

The ideas I wish to present are as follows:

I am proposing a new 'SUNRISE PARK - the Most Easterly Public Park in Britain'. It will include the Belle View Park - Sparrows Nest - Arnold's Bequest, the High Street Open Space and Ness Park on the North Denes.

The 'long stretch of grass' at the north end of our old High Street is officially the upper part of 'The High Street Open Space' and, with the cliff beyond it down to Whapload Road level, is the property of us all. That is, Lowestoft Town Council. It was one of the many 'Open Spaces' transferred from Waveney District Council to Lowestoft Town Council on April 1st 2017. These include the also neglected Arnold's Bequest along with Sparrows Nest, Belle Vue Park and the North Denes.

My idea is to join up the Open Space to Arnold's Bequest with a path at the bottom of the gardens of Beacon House. Further on, the Bequest already connects to Sparrows Nest across Lighthouse Score.

It is becoming my belief and mission to turn these two currently wild areas back to terraced gardens. This will greatly enlarge and enhance our famous most easterly public parks (Belle View and Sparrows Nest). It will also create a more direct access to and from the old High Street and connect with the newly made Ness Park on the Drying Racks ground.

This joining up could be made by constructing a new Score down through the Open Space to Whapload Road. This would give access to Ness Park.

What a super addition to our parks, at no cost, in land purchase at least! This scheme would also help the revival of our High Street and would complement the re-furbished and re-purposed Town Hall which will start in 2024.