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WOOTTON PARISH COUNCIL 3 TIER FLOWER PLANTERS RISK ASSESSMENT



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Version History

Version	Reviewed at	Approved at
Version 1.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th October 2016	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th October 2016
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 11 th October 2017	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 11 th October 2017
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 11 th July 2018	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 11 th July 2018
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 14 th August 2019	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 14 th August 2019
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 14 th October 2020	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 14 th October 2020
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th January 2022	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th January 2022
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 10 th August 2022	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 10 th August 2022
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th July 2023	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th July 2023
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th February 2025	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 13 th August 2025	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 13 th August 2025
Version 2.00	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th August 2026	Full Council Meeting of Wootton Parish Council on 12 th August 2026

To be reviewed annually.

Assessed Risk: Flower Planters: Bedford Road (opposite the Cock Inn PH); Bedford Road (junction with Cause End Road); Bedford Road (adjacent to Hanover Court flats); Bedford Road (opposite the Memorial Hall); Fields Road (close to the Berryfields development).		Assessed by: Sue Edgar Playford Clerk to the Council and Responsible Financial Officer	Date: 29 th July 2026
SEVERITY OF HARM → LIKELIHOOD OF HARM ↓	NEGLIGIBLE Superficial injuries, minor cuts, and bruises	MODERATE Minor fractures or ill health leading to minor disability	SEVERE Multiple injuries, major fractures, fatalities
IMPROBABLE	SLIGHT	TOLERABLE	MODERATE
POSSIBLE	TOLERABLE	MODERATE	SUBSTANTIAL
FREQUENT	MODERATE	SUBSTANTIAL	INTOLERABLE

Nature of Hazard?	Who might be harmed and how?	Actions already in place	Further actions required to manage this risk?	Action to be taken by whom?	Further actions by when?	Date completed
Risk of injury due to flower planter falling over	Contractor's employees and General Public	Quarterly checks to ensure base has not been subject to any ground movement	Any issues are reported to the Clerk to the Council by Bedford Borough Council	Clerk to the Council	Ongoing	Ongoing
Risk of injury whilst maintaining flower planters	Contractor's employees and General Public	Ensure that company employed has its own safety assessments and insurance cover for both their staff and	None	Clerk to the Council	Obtain copies of insurance certificates. Clerk has an annual diary note to chase for	Diarised annually

		the general public			renewals	
Risk of rusting and decay to flower planter stand causing the planter to fall over	Contractor's employees and General Public	Quarterly checks to ensure planter has not been subject to any major decay or rust (bolts etc)	Any issues are reported to the Clerk to the Council by Bedford Borough Council	Clerk to the Council	Ongoing	Ongoing



flower towers - octagonal base colourful displays from any angle!

Eye-catching and Ideal for when space is limited the octagonal base Flower Tower is the perfect way to brighten up your streets and shopping precincts.

Available In a wide range of colours, our Flower Towers are a great way to display advertising, logos and sponsorship. Our In-house design and advisory services means when it comes to making your planters stand out from the crowd we can meet your exact specification.

The Plantscape® Flower Tower is well made, tough and easily transportable, but we'll not only deliver them to your location but we'll also set them in place for you as part of our service.

The special low maintenance feature on this Flower Tower not only allows for easy feeding and watering, but the In-built water reservoir system means that your planters can go for days without watering, saving you both time and money.

Benefits

- Durable, tough, well-made and easy to move with a hand pallet truck
- Ideal for displaying company logos, sponsorship and advertising
- Low maintenance - all our planters can go for days without watering
- Ideal for shopping centres and large feature planting
- Available in 1, 2, 3 and 4 tier baskets up to 2400mm in height, with a standard base size of 1000mm sq
- Available in a variety of colours



Octagonal Base Flower Tower with winter planting

Flower Tower - Octagonal Base			
Plan: Illustration of Octagonal Base Flower Tower	One Tier	Two Tier	Three Tier
Four Tier	One Tier Specifications: • 1200mm x 1200mm x 700mm • Water reservoir capacity 360 litres • Compost capacity 500 litres REF: POOT1 Two Tier Specifications: • 1200mm x 1200mm x 1400mm • Water reservoir capacity 480 litres • Compost capacity 650 litres REF: POOT2 Three Tier Specifications: • 1200mm x 1200mm x 1800mm • Water reservoir capacity 470 litres • Compost capacity 675 litres REF: POOT3 Four Tier Specifications: • 1200mm x 1200mm x 2000mm • Water reservoir capacity 515 litres • Compost capacity 675 litres REF: POOT4		

Please Note: All measurements and capacities are approximate