

# Congleton Community Garden and Allotment

## Invitation to the Community Gardens and Allotment Consultation



**Community Talk at Hillfields Close Open space– Focus is the allotments/community gardens on the land off Hillfields Close ( top of Congleton Park Woods)**

**Date: Tuesday 28th March 2023 @ 11am -12pm**

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The Team at Congleton Town Council would like to invite you to a community discussion regarding the community gardens and allotments proposal on the land of Hillfields Close, Congleton.

At the meeting, we will give an overview of the plan for the whole site and then an open discuss with any members of the public on the current plan proposal. There will then be plenty of time to hear your ideas, concerns and for you to ask any questions. We are very keen to hear from as many people as possible, especially residents of the local area. We will bring print outs of the specific layout for the site.

### **Allotment/Community Garden Plan**

The current plans are for a phased mixed allotment/community garden model. Initially there will only be 10-15 plots, all of which would be given to local community organisations/groups rather than individuals – this could include schools, youth groups and community groups etc.

There will be communal secure sheds for tool storage and no structures over 1 metre will be permitted on any of the plots. There will be a communal compost area.

Subsequent plot allocations will be decided by a committee consisting of people using the initial plots, Town Council Officers, Volunteers, and members of local partnship who will be working with i.e Stocks at the Pavilion and Food and Friendship Group, we will include a set of criteria for prioritisation - including priority for those with no/limited access to gardens/growing spaces.

Furthermore there will be a community garden, where residents and visitors can sit and enjoy the surroundings as well as enjoy watching the different wildlife visiting the site, there will be a mix of wildflower meadows,

We would love feedback on our plans with suggestions for how to improve the plans.

If anyone cannot make it on 28<sup>th</sup> March, but would like to know more or to share your thoughts, then please do not hesitate to get in touch via the details on the feedback form.



Please tell us your ideas and opinions.-

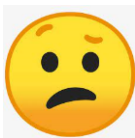
## Community Garden and Allotment – Hillfields Close, Congleton

Please tick.

I like it!

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I think it's OK, but...

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I don't like it

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Are there any  
proposals for this area; if so, why?

changes or additions you would like us to make to the

email us at [ruth.burgess@congleton-tc.gov.uk](mailto:ruth.burgess@congleton-tc.gov.uk) or post your comments to Congleton Town Hall, High Street, Congleton, CW12 1BN

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