

## Background

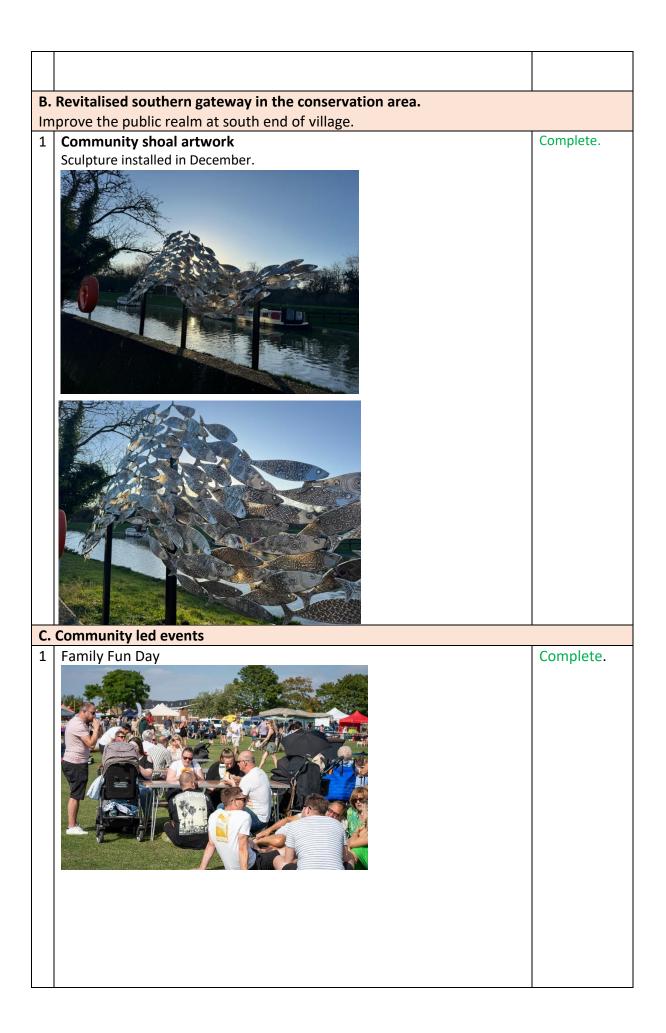
A Large Village Retail Area Fund Grant of £9,000 was awarded to the council by West Lindsey District Council on 12 December 2023 to:

Support the retail areas of Saxilby via public realm improvements and events that will boost footfall by encouraging residents and visitors to these areas. Public realm improvements - installation of bench and bin, public artwork installation and landscaping. Support to 2024 events programme via mobile events equipment and procurement of entertainers / artists.

The project end date is the 31 December 2024, following WLDC granting a three-month extension to the original end date.

There were two elements a capital and a revenue stream.

A. Enhanced northern retail gateway at Church Lane/Church Road Junction. Improve the public realm at north of the village by at the Church Lane/Church Road	
Junction	
1 Remove end of life street furniture and install new bench and bin base (see below)	Complete.
2 Low maintenance planting   Image: Comparison of the system of	Complete.





## **Recommendations:**

1. Note progress and completion of the project and for the admin officers to submit the completion report to WLDC.