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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.

Criteria.		
Location <i>In reasonably close proximity to the community it serves</i>	√	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 <i>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.</i>	√	Biodiversity: An important wildlife corridor along the river. Local community: Children play in the woodlands (evidenced by rope swings). Important walkway into town and linkage between residential settlements.
Size, Scale <i>Local in character and is not an extensive tract of land.</i>	√	The size of two football pitches.
Recommendation		Existing Local Green Space Designation within the Local Plan

Pictures:





Map:

