



10/07/2025

An ORDINARY MEETING of the **CLIMATE & NATURE COMMITTEE** will be held on **Wednesday 16th July 7pm** at the Brockridge Centre and the following business will be transacted. All Committee Members are summoned to attend.

Kind Regards

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Climate and Nature Officer to the Parish Council

AGENDA

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

MOTION: To receive and note apologies.

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS

With reference to items on the agenda Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare interests and to update their Register of Interests as required, and request any dispensations, under the Localism Act 2011.

3 ELECTION OF CHAIR

MOTION: To elect a Chairman for the coming year.

4 ELECTION OF VICE- CHAIR

MOTION: To elect a Vice Chair for the coming year.

5 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING 7th MAY 2025

MOTION: To approve and sign the minutes of the previous meeting.

6 OPEN MEETING

Public participation: Members of the public will be invited to speak and/or question the Committee on issues relating to this agenda or raise issues for future consideration. The period of time designated for public participation at a meeting in accordance with the Council's Standing Orders shall not exceed 20 minutes, max. 3 minutes per person, and will be under the direction of the chairman of the meeting.

7 TERMS OF REFERENCE

MOTION: to consider and decide whether to agree the Terms of Reference for the Climate & Nature Committee.

8 LOCAL CLIMATE & NATURE ACTION (LCNAP) PLAN & BUDGET REVIEW

MOTION:

a) To review the progress of the LCNAP.

- b) To review the emissions and sustainability benchmarking summary for 2023–2024 and consider incorporating the findings into the LCNAP.
- c) To review and note the current Climate & Nature budget and Earmarked Reserves (EMRs).

9 LOCAL ENVIRONMENT ACTION FRAMPTON (LEAF) WORKING GROUP

MOTION: To consider and approve the following recommendations from the LEAF working group:

- a) To allocate £300 of EMR to wildflower planting across the parish in collaboration with Floral Friends of Frampton and to work to enhance Brockeridge front and back gardens for nature, such as bug hotels, long grass zones, wildflower planting and bog/rain gardens. Climate & Nature Officer to investigate feasibility of bog garden and report back (see report for additional project details).
- b) That the Climate & Nature Committee consider charities for Climate & Nature fundraising. ***N.B. the parish council allocated an annual charity each year. Climate & Nature Committee could consider doing the same with an environmental/nature charity or organisation.***
- c) To request to Winterbourne Environment, Group the Frampton Cotterell Parish Council expand the pollinator pathway project. Comms Officer and Climate & Nature Officer to create the signage in hand drawn maps with clear footpaths marked. To include wildlife throughout the year on the signage and work with the Community Nature Officer to ensure signs reflect the wildlife they have surveyed. To include creation of new notice board at Centenary Field in the project. Sign printing to be costed up and reported back to Committee. ***N.B. to also consider including the Frampton End noticeboard updates as part of the project.***

10 REPAIR CAFÉ AND RECLOTHED EVENTS

MOTION:

- a) To consider running monthly Repair Café sessions at the Royal British Legion at £50 per session.
- b) To consider hosting Frampton ReClothed and “How-To” workshops alongside the Repair Café and approve up to £150 for materials through 2025.
- c) To explore the feasibility of renting storage space at the Legion for materials and equipment.

11 GREEN CANOPY PROJECT

MOTION: To consider applying to take part in Forest of Avon’s Green Canopy Project. Climate & Nature Officer and Community Nature Officer to work with Forest of Avon to locate suitable locations for the trees.

12 PLASTIC FREE HAND SOAP

MOTION: To review the research on SNOAP hand soap and consider purchasing the alternative foam soap dispenser for the Brockeridge Centre and Pavilion.

13 CLIMATE & NATURE CHARITIES

MOTION: To consider and approve a climate and nature related annual charity to support for 2024-2025.

14 CLIMATE & NATURE ART EXHIBITION EVENTS PLAN

MOTION: To consider which activities to run during the Climate & Nature Exhibition. Options for consideration include:

- a Buzz & Scuttle insect collage workshop (artist led) at a cost of up to £300.
- Tile painting for the climate and nature mural at The Park, as agreed in the conservation plan, at a cost of up to £500. To recommend for consideration at Full Council.
- To approve a cost of £60 for an art exhibition banner.

15 MILL POND LAND

MOTION: To discuss the land for sale at Mill Pond and to support South Glos Council in the purchase of the land. To consider Parish Council's preparedness for future land purchases.

16 FROME VALLEY GROWING PROJECT HARVEST EVENT

MOTION: To consider taking part in the Frome Valley Growing Project Harvest event.

17 BAT HABITAT IN TREE AT THE PARK

MOTION: To consider updated plan for the bat habitat in the ash tree proposed for monolithing at The Park. To consider additional small bat carving next to the habitat and/or an information sign.

18 DATE OF NEXT MEETING