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Dated this 4th day of August 2021

To: Councillors: J Lonsdale, P St Ange, M Eddy, D Symons, D Thompson & Mrs S Le Chevalier

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Climate Emergency Working Group to be held on Wednesday 11 August 2021 via Zoom at 7.00pm to transact the business shown on the agenda below.

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**Cllr John Lonsdale**

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**AGENDA**

**1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

**2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

**3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

**Attach 1**

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 30 June 2021

**4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES NOT COVERED ELSEWHERE**

**5. PRIORITIES AND ACTIONS**

**Transport**

- **EV charging points**

To receive a verbal update from Cllr Lonsdale on the Canada Rd/ Rugby Club chargepoints installation

- **Electric Buses/ potential S106 funds**  
Update from Cllrs Lonsdale and Eddy regarding the response necessary to Cllr Bartlett's letter about re-allocation of S106 monies for use in Walmer green projects.
- **Cycle storage at Walmer Station:**  
Cllr Lonsdale to update councillors on the latest on the application to the Cycle Rail Fund for secure cycle storage at the station.
- **Borrow Pit Car Park upgrade**  
To receive an update from Cllr Eddy.

### Biodiversity

- **Biodiversity on DDC land:**  
Verbal update from Cllr Lonsdale on any response to our latest letter to DDC/ Council Leader Bartlett
- **Beebombs for residents:**  
CEWG supported this in October 2020. Planting time would be Autumn/Spring. Cllr Eddy to report on progress made liaising with the Clerk Mr Richard Styles with a view to buying 100 and advertising availability to residents of Walmer.  
Also Cllr Le Chevalier to report on feedback around the potential seed content of the Beebombs to encourage native species only.

### 62 The Strand, new WPC office

To receive a verbal update from Cllr Lonsdale regarding the sustainability survey of the council's new offices

### Changing CEWG terms of reference

Update from Cllr Lonsdale on changing terms of reference that the CEWG can report direct to Full Council, rather than A&E, to expedite projects and expenditure approval.

### Outside projects

- **Outdoor gym:**  
To receive a verbal update from Cllrs Thompson, Lonsdale and Eddy.  
  
-DT has progressed the type of equipment and sites. What is the latest?  
-JL investigating subscription for database/search facilities for grant funding.  
-ME to investigate KCC funding initiatives.
- **Thermal Loss Heat Camera scheme:**  
To receive an update from Cllrs Lonsdale and Eddy  
  
To discuss whether apps or an app with add-on camera are an alternative to buying just the dedicated FLIR E4 camera. Not everyone has the latest smartphone able to

run a heat loss app of course, and it's possible the best apps need a camera attachment anyway. Notable that Octopus Energy run a scheme like this, app and a camera add-on:-

<https://octopus.energy/blog/flir-thermal-cameras/>

This is the camera they use, also from Flir:

<https://www.flir.co.uk/products/flir-one-pro-lt/>

Proposal - Do we do something similar, with an app and an add-on camera provided by the WPC office, which costs less money but excludes lots of people with older phones. Or do we try to push on with the FLIR E4 before winter.

- **Involving schools:**  
To receive a verbal update from Cllr Lonsdale regarding pupil engagement with Deal Parochial, is there potential to progress in the new school year, from September.
- **Centre for Sustainable Energy:**  
Update from Cllr Le Chevalier around access to the CSE resource

## 6. TRAINING EVENTS

None

## 7. ANY OTHER QUESTIONS OR OBSERVATIONS.

## 8. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021