

## **January-February 2023 Update**

The main emphasis during this period was on the completion of The Suffolk Wildlife (SWT) Landscape and Diversity Evaluation and The Landscape Appraisal, compiled by Lucy Bachelor-Wylam.

The Parish Council were notified of the above and this is recorded in the minutes of their meeting of January 17th, 2023:

### **2. Village Improvement**

#### **2.1 To review progress on developing the Neighbourhood Plan**

*Cllr Miller presented an update as Mary Pluquet was unable to attend the meeting: The Suffolk Wildlife Trust Survey had been completed and the report was ongoing. After being chased by Ian Poole, two more people were being added to help, and the remaining work was expected to be complete in 3 to 4 weeks. The Landscape Appraisal was expected to be ready for the Neighbourhood Plan (NP) end January. Cllr Miller emphasised the importance of receiving and paying NP invoices this financial year (covered by the £9005 grant), as the government haven't declared what, if any, support may be available next financial year. A public meeting would be arranged when the preliminary NP was ready for comment.*

### **Westerfield NP working group**