



BLANDFORD FORUM TOWN COUNCIL

Climate Change & Biodiversity Working Group Meeting

Wednesday 24th May 2023 at 7:00pm

Held [Online via Zoom](#)

NOTES

In Attendance

Cllr Pat Osborne

Cllr Roger Carter

Yvonne Mieville

Janet Tyson

John Dallison

1. Apologies

Cllr Hugo Mieville

Linda Scott-Giles

2. To formulate responses to the Dorset Council consultation: Planning for climate change

The consultation response was discussed, based on the draft Pat had prepared.

Actions:

- Update the submission to be put before the council – Pat/ 25 May 2023
- Review and comment – All/ Monday 29 May 2023 (Midday)
- Submit to Town Clerk – Pat/ Monday 29 May 2023 (pm)
- Recommendation to Planning meeting scheduled for 5 June 2023

3. Updates

Blandford War on Waste provided an update in Plastic Free Town, Litter picks, 80 bags of litter picked by Yvonne and Hugo for the coronation, and Green Fair on 11 June.

4. Next meeting

The group agreed that Plastic Free Town status should be our next focus and the main focus of our next meeting. Yvonne will invite a colleague from Wimborne to join us and tell us what they've done there and we'll formulate a plan.

5. Date of next meeting: 14 June, 7pm