

NOTICE OF MEETING

You are hereby summoned to a meeting of
Yarm Town Council Allotments Committee
to be held at

The Fellowship Hall,

West Street, Yarm TS15 9BT

Date & Time: 7pm, Monday, 11th July 2022

Members of the public are invited to
attend the meeting

**In line with government guidance as regards COVID at the
time**

Juliet Johnson, Proper Officer to YTC



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TS15 9AH

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Allotments Committee

AGENDA

1. **Apologies for absence**
2. **Code of Conduct | Declaration of Interest | Dispensation:**
 - a) To record declarations of interest from members of any item to be discussed
 - b) To consider, vote upon and record any requests for dispensation
3. **Proposal for giving a vote to Yarm Community Allotments Association
on YTC Allotments Committee
(pending Standing Orders waiver for 5th member)** - Cllr Coulson
4. **Height & nature of perimeter fences - discussion re. rules and regulations
(in consultation with YCAA)** - Issue raised with the Clerk
5. **Proposal for water services expert to review placement and
quantity of taps (Worsall Rd. Allotments)** - Cllr Addison
6. **Proposal to purchase groundsheets for temporarily covering any allotment
becoming vacant/abandoned/unattended for any reason
(weed prevention & consequent cost reduction)** - Cllr Addison/Clerk

With the exception of any item identified above as containing exempt or confidential information under the Local Government Act 1972 – section 100A(4), members of the public (other than those prohibited from doing so) are entitled to attend this meeting and/or have access to the agenda

7. Use of Pesticides: clarification within rules & regs. & for maintenance - Clerk
8. Purchase of generator for Worsall Rd. Allotments (no power) - (A. Gallafant)/Chair
9. Update from Yarm Community Allotment Association - YCAA Representative
10. Initial Discussion: empowering allotment communities - option / potential for devolution of allotment management (part thereof) - Cllr Coulson
11. Proposal as regards former allotment holder & previous suggestion (Cllr Monck) for an allotment award - Cllr Coulson
12. Allotment Rent: 2022 / 2023 - Clerk
13. To confirm the date and time of the next meeting
14. CONFIDENTIAL ITEM: response to complaint (Clerk's note to supply detail)