

Climate Change Action Plan Projects Update

15 October – Climate Change Scrutiny Panel

Scope 1 Update

- Vehicle Replacement Programme 2024 annual update:
 - Transition to a more modern fleet
 - Carbon and EV considerations
 - Infrastructure requirements
- Food Waste vehicle approach:
 - Vehicle Type and role of HVO

Scope 1 + 2 Update

- Work with SSEN and consultant to refine Hook Tip Recreation Ground solar farm proposal
- Submitted application for Low Carbon Skills Fund
- Application to Public Sector Decarbonisation Fund in November
- Mainstreaming Carbon Reduction across services:
 - Carbon Literacy Training

Scope 3

- Swimming Pool Fund:
- Installing £647,000 of energy saving measures including rooftop solar
- Should reduce the centre's carbon emissions from electricity use by 72%
- Opening of Fareham Live: A range of green measures but will increase Scope 3 emissions overall

Wider Borough

- Promoted Greening Campaign: Funded new Titchfield and Portchester Groups to sign up
- Active Travel Grant application – healthy walking routes and app
- EV chargers in Fareham Live car park
- Beyond Procurement – carbon reduction support for local businesses
- Warmer Homes, Solar Together and Local Energy Advice Partnership (LEAP) schemes continue

Adaptation and Mitigation

- Coastal Partners:
- Study of Fareham Quay and Portchester foreshores
- Seeking solutions to reduce the flood risk to residential properties as sea levels rise

Environment Strategy Considerations

- Range of potential workstreams to incorporate in strategy development
- **Identify Good Practice:**
 - Climate Scorecards – benchmarking
 - Partnership for South Hampshire - Greenprint framework:
 - Net Zero with Nature
 - World Class Blue and Green Environments
 - Natural Health Service
 - Quality in Design and Build
 - Green Skills and Jobs

Environment Strategy Considerations

- **Carbon Reduction:**
 - Fully define commitment
 - Options modelling to carbon neutrality
 - Feasibility of potential 'insetting' and offsetting options
 - Council's role supporting wider Borough emissions reductions, including our housing stock

Environment Strategy Considerations

- **Wider elements to consider:**
 - Local Plan policies
 - Coastal management
 - Green and open space management approach
 - Biodiversity Net Gain
 - Nitrate Neutrality
 - Simpler Recycling
 - Air quality

Environment Strategy Considerations

- **Other:**
 - Governance
 - Mainstreaming, including training
 - Incorporation into decision making