2 CAMPERDOWN PARK - RESTORATION OF SECTION OF PERIMETER WALL (AN163-2015)

Following an inspection by the City Engineers, the north-west section of the wall at Camperdown which borders the Coupar Angus Road was deemed to be in poor condition and in need of restoration. It is therefore proposed to carry out works including the rebuilding of a section of the wall and repointing a length of approximately 30 metres in order to prevent further deterioration and to ensure the integrity of the wall in the long-term. The condition of the wall has also been affected by nearby trees and crown lifting will require to be carried out on the trees which are affecting the integrity of the wall. Camperdown wall is a Grade A listed structure and the Council's Conservation Officer is content with the proposed works.

A quote was sought from the Construction Services Division within the Environment Department for the wall restoration works, and it was estimated that the cost for the works required would be approximately £25,889. In addition, a quote for the tree works, including contingencies of £4,630, was received from Environmental Management Division.

The Executive Director of Corporate Services advises that the above costs of £30,519 can be met from allowances for Parks and Open Space within the Environment Department's Capital Budget 2015/2016. It is recommended that the above proposals be approved and the Director of Environment be authorised to undertake these works. It is recommended that these quotes are approved.