

## **Ampfield Parish Council**

### **Invitation to Tender for the installation of a playground at Ampfield Recreation Ground, A3090, adjacent White Horse Public House**

#### **Summary**

Having constructed a new pavilion at the Ampfield Recreation Ground (ARG) in 2017, Ampfield Parish Council (APC) now wish to construct a new playground in the North-East Corner of the ARG adjacent to the White Horse Public House as shown on the plan appended. This will be for a similar age group as the existing playground i.e. infant/junior.

Much of the designated area is currently occupied by an old wooden pavilion which will be removed, together with all foundations etc, and the ground re-instated to grass prior to installing the new playground. The pavilion currently forms the boundary between the ARG and the White Horse and a 1.8m (6ft) close board fence will be erected between ARG and the White Horse using concrete posts when the pavilion has been removed. This will be done prior to installing the new playground.

All of the equipment in the existing playground will be removed and stored prior to disposal or re-use.

#### **The Requirement**

To prepare proposals setting out recommendations for new playground:

- a) With all new equipment.
- b) With re-use of some existing equipment which is thought to be still suitable.

This should include details of the proposed flooring which should be a safety surface which is not grass nor bark chipping and requires minimal maintenance.

Proposals should be made for fencing around the play area onto the ARG, i.e. other than the boundary with the White Horse which, as described above, will be already fenced. This should require minimal maintenance, to be in keeping with the semi-rural setting and taking into account the proximity of the playground to the cricket square.

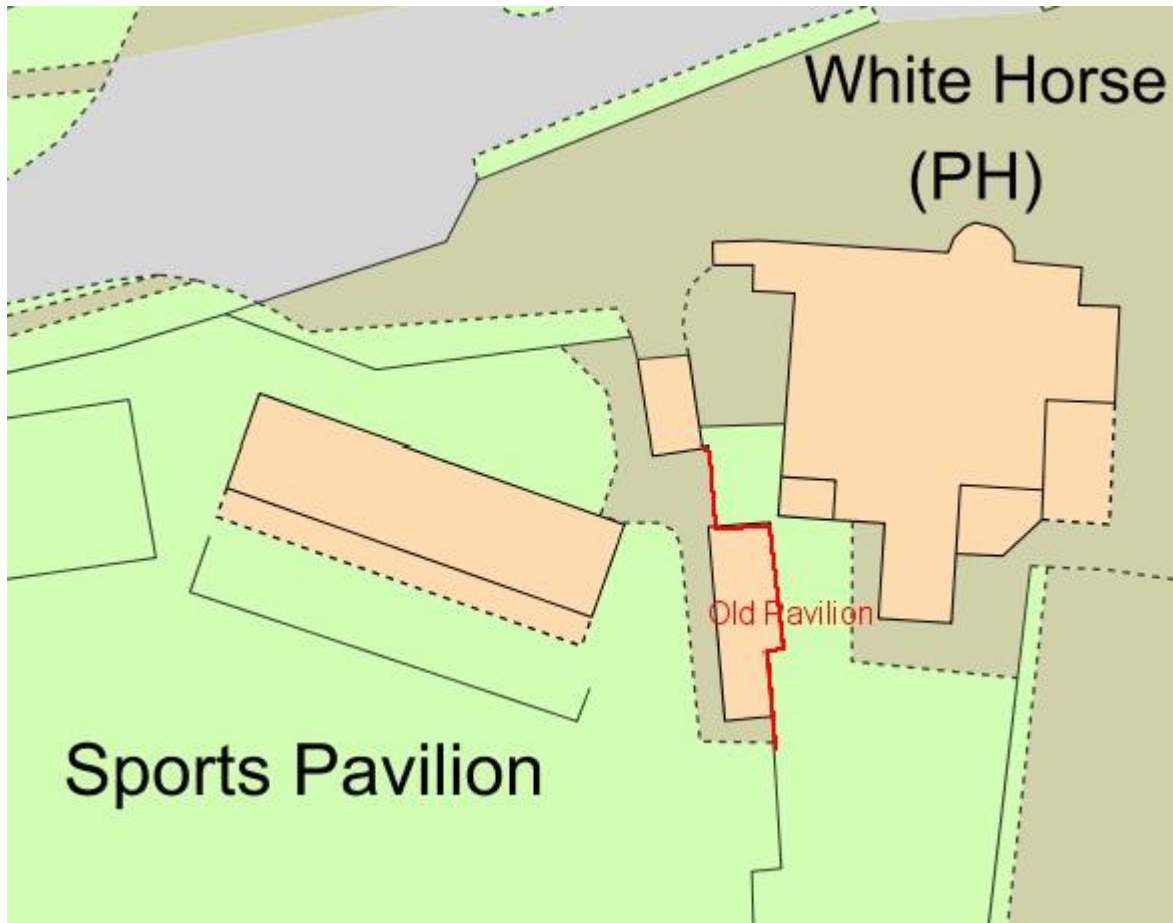
Costs should include the erection of public notices to be agreed with APC.

#### **To be provided by the contractor**

- Proposed cost
- Technical specifications
- Proposed timescale/programme from the date of the new area being available for use
- Examples of previous successful similar projects and contacts

## Progressing the ITT

It is proposed that a site visit and meeting be arranged prior to submission of the proposal.



Red line is that of the close board 1.8m wooden fence.