

The Vale of Glamorgan Council

Coastal Access Grant

Local Access Forum Meeting – Dec 2021

1.1 An offer of £111,863 (one hundred and eleven thousand, eight hundred and sixty-three pounds) has been constituting £104,863 for maintenance & improvement of the Wales Coast Path (75% of total cost) and a further £7000 for path realignment (100% of costs).

Project No.	Location	Grant	Project Description
1	Lavernock	22500	Surface of path has been scoured by rain, requires replacing with sealed surface and drainage to intercept field run off. VoG CC has committed 45k to the scheme during 21/22
2	Gileston – Pools	8813	Walls Pool - Gileston: Provision of 35 metres of boardwalk to overcome muddy section caused by wet ground.
3	St Donats Realignment	3500	St Donats Realignment: Realign path to follow walked line
4	Summerhouse	2500	Undercutting of path now means rollback is essential, landowner difficulties previously encountered
5	Nash Point boardwalk	3375	Nash Point (East) Boardwalk: Provision of 15m of boardwalk to improve muddy section of path
6	Porthkerry boardwalk	10500	Reserve Project (Porthkerry)- Purchase of materials for provision of 60m of boardwalk
7	Monknash	29531	Improvement of culvert, surrounds and access route to coast path and culvert. Project is associated with legal agreement concluded in 2017-18 and will address storm damage of path when under previous permissive arrangment, flooding of path via access route. Improvement work should be planned to commence in Q3 or 21-22 in order to take account of weather and peak tourist season. Work to secure necessary authorities, amend design and procure during 20/21.
8	Bulwarks	10594	Very slippery on gradient up and down slope - stepped access with handrail. Design and authorities will be during 19-20 (scheduled monument), works on ground will be 20-21. We've examined the site with the CADW officer and on the basis of his advice have had an archaeological assessment undertaken, which was returned around Christmas 19/20. We anticipate that this will allow us to proceed with a scheme under a

			watching brief. We've thus far discussed providing a raised path that is secured into the ground though this will be subject to advice from drainage engineers and a SUDS application.
9	Tresilian (2 year project)	1000	Section of path lost due to cliff fall in previous years and informal diversion provided around it. Landowner has indicated intention to close informal route and so now need to ensure legal alignment is protected. The compensation amount is speculative based on land value and calculable loss. If the owner carries through with his threats to close the path this will become an order rather than agreement and compensation rate may vary at that point
Maint	Maintenance	19550	Maintenance of the Wales Coast Path