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# Pavilion to be transformed in £35k revamp

## Project to improve facility at advanced stage

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**Plans for the £35,000 transformation of a sporting pavilion have been submitted to North Lincolnshire Council for approval.**

The project to improve Westwoodside Pavilion and bring more sports groups to the site includes two extensions to the building to bring it up to standard.

Chairman of Haxey Parish Council, Coun David Knowles said: "The major work is to extend the function room, doubling it in size and extend the meeting room by a third.

"The first stage to get a con-

tainer in position for storing sports equipment has already been put in place making more space available in the pavilion.

"We are going to upgrade the gate lane for the entrance and car park at the pavilion. We have already identified a contractor to do that for us.

"The next thing is to increase the lighting and security around the complex.

"The improvements will allow the local community a better facility which they will be able to use much more. Currently the parish council uses the pavilion for meetings.

"We want to have footballers there and other sports and organisations like the scouts,

as well as older sections as well to make more use of the pavilion.

The pavilion was taken over by the parish council from Westwoodside Playing Fields Association earlier this year because of dwindling committee members.

**"The pavilion is for the use of the whole of Haxey parish."**

**Coun David Knowles**

The planning application comes after North Lincolnshire Council provided a grant of juts over £34,000.

If planning approval is given it is hoped construction will start in the next three months and be completed by March.

Coun Knowles added: "The pavilion is for the use of the whole of the Haxey parish not just Westwoodside."

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