

## CLIMATE AND NATURE COMMITTEE MINUTES

21<sup>st</sup> October 2024

A Collins (in the Chair)

| A Collins     | (P) | D Eldridge | (P) |
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| L Fogg-Rogers | (A) | S Hancock  | (P) |

Also in attendance Cllr Kinsey, who was a nominated substitute for Cllr Fogg-Rogers, and one member of the public.

- **52.10/24** Evacuation Procedure Leave via the fire door and assemble outside in the play area - Noted
- 53.10/24 <u>Apologies</u> Cllr Fogg-Rogers
- 54.10/24 Declaration of Interests under the Localism Act 2011 None
- 55.10/24 Public participation None
- **56.10/24** To agree the minutes of the meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2024 The minutes of the meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2024 were agreed and signed.
- **57.10/24** To discuss changing the LNAP to a Climate and LNAP Cllr Collins advised that work is on-going to include Climate in the Parish Council Local Nature Action Plan, with advice from Daisy Finniear at Frampton Cotterell Parish Council.
- 58.10/24 Update on Greening the Highstreet
  Cllr Hancock advised all seven planters are in situ and bulbs have been planted with help from local residents. All agreed this was a fantastic project and a great effort from Cllr Hancock. Some signage / labels are needed for the planters and more compost is required.
  Clerk to order more compost and look at signage
- 59.10/24 To discuss the Climate and Nature Support Role
   All members agreed this would be beneficial and to identify any grants available to subsidise
   the role.

  Members to identify potential grants
- 60.10/24 Update on Photography Competition Members agreed to start the competition in December and have seasonal winners. Clerk to produce promotional material for the next meeting

## 61.10/24 To note any other items from members

Cllr Collins advised that the Newleaze Community Nature day was a great success with many local families attending which highlights the need for such events. The member of the public mirrored this opinion and said it was very well organised and enjoyed the day.

Clerk was asked to promote the Climate and Nature Forum on the 18<sup>th</sup> November. To contact local schools.

## Clerk to promote

Cllr Eldridge advised he had helped with the scything on Whiteshill Common.

Cllr Eldridge requested an item on every agenda "What have we done on Climate Change" Agreed to do a quarterly report for the Council Meeting, starting in December.

Meeting concluded 6.51pm.