Installation of grit/salt bin at Higher Bockhampton

Further to the discussion at the January meeting, Dorset Council's Community Highways Officer has confirmed that the Parish Council can install a bin itself subject to it being on a flat surface (either slabs or concrete), the grit bin is at least 500mm back from the edge of the carriageway and it is an approved bin for the highway.

For installation by Dorset Council: costs for 2023-24 for various types of fixings etc.

- Supply one number 6 cubic foot yellow grit bin, deliver, position on reasonable solid level ground and fill with rock salt would be £305.00 only excluding vat.
- Supply one number 6 cubic foot yellow grit bin, deliver, fix in position using expanding raw bolts in to an acceptable surface i.e. concrete, paving slabs and fill with rock salt would be £415.00 only excluding vat.
- Supply one number 6 cubic foot yellow grit bin, deliver, fix in position using expanding raw bolts with two number concrete anchor pads and fill with rock salt would be £536.00 only excluding vat.

For installation by the Parish Council:

- Estimate from John Kimber for the proposed base: Assuming the size of the salt container is the same as the one at Stinsford church car park, the base would be approximately 600mmx900mmx 150mm in thickness to allow fixing bolts to anchor the container. Labour and materials would be in the region of £290.00, not including bolting down the container
- Purchase of 6 cubic foot bin:
 - <u>Roadware 169litre</u> £96.95 excluding VAT
 - Kingfisher Direct £134.99 excluding VAT
- Initial fill of rock salt: approximately £100