

THREE RIVERS ENVIRONMENTAL NETWORK

NOTICE AND AGENDA

For an in-person meeting to be held on Tuesday 7th July 2026 at 7.30pm at The Education Centre, Batchworth Lock Canal Centre, 99 Church Street, Rickmansworth, Herts WD3 1JJ.

Councillors Jon Tankard (Chair), Chris Mitchell (Vice-Chair), Aidan Bentley, Andrea Fraser, Raj Khiroya, Chris Lloyd, Kerry Milliken, Mike Sims and Kavan Trivedi.

The meeting is also attended by a wide range of local charities, organisations and community groups.

1. Welcome, Introduction and Apologies for Absence

2. Notes

- (a) To receive the notes of the meeting of the Three Rivers Environmental Network held on Wednesday 18th March 2026
- (b) Matters arising (if not covered elsewhere)

3. A Talk from Sarratt Community Garden Director Flora Garvey

A talk that will include the topics of: community gardens; focusing on the success of the Sarratt Community Garden founded in 2019; and Woodoaks Farm Community Orchard

4. An Update from Francesca Cohen from the Three Rivers Biodiversity Team

5. Discussion Time in Breakout Groups

- What are the biggest barriers to buying food from sustainable or organic sources?
- How can we help domestic gardens support biodiversity and wildlife?
- How can we encourage greater engagement and participation in / with community gardens?

6. Round Table of Upcoming Events/Schemes/Initiatives Not Mentioned Elsewhere

7. Any Other Business

Attendees are asked to notify the Committee Team in advance of any matters they would like to raise: committeeteam@threerivers.gov.uk

8. Next Meeting

Wednesday 4th November 2026 at 7.30 pm. Location and topic to be confirmed. Any suggestions for a topic?

9. A Tour of the Sustainable Three Rivers Community Garden

A guided tour of the Sustainable Three Rivers community garden and orchard located behind the Rose Garden, Northway, Rickmansworth, WD3 1EA

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