 50mm type 1	1	item	incl
Excavate for & form new in-situ concrete slab 2.5x1.7x0.1m on 50mm type 1	1	item	incl
Fix new benches x 2 (provided FOC)	1	item	incl
Clear and demobilise from site	1	item	incl
Grand Total (excl VAT)			£2,898.33

I have asked for a requote from Landbuild because they misunderstood the spec and have quoted one pad in the wrong size.

Action from Council: to note the estimated cost of the Elwood benches and to choose a preferred contractor for the groundwork and installation of the new benches.