

Meeting	Parks and Open Spaces Committee
Date	11 th April 2023
Report Title	Request to use Open Space on Kennet Avenue
Agenda Reference	9
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Officer Recommendations

1. That the Council approve a resident's request to hold a small community celebration in Kennet Ave on the 8 May 2023 14.00-18.00 for the King Charles III's Coronation.

Background

The Council has received a request from a resident of Kennet Avenue, Haydon Wick to hold a small community celebration on the green open space at the most southerly end of Kennet Avenue. The event will be attended by residents of the immediate area between 14.00-18.00 on Monday 8th May 2023. The residents of Kennet Avenue held a similar community-based event last year for the Queen Elizabeth II's Jubilee.

The verge in question is maintained by the Parish Council and the Head of Parks & Open Spaces does not have any reservations about the residents using this public open space. The resident has been given the contact details for Swindon Borough Council to seek permission if residents require any street closures or activities on the public highway.

Please see the picture below for clarity on the small area in question.



