

## **Allotment and Open Spaces Committee**

## **Terms of Reference**

The Allotment and Open Spaces Committee will consist of a minimum of four parish councillors and at its first meeting after the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council in May shall appoint a Chairman. The appointed Chairman shall hold office for the coming year. A quorum will be a minimum of three parish councillors.

The committee is responsible for undertaking the following powers, duties and functions on behalf of the parish council as follows:

- 1. To advise on the appointment of maintenance contractors and monitor and review works undertaken
- 2. To review and make any necessary amendments to the allotment strategy, handbook and tenancy agreement.
- 3. To create and implement a 3 year plan for Waveney Green and review annually.
- 4. To manage and develop the Mowsbury Walk play area and review annually
- 5. To keep under review opportunities to secure funding support from external sources.
- 6. To recommend and approve any expenditure necessary for works (within the yearly budget).
- 7. To make recommendations, if necessary, to the Parish council for additional expenditure which cannot be funded from within the annual budget.
- 8. To prepare an annual budget for review by the council's finance working group in November each year and monitor expenditure against the annual budget approved by the council.

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