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Description

A rural parish set within the Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, and containing the main village is Warnford, which lies adjacent to the River Meon. The village has a countryside status in the Local Plan Review.

Existing Recreational Areas (Hectares)

Play:			Local Sports:	
A	The Memorial Playground*	0.5	-	
			District Sports:	
			B	Hampshire Hogs Cricket Club (P) 1.4
General Use:				
In the developed areas:			In the adjacent countryside:	
			Pinks Hill Wood	
			Old Winchester Hill	
			Meon Valley Bridleway	
			Warnford Park	

Proportion of District Sports Provision attributed to the Parish (Hectares)

0.1

Adequacy of Land for Play and Sports (Hectares)

	Local Plan Requirement	District Provision	Remaining Requirement	Existing Area	Current Adequacy
Play	0.2	-	0.2	0.5	+0.3
Sports	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.0	- 0.3

Assessment of Play Areas

The main play area is the Memorial Playground, which accommodates a LEAP, which has been recently refurbished and satisfactorily serves the parish. There is no shortfall in play space.

Deficiencies: None

Improvements Proposed: None

Assessment of Sports Grounds

The Hampshire Hogs Cricket Club has good facilities, which contribute to the district-wide sports provision. The Parish generally looks towards West Meon for sports provision, where the pitches require some improvements.

Deficiencies: Land, standard. (Land sufficient when aggregated with West Meon).

Improvements Proposed: Assistance with improvements to the standard of pitches at West Meon (see West Meon Schedule).

Contribution Scale

For Play Areas: None

For Sports Grounds: B