

Road Verge Nature Reserves in Witney

Date: Tues 10 June Recorder: [REDACTED]

Location

Burford Road from Tower Hill to Deer Park Road junction on both sides of the road, including the verge running parallel to the main road on the slip road leading to Windrush Valley Road.

Species list

Mullein – quite a colony and spreading on the slip road segment



1 Great Mullein field along the verge

Heading west on Burford Road...

Wild snapdragon – common toadflax



2 Common or Yellow Toadflax – *Linaria vulgaris*

Knapweed

Yarrow

Lesser celandine

White campion

Hedge bedstraw



3 Hedge Bedstraw - *Galium mollugo*

Heading East on way back from Deer Park Road lights

Musk Mallow near the lights



4 Musk Mallow - *Malva moschata*

Bird's Foot trefoil

Hedge bedstraw

Lady's bedstraw



5 Lady's bedstraw - Galium Verum

Creeping cinquefoil



6 Creeping cinquefoil - *Potentilla reptans*

Spiny Restharrow



7 Spiny Restharrow - *Ononis spinosa*

Scabious

Common toadflax – wild snapdragon

[5 hemlock plants before the bus shelter, of which 4 trampled down – poisonous and invasive. Should be dug out with protective clothing on]

Creeping cinquefoil

Numerous grasses that would need an expert to classify

