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Description

An area of mainly recent development lying to the south of Badger Farm Road to the south west of Winchester. Although it is an identifiable community, it is effectively part of the Winchester built-up area, and is within the Winchester policy boundary in the Local Plan Review.

Existing Recreational Areas (Hectares)

Play:			Local Sports:	
A	Compton Way Recreation Ground*	0.5	A	Compton Way Recreation Ground
				1.1
			District Sports:	
				-
General Use:			In the adjacent countryside:	
In the developed areas:			Compton Down	
B	The Battery	0.6	Land adjacent to Recreation Ground	
			Whiteshute Ridge	

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

0.7

Adequacy of Land for Play and Sports (Hectares)

	Local Plan Requirement	District Provision	Remaining Requirement	Existing Area	Current Adequacy
Play	1.2	-	1.2	0.5	-0.7
Sports	2.4	0.7	1.7	1.1	-0.6

Assessment of Play Areas

The play area is at the main recreation ground. It is the only play area serving this substantial community. There is therefore a slight shortfall in children's play space and additional land and facilities are required particularly for older children.

Deficiencies: Land.

Improvements Proposed: Provision of facilities for teenagers at the main recreation ground.

Assessment of Sports Grounds

The Parish has a substantial shortfall of sports grounds, but it generally looks to the Winchester area for sports provision. It should, therefore, assist with the provision of new sports grounds in Winchester.

Deficiencies: Land, distribution.

Improvements Proposed: Provision of an all-weather hard surfaced court facility and/or additional land for sports grounds within the Parish, preferably adjoining Compton Way Recreation Ground, or, alternatively assistance with the provision of sports facilities in Winchester.

Contribution Scale

For Play Areas: A For Sports Grounds: A