

REGISTER OF INTERESTS FORM

Council	East Ayton Parish
Councillor	Sharon Swain
Date	16/10/24

I understand and acknowledge that the information I provide in this form will constitute my entry in the Register of Interests maintained by the Monitoring Officer of Scarborough Borough Council.

Any relevant guidance notes are set out in italics. These notes give general guidance, but are not necessarily comprehensive.

You are required to complete this form to the best of your knowledge, setting out your interests and if relevant any interests of your spouse or partner. Please complete all parts of the form. If the question is not relevant to you or you have no interests to register, please put "none" or "not applicable". By law, this form must be returned within 28 days of your election or appointment to the parish clerk. If you are unsure about how to complete this form please seek advice from the Monitoring Officer or Deputy Monitoring Officer.

1.	<p>Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain.</p> <p><i>Guidance and advice received from leading Counsel is that although being a Member of a Council is an 'office', it is unlikely to be one carried on 'for profit or gain' because the payment of the allowance is to defray expenses and lost income – it is compensatory in nature.</i></p>	
	Member	Spouse/Partner
	None	Window cleaner

2.	<p>Sponsorship - Please include any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the Council) made or provided within the last 12 months in respect of any expenses incurred in carrying out duties as a member, or towards election expenses. This includes any payment from a trade union.</p>	
	Member	Spouse/Partner
	None	None

3. Contracts with the Council - Please include details of any contract made between you or your spouse/partner (or a body in which you or your spouse/partner has a beneficial interest) and the Council under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed and which has not been fully discharged.

'Body in which you or your spouse/partner has a beneficial interest' means a firm in which you or your spouse/partner is a partner or a body corporate of which you or your spouse/partner is a director, or in the securities of which you or your spouse/partner has a beneficial interest.

'Securities' means;

(a) shares;

(b) debentures;

(c) debenture stock;

(d) loan stock;

(e) bonds;

(f) units of a collective investment scheme; and

(g) other securities of any description, other than money deposited with a building society.

Member	Spouse/Partner
None	None

4. Land - Please provide details about any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of the Council. Please provide the address or a brief description to enable it to be identified.

*A **'beneficial interest'** in land includes a proprietary interest for your own benefit, for example 'owner', 'lessee, or 'tenant'. This will include your home if it is within the Council's area, or any other property that you own as a landlord.*

'land' excludes an easement, servitude, interest or right in or over land which does not carry with it a right for you or your spouse/partner (alone or jointly with others) to occupy the land or receive income.

Member	Spouse/Partner
None	None

5. Licences - Please provide details of any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of the Council that is of a duration of one month or longer.

A licence is a personal right or permission to do something on property belonging to another which prevents the permitted act from being a trespass.

A licence grants non-exclusive possession of land or a property, or combines possession with the provision of services (for example a serviced office space).

Member	Spouse/Partner
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6. Corporate Tenancies - Please provide details of any tenancy where the landlord is the Council and the tenant is a body in which you or your spouse/partner has a beneficial interest.

Member	Spouse/Partner
None	None

7. Securities - Please provide details of any beneficial interest in securities of a body that has a place of business or land in the area of the Council and either; (a) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or 1/100th of the total issued share capital of that body; or (b) if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you or your spouse/partner have a beneficial interest exceeds 1/100th of the total issued share capital of that class.

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None	None

8. Appointments by Council to 'Outside Bodies' - Please provide details of any outside bodies to which you have been appointed by the Council to act as the Council's representative. Please include details of the capacity in which you are appointed and whether you are in a position of management or control.

This might include appointments to statutory bodies, housing organisations, the North York Moors National Park Authority, Local Enterprise Partnerships (LEPs), assemblies, associations (such as the Local Government Association) or joint committees.

Member

Playing Fields Association, Friends of Ayton Castle

9. Membership of Other Public Authorities/Bodies - Please include details of any memberships of other Public Authorities or bodies exercising functions of a public nature, which you hold in your own right.

This might include other Councils (Parish, Town or County), statutory bodies, or health authorities.

Member

None

- 10 Membership of Charitable Bodies - Please provide details of any membership you have in a charitable body, including (if relevant) details of any position of control or management.

Membership of a charity includes where you are paying a membership fee, or have voting rights at a meeting of the charity, or receive regular newsletters or other publications.

Member

None

11 Bodies influencing public opinion - Please provide details of any membership you have in a body whose main purpose is to influence public opinion. This will include political parties, lobby groups, and pressure groups.

Member

None

12 Trade Unions and Professional Bodies - Please provide details of any membership you have in a trade union or professional body, including (if relevant) details of any position of control or management you hold.

Member

None

13 Private Club/Organisation - Please provide details of any private club or organisation of which you are a member and which is not otherwise listed on this form, including (if relevant) details of any position of control or management you hold.

This will include any private club or organisation where membership is restricted, for example by way of application and assessment of that application, or by invitation only. Examples would include:

- *golf or other sports clubs;*
- *ex-forces clubs;*
- *alumni clubs;*
- *social clubs;*
- *working men's clubs;*
- *gaming clubs;*
- *drinking clubs;*
- *dining clubs;*
- *Freemasons; and*
- *Lions clubs.*

Clubs or organisations where the only joining requirement is the payment of a membership fee would not be included. Examples would include most leisure centres and gyms.

Member

Secretary on the management committee of Ayton Sports Association

14 Other Expenses - Please provide details (including the name of the person or body making the payment) of any other payments you have received for expenses incurred carrying out your duties as a Member of the Council.

This might include travel expenses for attending meetings of a local authority association.

Member

None

SENSITIVE INTERESTS

Where you are of the view that any of the interests you have set out in this form are 'sensitive interests', you must inform the Monitoring Officer at the time you submit your form.

Please note that an interest can only be a 'sensitive interest' where the nature of the interest is such that you, and the Council's Monitoring Officer, consider that disclosure of the details of the interest could lead to you, or a person connected with you, being subject to violence or intimidation.

YOU ARE LEGALLY REQUIRED TO UPDATE THIS FORM AND NOTIFY THE MONITORING OFFICER WITHIN 28 DAYS OF ANY CHANGE TO YOUR INTERESTS

FAILURE TO DO SO MAY AMOUNT TO A CRIMINAL OFFENCE UNDER THE LOCALISM ACT 2011