

April 2018	The Council is made aware that some allotment tenants wish to self-manage the allotments.
June 2018	The Allotment Committee is inquorate.
July 2018	The Allotment Committee is replaced with a Consultation event on Self-Management. First draft of the Allotment Self-Management Proposal is considered. This includes full self-management with the exclusion of the transfer of Finances due to Local Government Act 1972 s101.
July 2018	The Parish meeting is abandoned due to disruption. A revised policy was to be considered following changes made after consultation.
August 2018	There are no meetings held in August.
September 2018	Clerk is absent, self-management is not acceptable to residents and a joint Working Group is to be set up. Minute 10. Self-Management of Allotments - Allotments Working Group Informal group reporting to the parish council Next steps Act - RH to meet with any concerned residents to review Working Group rules Plain English rules Act - Contact RH if you want to be involved in drafting document DM offered to help Anonymous survey?
October 2018	Newsletter advert for Working Group volunteers.
November 2018	Clerk returns and draft Working Group Terms of Reference are being prepared.
April 2019	Terms of Reference agreed and approved.
September 2019	1 volunteer responds, unfortunately as he is also the Parish Lengthsman this would be a conflict of interest.
October 2019	As only 1 disqualified volunteer has responded, the Working Group is disbanded. The Council receives verbal information that there is an Act of Parliament that permits tenants to fully self-manage allotments. An information request is sent to Lancashire Association of Local Authorities.
31 st Oct 2019	LALCs response: re "Small Holdings"
November 2019	Revised self-management proposal brought for consultation with full management rights. The 1908 Small Holdings and Allotment Act also states tenancies may not be given to non-parishioners, report taken to Council. Proposal agreed in principal subject to a vote by tenants. Self-management policy version 4 prepared following further comments.
January 2020	Legal advice sought from NALC on non-parishioner tenancies. Self-Management Policy revised following comments. Version 5 approved.
20 th January 2020	Legal advice received from NALC.
21 st January 2020	Notice to quit approved for non-parishioner tenants.
March 2020	List of non-parish tenants identified. Information/explanation and termination letter agreed. Councillor hand delivered letters. Prior to delivery John Greenwood makes an agreement to transfer his tenancy into a family members name.