

15/24E Bird Boxes

To: Clerk, Colwich Parish Council From: Cllr Upton-Loach

Cttee: **Environment**

Date: **04.03.2024**

Title. To Note the purchase of four bird boxes and Agree where five will be located.

Issue.

Four bird box kits have been purchased from Staffordshire Wildlife Trust and assembled by villagers. The demonstration box is also being donated as a community box. The Environment Committee should agree where to locate them.

Recommendations. Councillors are invited to consider the suggested locations:

- One for each church and one for JPF.
- Two for JPF, two for Remembrance Garden.
- One for four of the below places:
JPF, Remembrance Garden, Little Haywood Village Hall, Old Field's
Crescent, St Mary's park.
- Other suggestions.

Background.

Four bird box kits were purchased from Staffordshire Wildlife Trust. These were assembled at the village Nest Box Workshop held on 17th February in Great Haywood. Attendees has the option to pay to make one to take away or to make a community bird box for free. The example box has also been donated meaning there are five boxes to be placed around the Parish.

The money for this came out of the Green Infrastructure budget.

Supporting Documents.

None.