



Martinlaakso Social Democrats Inc.

Members of the Vapaalanmetsä
community garden association

Notification 1/1
Regarding changes in the allotment
garden area of Vapaalanmetsä Attach-
ment

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CHANGES IN THE ALLOTMENT GARDEN AREA OF VAPAALANMETSÄ

Dear gardener!

The City of Vantaa will begin the construction of the extension of Luhtitie road next year. The Pellaksenoja stream will need to be moved from the route of the road and it will be moved to the south side of the future Luhtitie. Both Luhtitie and the new Pellaksenoja route will be located on top of the current community garden area in such a way that about half of the allotment gardens will be left under these new constructions.

During the summer of 2021, the whole Vapaalanmetsä allotment garden area will not be in use.

Because of the moving of the road and the stream, the gardeners are to remove all possible personal property from the gardens, such as furniture, equipment, and structures. Also, perennial plants, such as berry bushes, should be moved away if at all possible because during the construction work, nothing can be stored in the area. The city requires the remaining community garden area for storing clean land masses, such as piles of dirt, during the construction work.

The city will cancel the Vapaalanmetsä allotment garden area rental contract for next year.

The city will aim to get the Vapaalanmetsä allotment garden area in order for the summer of 2022, when Luhtitie will also be in shape for traffic. The aim is that the city will level out the allotment garden area in such a way that the top layer will consist of cultivable land masses or dirt. In addition, the city will remove the small groves on the south and east sides of the allotment garden area, removing the tree stumps and making more room for the gardens. The city will also arrange for a water pipe to the allotment garden area.

The next page has a map presentation of how much of the current allotment garden area will remain under the road and stream routes.

You can ask about possible allotment garden patches for next summer from the following associations:

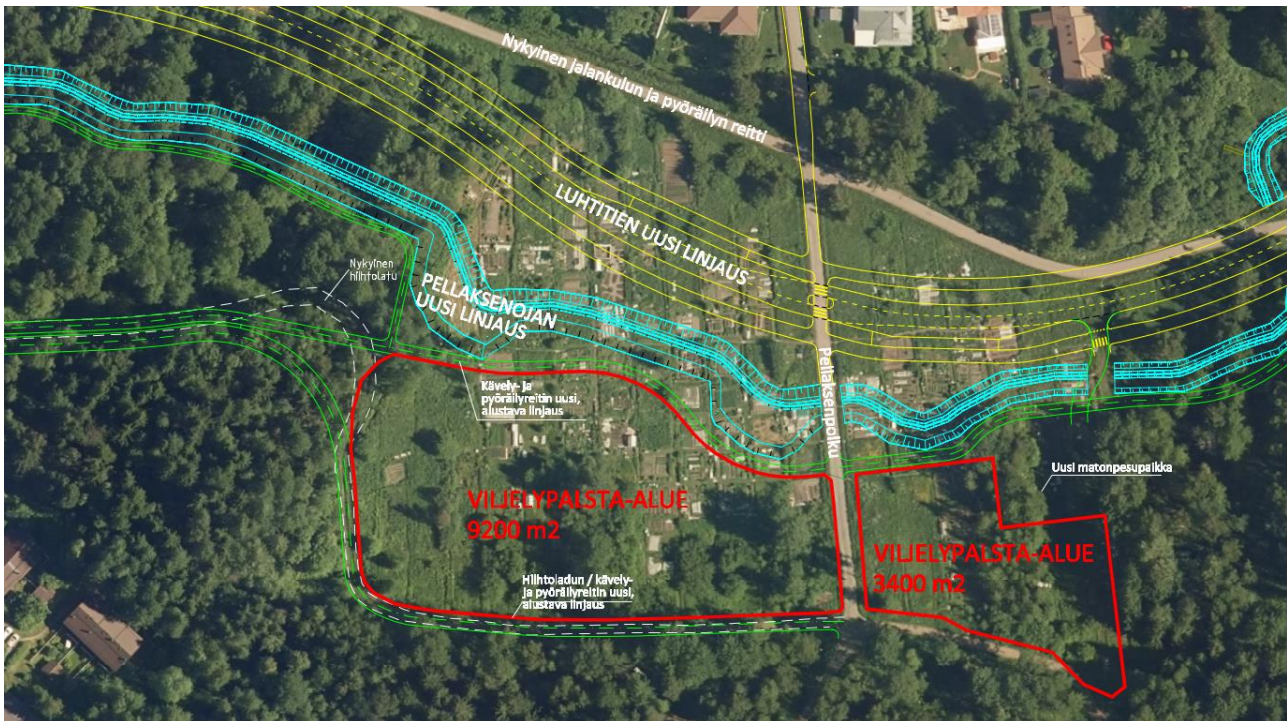
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Other allotment garden associations can be found at:

https://www.vantaa.fi/leisure/nature_and_outdoor_recreation/parks_and_green_areas/allotment_gardens



The area marked in red will remain for cultivation

Additional information from the City of Vantaa from the following:

Vapaalanmetsä park planning: Petra Tammisto, petra.tammisto@vantaa.fi.

Permit matters for allotment garden areas: Jukka Anttila, jukka.anttila@vantaa.fi /Anton Kulppi, anton.kulppi@vantaa.fi

Luhtitie road planning: Mikko Kettunen, mikko.kettunen@vantaa.fi.

The general plan for moving Pellaksenoja, Marja Kivelä, marja.kivela@vantaa.fi.