

5 November 2021

A meeting of the [Open Spaces and Footpaths Committee](#) will take place on Wednesday 10 November 2021 at 7 pm in the Town Hall.

AGENDA

1. NOTICE OF MEETING

Public notice of the meeting has been given in accordance with Schedule 12, paragraph 10(2) of the Local Government Act 1972.

2. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

Members of the public will be given the opportunity to make any comments and raise any questions.

3. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence to be received and agreed.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS IN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

5. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 21 JULY 2021

To receive the minutes from the meeting held on 21 July 2021.

6. PLAY PARKS

a. To agree a programme of work for 2022/23.

7. TREE AND HEDGE WORK

a. To review the current Hedge Cutting Service Level Agreement (SLA) and agree the additional areas to be included in the SLA for 2022/23.

b. To agree a programme of tree work for 2022/23.

8. GRASS CUTTING

- a. To receive any reports regarding areas of concern.
- b. To consider a forward plan for the 'No Mow May' initiative.
- c. To identify areas suitable to be planted as 'wild flower' areas.
- d. To consider the cutting regime along the riverside based on advice from the Tees River Trust and the Environment Agency.

9. FOOTPATHS

- a. To review any complaints received.
- b. Moss Erosion / weeds on footpaths.

10. BUDGET 2022/23

- a. To agree the budget allocation request for 2022/23 to be submitted to the Finance Committee for consideration.