



**WELLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL
ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING
AGENDA**

**Members of the Public and the Press are invited to attend all Council Meetings
(Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960)**

Dear Councillors,

You are hereby summoned to attend the following meeting:

Meeting	Environment Committee
Time	6.00 pm
Date	23 October 2024
Place	United Reformed Church Hall, Fore Street, Wellington TA21 8AG

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Councillors will be discussing all the items listed on the attached Agenda and minutes will be available online after the meeting.

Yours faithfully

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17 October 2024

Committee Membership: Councillors C Booth, C Govier, M Lithgow, M McGuffie (Chair), S Pringle-Kosikowsky (Vice Chair) and K Wheatley (1 vacancy).

1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

2. APOLOGIES

To receive apologies and approve the reasons given.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of personal or prejudicial interests, in accordance with the Code of Conduct.

4. MINUTES

To approve and sign the minutes of the Environment Committee meeting held on 18 September 2024.

5. QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

Public Attendance: For those members of the public who wish to ask a question or make a statement a three-minute time limit applies to each speaker.

N.B Councils cannot lawfully decide items of business that is not specified in the summons/agenda (LGA1972 Sch 12, paras 10(2)(b) and Longfield Parish Council v Wright (1918) 88 LJ Ch 119

6. FOOTPATH UPDATE

Steve Saunders will provide an update.

7. GREEN CORRIDOR ADVISORY BOARD

To note the notes of the meeting held on the 24 September 2024 and to consider the recommendation that given the findings of the Junior Sports Pitch Feasibility Study not to proceed with the development of junior pitches and to look at other sporting options. Notes of the meeting and a copy of the Feasibility Study will be circulated in advance of the meeting.

8. DELEGATED BUDGETS

To review spend against delegated budgets for 2024/5 (paper to follow).

9. OPEN SPACES MANAGER REPORT

To receive an update on work since the last meeting and to consider the following:

- (i) To appoint a contractor to undertake repairs on the Weavers Reach pedestrian bridge.
- (ii) To agree the costs for relocating planters from the Somerset Council depot to sites around the town.
- (iii) To agree costs for the planting of the relocated planters.
- (iv) To appoint a contractor to undertake flailing work around the town.
- (v) To agree costs for preparing an area of land for the Woodland Trust Woodland Creation Scheme planting.

Papers to follow.

10 BUDGET 2025/6

To consider proposals to be included in the 2025/6 budget setting process.
Paper to follow.

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