

Agenda Item 10

Pride in Place Update:

Barrowford Parish Council are project managing three projects, the kitchen and solar panels will be project managed by Bruce Corden, and the projects in the park will be managed by Phil Riley. The overall reduction of funding available through the broadening out of the areas covered by the Barrowford allocation has marginally reduced the funding available for the park equipment projects.

1. **Additional Lighting Columns:** The Lights have been ordered paid for and the grant reclaimed.
2. **Planter at Fleece Toilets:** The has been made and should be installed in the next two weeks.
3. **Notice Board Holmefield House:** The notice board has been paid for and will be delivered week starting 12th October 2026 two bollards have been sent for powder coating and both will be installed as soon as possible. The area around the notice board and flagpole will need either concreting or paving. The funding for this can be found from existing maintenance budgets.

Holmefield House:

4. **Kitchen at Holmefield House:** Bruce Corden is in the process of requesting quotes from three suppliers for the tendering process but has arranged for existing circuit testing Wed/Thurs this week. The necessary additional electrical supply for the new kitchen can then be installed prior to kitchen being installed probably after the new year.
5. **Solar Panels:** A scheme and new quotes are being sought following the fitting of a new meter with the battery pack possibly being sighted in the cellar.

Barrowford Memorial Park:

1. **Coronation Walk:** This work should start end of October dependant on the other projects.
2. **Gym Equipment:** Costings are being sourced which after consideration will be ordered.
3. **Play Equipment:** This project has been downgraded to match the available funding, with retention of the zip line and the replacement of one poorly designed and underused piece of equipment.
4. **Fingerposts:** Costings have been received and further information will follow.

Victoria Park:

1. **Bench Refurbishment:** Some benches have been renovated and are ready for reinstalling.
2. **Railings:** This will probably be done in the spring.