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| Site | **VOS 12- ‘Halls Road’**  **Known locally as Field View (west) and Briarswood** |
| Grid Reference / Post Code | SJ 88521 58312 |
| Brief Description | This site forms an important natural wildlife corridor along the Biddulph Brook. |

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| Criteria. |  |  |
| Location *In reasonably close proximity to the community it serves* | **√** | Within the town centre. A path leads through the woodland and over the river linking Halls Road to Briarswood and the town centre. |
| Local Significance *Demonstrably special to a local community and holds a particular local significance, for example because of its beauty, historic significance, recreational value (including as a playing field), tranquility or richness of its wildlife.* | **√** | **Biodiversity:** An important wildlife corridor along the river.  **Local community:** Children play in the woodlands (evidenced by rope swings). |
| Size, Scale *Local in character and is not an extensive tract of land*. | **√** | c.2.7 acres in total. |
| Recommendation |  | Existing Local Green Space Designation within the Local Plan |

Pictures:



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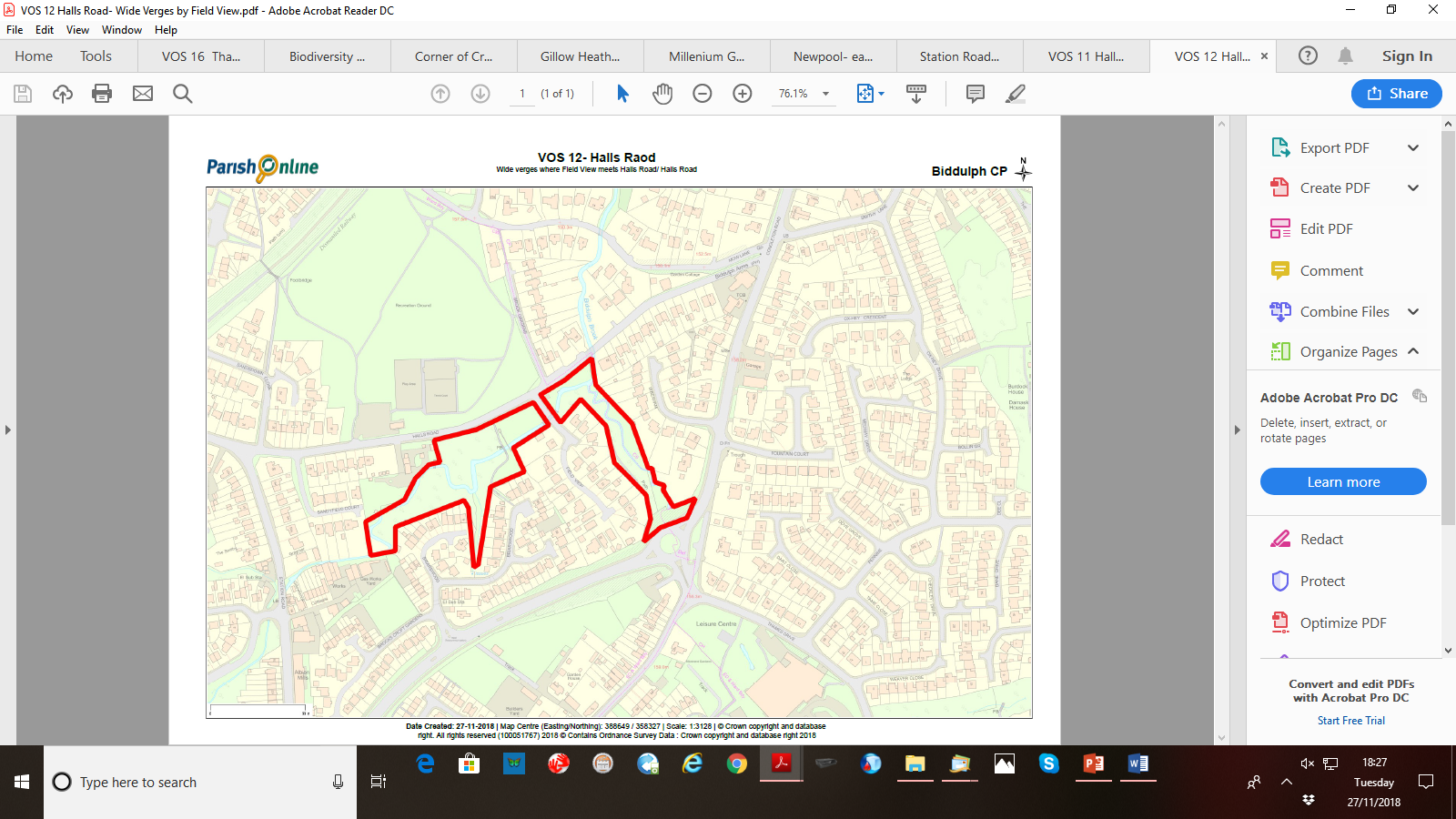








Map:



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