

## **Contractors' Works for Bures St Mary Parish Council Meeting 23.11.2023**

**Contract grass cutting and maintenance completed as per contract**

**Street cleaning completed as per contract (Church Square cleared of leaves and weeds prior to Remembrance Service)**

**Grasscut at Pikes Marsh open space as marked on plan – max 10 cuts a year – note agreed with contractor that more than 6 cuts as previously agreed is not sufficient (Not cut this autumn as too wet)**

**Pikes Marsh garden shrub area – to be tidied twice a year (due early Spring 2024)**

**Pikes Marsh Hazel tree to be trimmed annually (recently cut back by Power Network)**

**Cut back overgrowth to wooded area to the rear of Beaumont Close – once a year good clearance  
(Recently cut by Power Network for overhead cable work)**

**Strim and tidy grass bank to rear of Beaumont Close – 4 cuts per season**

**Ditch area to side of Beaumont Close to be kept clear**

**Bus shelter clean – included on list of regular works – volunteer task as well.**

**Cllr Norton strimming footpath beside old police house on a volunteer basis**

**Members agreed for Contractor not to use pesticides but to dig out weeds  
JPB Landscapes to use NewWay to spray village and Cemetery on a trial basis**

**Gary Vaughan's contract amended –layby litter bin removed - some littering  
Consider a spring clearance of the bank and PRow access if funds allow.**

**Boundary hedge cut back adjacent to no 9 Eves Orchard (overlooking wildflower area off Claypits Avenue)**