



Ashburton Town Council

009: Little Roborough, TQ13 7BH



Description of asset offered

Garden plots on steep land

Comments received on Public Open Day, 31st January '26, 11am-3pm:

- 100% should be kept for the town; the community would need green space.
- Allotments are vital to the town; they are the only ones available as they have listed more.
- Absolutely must keep them; an essential part of town life.
- Access to outside space for many who do not have gardens.
- We need allotments; there has to be a solution within the town.
- Revenue/finances on a local level; allotments should be kept.
- Town Council should take on allotments; Teignbridge has no interest in maintaining them and it is too difficult to build on them.
- Deeds need to be examined as Teign Housing has allocated to allotment holders.
- Should breakeven with allotment fees.
- Allotments are important but holders should pay rent.
- Could generate money to keep the gardens maintained.
- Never seen Teignbridge do anything at allotments; they need renewal after 50 years.
- Allotments are greatly valued; they provide food for local people and are a small but good facility.
- Keep allotments; essential. Raise rent and make them available (possibly via lottery/bid system).
- Allotments are important; unsure about trees but green space must be kept.
- Essential to keep allotments.
- Previously privately maintained; now wasteful administration.
- They need to be kept - surely can generate natural income.
- Important resource for food, health and wellbeing.
- Keep as allotments.



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- A great deal of money was wasted; residents do not seem to want their gardens;
- plots could be at least half size and some land used for housing on Roborough Lane cannot be forbidden.
- Allotments are underused but could be improved; keep them as a community asset.
- Unsecure unless protected in a long lease; individuals have vulnerability.
- Allotments should be kept as a town amenity.
- Need to keep plots for biodiversity and community; but self-sufficient if rents cover costs.