

# Hesket Parish Council

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To whom it may concern

Dear Sir or Madam

**Title: Grass Cutting, High Hesket and Armathwaite**

**Reference: GRASSHA**

**Tender Deadline: 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019**

Hesket Parish Council serves the communities in and around the villages of Armathwaite, Calthwaite, Low Hesket, High Hesket, Southwaite and Plumpton, providing support and infrastructure to suit local needs.

The Council would like to invite you to submit a tender for the following work.

## **Specification**

### **Background**

Hesket Parish Council owns a Play Area in Armathwaite village, which includes a large grassed area. The Parish Council also takes on the responsibility of maintaining several grass verges, to the benefit of Parish residents.

### **Duration**

The contract will run for a period of three years, expiring in December 2023.

### **Requirements**

The work required comprises three elements:

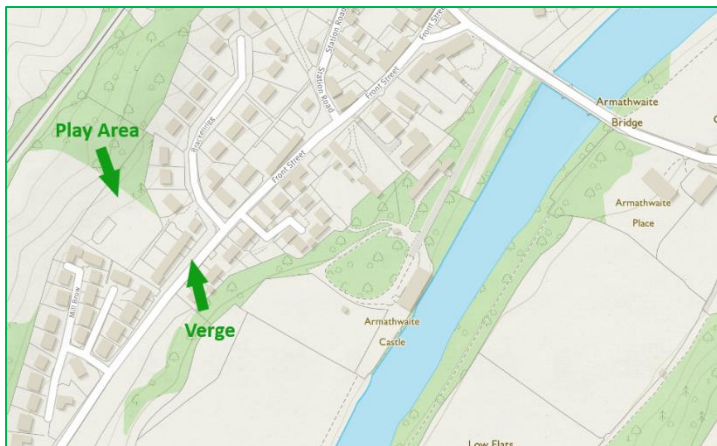
- Armathwaite Play Area, off Brackenrigg - the large grassed area at Armathwaite Play Area requires cutting approximately fifteen times a year, between April and October, weather dependent. This also includes the grass around play equipment.
- Grass verge, Front Street, Armathwaite – the grass verge illustrated in map A requires regular strimming, across the same period. As this borders a public footway, grass

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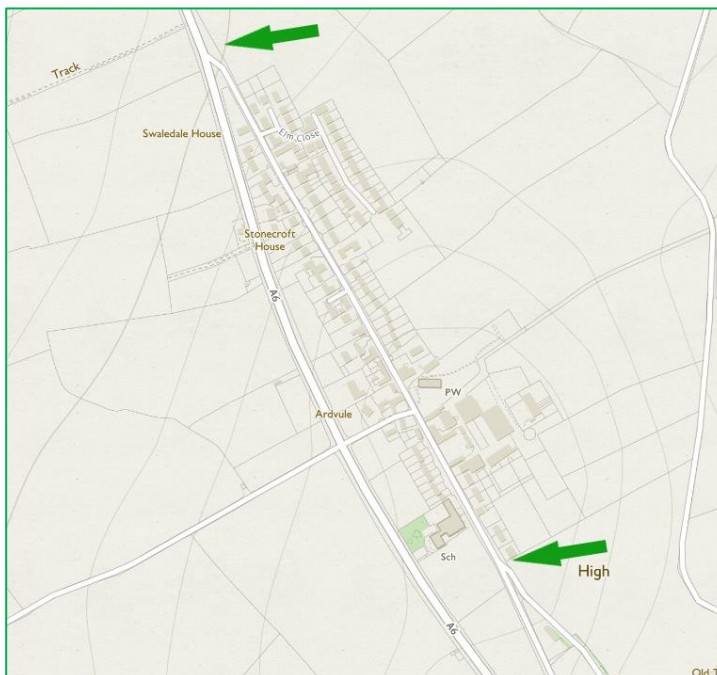
cuttings should be blown or cleared away to avoid creating a slippery surface for pedestrians.

- Grass verges, High Hesket – the grass verges illustrated in map B at the south end of the village around the bench, and at the north end of the village around the bench and oak tree, requiring regular cutting, between April and October, weather dependant.

### Maps



Map A - Armathwaite



Map B – High Hesket

\*Please note, all contractors must have appropriate liability insurance.

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## Timetable

Tender notice posted	28 <sup>th</sup> November 2019
Tender response deadline	20 <sup>th</sup> December 2019
Anticipated contract award	14 <sup>th</sup> January 2020
Contract duration	3 years (expires December 2023)

Tenders may be returned by email or post to the following address:

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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks for your consideration.

Yours faithfully

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Hesket Parish Council