



Meeting:	PLANNING & HIGHWAYS
Date:	Wednesday 13 May 2026
Report Title:	PH.26.009 RECEIVE monthly report and AGREE actions for a) Bus shelters - RECEIVE updated quote to skim the bus shelter ready to paint (£976.80)
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Officer's Recommendations:

1. To approve the allocation of £976.80 from Budget Line 1 – Bus Shelters to undertake surface skimming of the stone bus stop at Cam Pitch, in preparation for planned artwork. The works are to be commissioned to Company B.

Purpose of Report:

For the Planning & Highways Committee to review and agree to review quotes received for the skimming of the bus stop on the Fairmead/Cam pitch junction. The skimming is required to enable the artist appointed to create the women at Cam Mills theme artist installation.

Background:

Two quotations have been obtained from local contractors (Company A and Company B) for the required works:

Description	Quantity	Unit Price	VAT	Amount GBP
To skim interior walls in bus shelter at bottom of Cam Pitch prior to mural painting.	1.00	1,500.00	20%	1,500.00
Subtotal				1,500.00
TOTAL VAT 20%				300.00
TOTAL GBP				1,800.00

Above: Company A quote

Please find following estimate for skimming interior of bus shelter.

Apply bonding agent to interior walls.

Fix new render stop beads to entrance.

Apply filler and top coat of sand/cement render to interior to a smooth finish suitable for painting.

Remove all rubbish.

All labour.

Total £976.80 inc vat.

As with all our jobs any materials or labour we do not use will not be charged for.

Above: Company B quote

To note, P&H Committee noted the following at Committee meeting in April 2026:

PH.25.167 To RECEIVE monthly report and AGREE actions for

a) Bus shelters

To AGREE to commit £1,800 to surface skim the walls of the stone bus stop in preparation for painting

Committee expressed concern that the price was excessive for the small scale of the job. Projects Officer will get comparable quotes through other contractors. Committee delegated a budget of up to £800 net to skim the bus stop.



