

VIEWS OF THE NEW STEPS AND SEATING AREA

It is proposed to create a sweeping path through the open space. It will lead up to a slightly raised area of ground around the base of the steps and the seating, raised by 0.5m. This will allow views out over the surrounding area and towards the Church. New shrub planting is proposed behind the seats to provide a backdrop to the seats. To make up the new levels fill will need to be imported.

The bank on both sides of the steps has also been slightly graded to allow for an even gradient. The ground around the top of the steps has been cut into the bank and at the bottom it has been slightly raised. There is an approximately equal cut and fill.

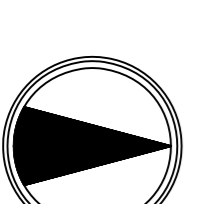
Two new benches will also be located on the cycleway/footpath. These will need to be located on the far side of the path to overcome any safety issues that might be associated with benches located at the top of the steep bank.



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