

## Grounds Maintenance

### Background

Parish Workers have made a request to purchase two additional items of ground maintenance equipment:

- A) A petrol long reach hedge trimmer – this will prevent the need for working at height and using step ladders to trim hedges.
- B) A petrol push wheeled trimmer (strimmer). This item was not replaced following the break in and theft of grounds equipment in late 2021 and would aid grounds maintenance work.

### Quotations

- A) A petrol long reach hedge trimmer  
'Stihl HL92 Petrol Long Reach Hedge Trimmer'



Quote A	Quote B	Quote C
£699 inc VAT	£899 inc VAT	£780 inc VAT
Free delivery	Free delivery	Free delivery

- B) A Petrol Push wheeled trimmer (strimmer).  
'Weibang Velocity 56 WTP Push Wheeled Trimmer'



Quote A	Quote B	Quote C
£599 inc VAT	£599 inc VAT	£599 inc VAT
Free delivery	Free delivery	Free delivery

### Budget

Council has a budget of £3000 for the 2024/2024 financial year in 'General Overheads – Equipment Purchases'.

### Recommendation

Council should consider the request to purchase additional grounds maintenance equipment and the quotes provided.