Report on the cemetery footpaths

AS and AK met with CH to look around the churchyard and assess what needs doing to repair the footpaths. Some are in a very poor state and are a considerable trip hazard. Since then AS has met with Nick Rowe (church architect) to discuss suitable materials for use near a Grade 1 listed building and we have also measured all the paths and worked out how much tarmac, brick, cement etc. is needed for each path. Gates were also included in the survey. The idea is to remove vegetation and restore the paths to their original width so that they are accessible for wheelchairs and easier for funeral directors to negotiate with coffins. AS has prepared a plan and a detailed tender document. He is also waiting for samples of bricks etc. and intends to meet with the cemetery registrar. Once SH and CH have viewed and approved the tender document, we can send it out to get estimates for the work and then present them to Council for discussion.

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