



**Saxilby Waterfront Working Group
Update for Planning and Development Committee
Wednesday 16 October 2024**

1. **Shoal of fish artwork:** There are still a number of fish available to design and purchase. Please share with friends and family the opportunity to be part of this sculpture.
2. **Saxilby Waterfront Facilities:** The roof survey is due at the end of the month.
3. **Flowerbed by the village sign:** There is bindweed in the soil which makes it difficult to grow plants. As this area is outside the Waterfront it is proposed that grounds could remove the soil and put in a weed suppressant with fresh soil. It can then be planted with spring bulbs and easy maintenance plants such as sedum and salvia 'hot lips' and agapanthus.
4. **Conservation Leaflet:** As part of the project plan, a leaflet about the conservation area is in progress.
5. **Wildflower pathway:** TCV will sow extra wildflower seeds this autumn and in the spring. A map of where the bench bases needs to be in place so they can sow round the bases. Purchase of the seeds will be reclaimed from CRT and the budget. Signs to be put in place to inform of the wildflower pathway to protect the pathway from being cut down.
6. **Volunteer events:** There will be no volunteer day in November due to the colder months. They will start back in April 2025 with the Big Spring Clean.
7. **Fishing:** LDAA have a Pike Fishing event on 19 October 2024
8. **Mosaic:**
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Recommendations:

To receive an update and agree the above and 3, 4, 5, and 8 recommendations:

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