

Linear Park Bridge Repair

Background

The Friends of Bingham Linear Park reported damage to the top of a bridge which forms part of a public footpath between Bingham and Granby with the arch spanning over the Linear Park. Upon inspection, repairs are required to remedy:

- the stepped vertical cracks in the brickwork to the right inside elevations at the pier junction
- a vertical crack to the right-hand side over the spandrel
- replace missing brickwork to the corner

The cracking indicates a slight movement to the end pier so the introduction of Helifix Helibeam to ensure structural stability and to prevent any future movement is advised. The brickwork will be rebuilt in Staffordshire blues in lime mortar to match existing.

Quote

The contractor who has previously carried out a repair to a Linear Park bridge provided a quote of £4,720.00 + VAT.

Recommendation

To proceed with the repair at a cost of £4,720.00 subject to the necessary approvals from Nottinghamshire County Council Area Rights of Way Officer and liaison with the Crown Estates agent.