

### HASLEMERE TOWN COUNCIL

Town Hall, High Street, Haslemere, Surrey GU27 2HG

21st September 2023

#### To all Members of Climate and Biodiversity Emergency Committee (CBEC)

All other Councillors for Information

Chairman	Cllr C Matthes
Vice-Chairman	Cllr A Bayliss
Councillors	Austin, Banfield, Bridge, Miller, Waters, Weatherburn, Weldon

I hereby give notice that a meeting of CBEC will be held on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 7pm in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, High St, Haslemere and you are hereby summoned to attend such meeting.

Members of the press and public are entitled to attend this meeting and are encouraged to.

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Mrs Lisa O'Sullivan - Town Clerk

### **AGENDA**

Before the main meeting, there will be a presentation from Haslemere Vision Biodiversity Group, which all councillors, whether or not members of the committee, are encouraged to attend.

### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies from Members.

### 2. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

To receive from members, declarations of interest in relation to any items included on the agenda for this meeting, in accordance with the Haslemere Town Council Code of Conduct and the Localism Act 2011.

### 3. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

# **APPENDIX 1**

The minutes of the meeting held 6<sup>th</sup> June were agreed by Full Council on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023. Attached for information and Chairman to sign.

### 4. PARTNERING WITH LOCAL GARDENING / LANDSCAPING COMPANIES

This item was requested by Cllr Bayliss. The committee will discuss the possibility of organising a meeting, potentially via Zoom, with local gardening and landscaping businesses to see how we can work with them to aid biodiversity.

### 5. PROJECT ITEMS FOR COUNCIL BUDGET

The committee will consider whether it would like to request any projects to be funded from the 2024-25 budget round.

# 6. CARBON NEUTRAL ROADMAP

Chair to report. The committee needs to consider how it will measure the Council's road to carbon zero going forward.

# 7. <u>COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT – BRIEF UPDATES</u>

- LHHW
- Transition Haslemere (CM)
- Active Travel (TW / AB)
- Vision Biodiversity Project (see above)
- Other community updates (All)