

Briefing Note

Supply of PROW materials to Parishes

As part of the recent announcement that parishes will be required to pay for materials and countryside furniture (stiles and gates etc) to be used in PROW projects, using their P3 grant or other funds, we indicated that we hoped to be able to supply some standard items at cost to parishes.

Parishes are at liberty to source the materials & furniture from their own suppliers if they prefer but BBLP are happy to provide these and that will both ensure a degree of consistency to the furniture and potentially achieve savings through economies of scale and delivery charges.

1. An indicative price list of items available for supply is provided overleaf. Should there be any significant changes to these prices then parishes will be notified before supply.
2. Parishes should request materials that they wish to be supplied via their Locality Steward.
3. As much notice as possible should be given of material requirements, particularly of large orders, as BBLP is only able to maintain a limited stock at any given time. Lead times for delivery from suppliers to BBLP where additional stock needs to be ordered can be 6-8 weeks.
4. Materials can be delivered to an agreed location in the parish or collected from our Thorn depot in Hereford by arrangement.
5. Details of the materials supplied will be passed to the Lengthsman / P3 administrator who will deduct the cost from the grant payable to the parish accordingly. The parish will not be required to pay for these directly and then reclaim the cost.
6. The cost of any materials that a parish purchases itself from other sources should be reclaimed through the normal P3 grant process and supported by copies of invoices / receipts etc.

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Indicative prices

Item	Indicative Unit Price (£)
Gates	
Pedestrian gate wooden	150
Pedestrian gate metal	150
Bridle gate metal	175
Kissing gate metal	240
Wooden gate hang post	17
Metal gate hang post	27
Wooden gate latch post	22
Metal gate latch post	35
Stiles	
Stile kit	49
Stile cross step upright	5
Stile cross step plank	5
Signs	
Signpost wooden	15
Signpost metal (urban area)	30
Wooden waymarker post	10
Plastic chevron/pointer	3
Other	
Ditch crossing plank (3.6m)	28
Handrail (3.6m length)	10
Handrail upright	5
Gradient Step Board	5
Gradient step (wooden pegs)	1