

Environment and Allotment Committee

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To: **Members of the Environment and Allotments Committee**

Dear Councillor,

You are summoned to attend a meeting of Kidsgrove Town Council Environment and Allotments Committee to be held at 7.00pm on Thursday, 23rd September 2021. The meeting will take place at the Victoria Hall, Kidsgrove.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Sue Davies'.

Sue Davies
Town Clerk

Business to be transacted

1. To receive apologies for absence
2. To receive declarations of Members' Interests
3. To receive and confirm the minutes of the meeting of the 1st July 2021. (Circulated and available on the website)

4. Public Participation

A period not exceeding 15 minutes for members of the public to ask questions or submit comments. (No individual to speak for more than 2 minutes without the permission of the chairman).

5. Matters arising not covered elsewhere (updates only) including:

- a. Liverpool Road: to receive and update if any feedback from BT Exchange in regards overgrown land.

6. Allotment updates:

a. To receive an update and agree any further actions – Crown Bank

- i) Update on the security fencing
- ii) Lease of land from Aspire
- iii) Initial consideration of water supply.
- iv) Initial consideration of toilets.
- v) Any other issues to be reported.

b. To receive an update and agree any further actions– Lamb Street

- i) Update on the transfer of land from NULBC.
- ii) To consider a request from Mr Plimbley for signage/posters asking for allotment holders not to spray chemicals.
- iii) Any other issues to be reported.

7. Environmental Policy – to receive an update from the meeting held 2nd August

8. Green Spaces/Play Areas

- a. Newchapel recreational Ground: To receive further updates regarding the Town Council use of some of the land and agree any actions.
- b. Other Green Spaces/play areas: To receive a report from the Clerk and agree any actions.

9. Parish baskets and planting: To further discuss planting 2020-21

a. To receive an update on the provision of planters or planting and to agree any actions:

- i) on the triangle on the entrance to Moorland Road if any feedback from Aspire, and to agree any further actions.
- ii) Pennyfields Road – 'Low's Corner'.
- iii) Entrance to Talke Pits.

- b. Improvements to the planting schemes at the front of the Town Hall: To consider ideas and agree any actions.
10. Parish bench provision: To receive an update and to agree any actions.
11. Footpaths working party: To receive an update.
12. Ranger Report: To receive an update from the Clerk and to agree any actions if required including:
 - a. Community work update.
 - b. To agree the purchase of hedge cutters. Three quotes have been received. To resolve to use supplier A who have been recommended by NULBC.

Supplier A:	£582 + Vat (stock later this week)
Supplier B:	£532.50 + Vat (no stock until end of October at the earliest)
Supplier C:	£582.50 + Vat (out of stock – we don't know when it will be back in)
13. Five Year Plan and forward budgeting: To receive an update from the Clerk and to recommend approval to Full Council or otherwise.
14. To receive any information items or correspondence received from the chair or clerk.
15. Future Key Agenda Items
 - Livestock policies for the allotments
 - Lighting in Bathpool Park
16. To agree the date and time of the next meeting: Thursday, 11th November 2021