



GARDENS REPORT – January 26

OCEAN DRIVE / THE PANTILES

A separate quote of £360 incl. for removal of the apple tree was received and has been approved by the Committee. Work is scheduled for the end of January. After this Alex Maynard will be able to commence the clearance and landscaping.

I met with David Saunders on 31st Dec to up-date him on the plans and timescales. We agreed that it would be prudent to remove some of the existing plants, before work starts, and transplant them at the Langbury Lane site. Some may also be stored for returning to Ocean Drive.

BARBARY LANE / CLOVER LANE

As reported to the Committee, on 13th Nov, when Bruce Carle and I started to fit the new edging, we discovered that there was a concrete base well below the existing surface. It was therefore agreed that this should be dug out and disposed of, with fresh topsoil obtained.

Bruce has already provided costings for the work which were approved by the Committee. Work is due to commence soon but has been delayed due to the inclement weather conditions over the past few weeks.

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