

WARWICK TOWN COUNCIL

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ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE

14th July 2025

PRESENT:

Councillor S Pargeter Councillor Mrs K Dray Councillor Ms CL Moynihan

Assistant Town Clerk (ATC) Mrs A Clarke

COOPTED MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mr R Collier (Railwayside), Mr Alan Will (Canalside), Mr P Borrill – (PEAS), Mr S Poynter – (PEAS), Ms T Hackett(Myton Green), Mr T Sidaway(Myton Green), Mr P Lamb (WHS)

MINUTES

72. ELECTION OF CHAIR FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 2025/26: Councillor S Pargeter was nominated by Councillor Mrs K Dray and seconded by Councillor Ms CL Moynihan. There were no other nominations and Councillor S Pargeter was elected as Chair of the Allotments Committee 2025/26 unanimously. 73. APOLOGIES: Cllr Mrs Mini Kaur Mangat, Mr Simon Wilson (Canalside) sent their apologies it was resolved to accept them. Cllr Mrs E Harrison was absent. 74. **DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL OR PREJUDICIAL INTEREST:** There were none. **75. ELECTION OF A DEPUTY CHAIR FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 2025-2026:** Councillor Mrs K Dray was nominated by Councillor S Pargeter and seconded by Councillor CL Moynihan. There were no other nominations and Councillor Mrs K Dray was elected as Deputy Chair of the Allotments Committee 2025/26 unanimously.

76.	MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 24 TH FEBRUARY 2025 – noted and approved as a fair	
	record of the meeting	
	Allotment-Committee-Meeting-minutes-24th-February-2025 Amended.pdf	
77.	MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 28 th APRIL 2025— noted and approved as a fair record of	
	the meeting	
	Allotment-Committee-Meeting-minutes-28th April 2025 DRAFT.pdf	
78.	TERMS OF REFERENCE	
	Reviewed for this municipal year and accepted without any changes	
	Allotments Terms of Reference 2025-2026.docx	
79.	Review Allotments rules and regulations	
	Reviewed and approved the Allotment rules and regulations 2025, section 5.17 redrafted	
	Allotment Rules and Regulations 2025 REDRAFTED.docx	
80.	<u>UPDATE FROM ALLOTMENT ADMINISTRATION</u> – Mrs A Clarke, report noted	
	Report to Allotments Committee 14th July 2025.pdf	
81.	COMPOSTING OPPORTUNITY	
	All sites want to take up the opportunity to recycle the plants and compost from the	
	hanging baskets when taken down in October	
82.	PLOT 10B CAPE HOUSING – REQUEST TO CHANGE TO A COMMUNITY PLOT	
	Plot 10b has lay fallow and untended since it was severely flooded in winter/spring 2024.	
	This plot is always prone to flooding in winter/spring but 2024 was the worst flooding in	
	thirty years. Confirmed by a former long standing plot holder.	
	Several plot holders from Cape Housing East were present a the meeting and would like to	
	transform this plot into a community area consisting of fruit trees, fruit bushes and a	
	community seating area along with a notice board.	
	Next step = ATC to arrange for the allotment committee to visit site	
83.	SITE REPORTS:	
	<u>Canalside site</u> – No issues reported	
	Cape Housing – No issues reported	
	Railwayside –No issues reported	
	Myton Green – Advised that Mr D MacLeod and Ms Z Lewis are no longer part of the	
	committee.	
84.	Meeting closed at 6.54pm – next meeting is AGM followed by the awards evening on	
	Monday 22 nd September 2025	

Signed	Dated
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