

## COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIPON OFFICIAL NOTICE OF A MEETING OF THE ALDERMAN SPENCE COMMITTEE

Date: 19<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Time: 6:00pm

Location: Council Chamber, Town Hall, Ripon.

Council Members: Cllrs Martin-Long, Duncan, Horton, Hardisty, Flatley, and McHardy.

You are summoned to attend an Alderman Spence Committee meeting for the purposes of determining the agenda items listed below.

Yours sincerely

P M Benson

Chief Officer 14<sup>th</sup> May 2025

## **AGENDA**

28/25	1. To elect a Chairman of the Committee;
	2. To elect a Deputy Chairman of the Committee.
	3. To receive apologies for absence.
	4. To approve reasons for absence.
29/25	To request any disclosure of an interest in relation to any matter under
	consideration at this meeting (financial or otherwise) & to consider any written
	requests for dispensation.
30/25	Members of the public are invited to question, seek clarification or make
	representation to members of the Committee on any agenda item as listed below.
31/25	To receive and approve the minutes of the previous meeting held on 14th April
	2025.
32/25	To receive the following reports and agree appropriate action:
	1. Clerk's report.
	2. Warden's report.
33/25	To receive an update on Financial and Governance Matters:
	1. To receive an Income and Expenditure Report for the period between
	01.04.2025 and 30.04.2025.
34/25	To receive an update on the Natural England and SSSI matters:
	1. To receive an update on the Natural England Management Plan and
	Higher-Level Stewardship agreement renewal.
	2. To receive an update from the engaged consultant and agree the
	appropriate action.
	3. To consider Himalayan Balsam Control and agree appropriate action.

35/25	To receive an update on nominations for non-voting members prior to their nominations being received by Full Council, and to receive any new nominations.
36/25	To agree to develop relationships with community partners.
37/25	To note the position on the various matters on the site and agree appropriate action:  1. Hut. 2. Trees. 3. Fencing. 4. Car Park. 5. Litter bin. 6. Dog fouling.
38/25	To note the time and date of the next meeting - 22 <sup>nd</sup> September 2025 at 6:00pm.

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