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| **Meeting** | Parks & Open Spaces Committee |
| **Date** | 1st December 2026 |
| **Report Title** | Trees for Climate |
| **Agenda Reference** | 15 |
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**Officers Recommendation**
1. To note the report.

**Trees For Climate**
Councillor Vinay Manro has been working closely with Wiltshire Wildlife Trust to secure funding from the Trees for Climate fund to increase tree cover at three sites within Haydon Wick parish.

The proposed sites are listed below.




**Site 1 –** Henchard open space adjacent to HP1 path.
**Site 2** – Haydon end lane / Orchid care home
**Site 3** – Queen Elizabeth Park

The sites with receive various trees including Hornbeam, Field Maple, Wall nut, Cherry & Silver Birch, the planting date will be announced through our website.

It has been agreed that **Site 3** is the best location for a community tree planting session.

As there is budget / grant money we can apply for this to enable weekend tree planting – overtime and attendance at community tree planning days – this will be discussed as part of the application by the Parks & Open Spaces Manager and the Deputy Clerk, HR & Services Manager.