

Budget Head	Service	Suggested Climate change actions	Follow Up actions agreed	Target date	Responsible Committee
Mayoral Transport	Mayoral Car	Consider alternative fuel - Electric /rechargeable fuel source	Review alternatives on expiry of current lease	Jul-21	Policy and Resources
Administrative Expenses	Printing	Purchase of stationery from suppliers with low carbon footprint	Purchasing Policy to reflect objective	On-going	Policy and Resources
	Photocopying	Review and consider purchase of new copier with low energy consumption	1. Investigate option for Council Wifi in Council Chamber	Oct-19	Policy and Resources
	Postage	Continue to encourage email transmission of Council Committee Papers	Monitor postage costs	On going	Policy and Resources
Property Maintenance	Gas/Electricity	Establish with Warwick District Council preferred energy provider that meets low carbon generating standards	1. Analysis of Town hall energy consumption and energy conservation measures requested. 2. Obtain advice from Act on Energy on access to external funding	Oct-19	Policy and Resources
	Water	Secure commitment to water conservation measures (WDC)	see above		Policy and Resources
Grants and Projects	Leamington in Bloom	Through contract arrangements (WDC) provide for planting schemes that reflect minimal intervention. Planting to promote local biodiversity. Ensure planting acknowledges the impact on environment through sustainable resources, particularly no peat based compost	Local Planting schemes & biodiversity solutions across UK to be assessed for relevance/practicality	Dec-19	Cultural & Community
	Christmas Lighting	Within seasonal lights contract, all leased or purchased equipment to be of recognised standards i.e. proposals take consideration of the environmental impact of providing illuminations, both in terms of efficient energy use as well as production and future disposal.	Contract awarded July 2019 for 4 years. Contractor required to meet highest energy efficiency standards for industry and mitigation measures for disposal of redundant stock	Implemented July-19	Policy and Resources
	Community Grants	Community Grant Policy to be reviewed to consider possible additional criterion to assess the impact on the environment in both procurement and delivery of a project	Refer to Cultural & Community Committee	Apr-20	Cultural & Community
	Tree Planting and Maintenance	Provide for annual review of tree planting and maintenance programme taking account of impact in terms of beneficial air quality and enhancement of the natural environment	periodic reports on programme to full Council	on-going	Cultural & Community
	Shopmobility Scheme	Encourage Warwick District Mobility to put in place an environmental policy to achieve sustainable service standards for all equipment for hire	Discuss with Board of Trustees	Apr-20	Policy and Resources
Allotments	Allotments	Encourage Allotment Societies through the Council grant budget to encourage local residents to develop local food sources. Bring back into use redundant allotment plots	1. Discussions on plot maximising & tenants use of surplus products to be raised at Allotment Committee	11-Nov-19	Allotments Sub _ Committee

Neighbourhood Plan		The Neighbourhood Plan is presently in draft form and contains policies which recognise the impact that future development can have on the environment. The following policies have been initially suggested :			
		1. Housing Design -Policy RLS2 Applicants are encouraged to go beyond sustainable housing development standards, particularly with regard to environmental performance of buildings, resource consumption & recycling. Building for life, or an equivalent assessment framework, should be used to assess the suitability of proposals	Periodic Reports to Council & NP Steering Group on implications for policies being implemented through other Neighbourhood Plans	On going to Feb 2020	to be monitored by Planning Committee / Council
		2. Protect and enhance parks, other areas of green space and natural landscape of the Town. Policy RLS8			
		3. Green Infrastructure - Policy RLS10 Planning proposals should identify and green infrastructure affected; this should be protected and when necessary restored and enhanced.			
		4. Allotments - RLS11 Protection of all land currently designated for allotment use			
Neighbourhood Plan		5. Air Quality- RLS 13. New development that generates air pollutants should, by minimising emissions, or by including suitable mitigation, sustain compliance with the air pollutant limits identified for the area (in accordance with European, National or local level standards), including having particular regard to the RLS Air quality Management Area.			
		6. Traffic & Transport - RLS 14 - Traffic & Transport. Support for measures that reduce reliance on the private car to make Leamington Spa a cleaner, safer and healthier Town. Such measures to include walking, cycling and public transport with suitable provision being made in all new development	Electric Cycle provision to be investigated via Shpmobility Trust	Dec-19	Cycle Provision - Shopmobility Trust
Plastic Free Leamington		cease use of any form of single use plastics in its premises.	To be agreed by Council - 4.11.19	Nov-19	Policy and Resources
		encourage greater use of plastic free initiatives through support for the plastic free campaign and events. This is to be achieved through use of Council Social Media/ Website and other promotional opportunities.	To be agreed by Council - 4.11.19	Nov-19	Policy and Resources
		Utilise Social Media and regular contacts with Community Groups to gain support for the 5 Easy Changes:-	To be agreed by Council - 4.11.19	Nov-19	Policy and Resources
		Buy a reusable water bottle and refill			
		When shopping, take a reusable bag			
		Buy Local and loose where possible			
		Use a reusable Coffee cup			
		Stop using single use plastic straws and cutlery			