

Meeting of the Climate Change and Environment Scrutiny Committee

**Wednesday, 28th September, 2022 at 6.00pm
in the Council Chamber
at the Council House, Priory Road, Dudley**

Agenda - Public Session (Meeting open to the public and press)

1. Apologies for absence
2. To receive any declarations of interest under the Members' Code of Conduct
3. To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 20th June, 2022 as a correct record (Pages 5 to 11)
4. Public Forum (Pages 12 to 15)
5. Terms of Reference (Pages 16 to 20)
6. Carbon Reduction Plan (Pages 21 to 29)
7. Update on progress with Air Quality Monitoring in the Borough (Pages 30 to 34)
8. Progress Update on the Use of Pesticides and Maintaining the Borough's Green Spaces (Pages 35 to 47)

9. Action Tracker (Pages 48 to 50)
10. To consider any questions from Members to the Chair where two clear days notice has been given to the Monitoring Officer (Council Procedure Rule 11.8).

Distribution:

Councillor D Corfield (Chair)
Councillor P Dobb (Vice-Chair)
Councillors C Barnett, C Bayton, K Casey, R Collins, C Eccles,
J Elliott, J Foster, S Henley, M Rogers, T Russon, K Shakespeare



Chief Executive
Dated: 20th September, 2022

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