

AMBLE TOWN COUNCIL - AMENITIES COMMITTEE September 2025

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO ATTEND the Meeting of Amble Town Council Amenities Management Committee to be held on **Thursday 25th September 2025 at 6.00pm** in the **Town Council Office, Top Floor, Fourways 2, Amble NE65 0DT.**

This will be preceded by a site visit to the East Allotments at 5.15pm

**Vicki Smith
Town Clerk 19 September 2025**

Members and officers are reminded that if they have an interest in any item on the agenda it should be declared as soon as possible after the commencement of the Meeting. (Sections 94 to 98 and 105 of the Local Government Act, 1972, Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, and the National Code of Local Government Conduct).

AGENDA

31: APOLOGIES OF ABSENCE:

32: BUSINESS REQUIRED BY STATUTE:

33: DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS:

Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda, as required by the Amble Town Council Code of Conduct for Members and by the Localism Act 2011, now or as they come up in the agenda process. Members are asked to review their completed Register of Interest forms to ensure that they are accurate and up to date.

34: PUBLIC QUESTION TIME:

In accordance with Section 1(d-g) of the ATC Standing Orders members of the public present may address the Council at this point on the agenda. The Committee reserves the right to respond or debate the issue at a later date.

35: ALLOTMENTS:

35.1 To receive a report from AAHS, if available

35.2 To receive an update on knotweed.

35.3 To discuss installing a bollard at the west allotments

36: AMENITIES COMMITTEE AGENDA REPORT & MATTERS ARISING THEREFROM:

36.1 Amenities Committee Agenda Report attached.

37: ASSETS REPORTS:

37.1 To note and discuss issues and agree any actions required from the reports, if available

38: TOWN:

38.1 To receive an update on flower beds signage

38.2 To discuss the noticeboard on Links Avenue

38.3 To receive a quote to repair the coal trucks, if available

39: CEMETERIES:

West Cemetery

- 39.1 To receive an update on unstable memorial programme
- 39.2 To receive an update on installation of memorials
- 39.3 To receive a quote to repair a damaged fence, if available
- 39.4 To receive a quote to refix memorial wall plaque
- 39.5 To receive an update on damaged tree

East Cemetery

- 39.6 To receive an update on unstable memorial programme
- 39.7 To receive a quote to repair wall

40: PLAY AREAS:

Paddler's Park

- 40.1 To receive an update on placement of a water meter or alternative.
- 40.2 To receive an update on monthly meter readings for Water Feature
- 40.3 To receive an update on works required as highlighted in ROSPA report
- 40.4 To receive an update on damaged surface repair
- 40.5 To receive a quote to repair park gates
- 40.6 To receive a quote to repair grass matting

Philip Drive:

- 40.7 To receive a quote to repaint railings if available

41: TOWN FURNITURE e.g., bus shelters, bins, noticeboards, seats:

- 41.1 To receive an update on plaque for the Radcliffe School Memorial
- 41.2 To receive an update on the bus shelter on Acklington Road
- 41.3 To receive an update on the high street bus shelter
- 41.4 To receive an update on the reinstallation of seat and trees along Percy Drive/ Hauxley Grange.
- 41.5 To receive an update on installation of bus shelters on Percy Drive.
- 41.6 To receive an update on Church Street bus shelter
- 41.7 To discuss seat on Lindisfarne Road.
- 41.8 To discuss damaged seat on Queen Street

42: COMMUNICATIONS:

- 42.1 To note complaint

43: AGENDA ITEMS:

- 43.1 To receive an update on bus shelter improvement fund

44: INFORMATION ITEMS:

- 44.1 To note the most recent Paddlers Park and Philip Drive Playground Reports.
- 44.2 To receive an update on the King Edwin Primary School commemorative plaque
- 44.3 To receive an update on seat being donated
- 44.4 To note removal of an unused concrete seat base
- 44.5 To note new toddler swing has been installed
- 44.6 To note shutter safety repair has been carried out

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- 44.7 To note order of rope climb
- 44.8 To note order of soil for West Cemetery
- 44.9 To note seat relocated on Queen Street
- 44.10 To note cut back of brambles in the East Cemetery

45: DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING:

The next Meeting date will be held at 6.00pm on Thursday 27TH November 2025, in the Town Council Office, Top Floor, Fourways 2, Amble NE65 0DT.

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC: To consider passing the following resolution: That under section 1(2) the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items on the agenda due to the confidential personnel interests.

PRIVATE

46: Agenda

- 46.1 To discuss SLA