

Hanover Action 19/02/2020

Present : Ian, Ruth, Dinah, Les, Michelle, Sarah, David

Apologies: Jackie, Kristoffer, Simon

Arising from minutes : Bike storage is being looked at by Environment and Sustainability and is covered by local transport plan. The Green proposal is to look at replicating Hackney scheme. Permits cost £40 for low wage, £80 for high wage, scheme pays for itself. Suggested we support that but also encourage Jackie to drop Andrew Rawlinson and Ann Pisseradou and Pete West an e mail about shelter in Elm Grove.

Seedling and plant swap

Agreed to keep poster design as it is, Liz will do it, might incorporate trowel logo from HCC garden and take out top bit of text and possibly replace with bit about repair café.

Trees

Ian and Dinah are going to dig hole for tree planting. Kristoffer is getting tree , Ian ordering guard and Hanover Action paying for it. BHCC have got 40 new street trees going in across city , 2 trees a ward. Tree strategy day at Linklater pavilion in Lewes on 8th March.

Ward councillor budget Each councillor has £1,000 budget. Suggestions please - suggested recycling shelves, Ian estimated £300 for materials. He is happy to make it, Hanover Action can cover for his wages. Les will email David re money and Ian will invoice HA for the work .

Climate Assembly

Les has been convening meetings with Nick Hibberd from BHCC. The issues are progressing , facilitators have been appointed. They will be sending out 5,000 invites to recruit members of public.XR, HA and BPEC have been involved, there is generally a lot of interest , BHCC see our role as contributing community engagement and advising on specialist advisers.

Lots to be done - what does carbon neutral by 2030 look like? What's the baseline? What do you include? Nottingham has an interesting plan with aim of carbon neutrality by 2028 - Les has circulated.

Green proposing amendments to achieve £3.9 million funds to support outcomes of climate assembly and other transport sustainability goals.

Next meeting 16/3 Les thanks for all the work he is putting in.

Food waste

A plan was supposed to be in place to collect city food waste by 2020-21. If moving to fortnightly rubbish collection regular food waste collection will be essential , otherwise too smelly. Michelle has worked in waste management, she has been shocked by lack of ambition in B&H and ESCC since putting in incinerator. A lot more could be done to improve recycling rates etc.

Other dates

XR wintermoot 23rd feb 2.30 -9pm at One Church

Zocalo 19th June, we should book space in Hanover directory for poster

Ian will follow up Hanover advent calendar contact as we thought the same street contacts might be interested in promoting the Zocalo. Need to plug it on Hanover Community Noticeboard. David can ask Good gym to do some leafletting for us.

Community coalition meeting 19/2 rubbish and recycling on the agenda

Divestment

HA signed up to a Dutch international campaign to divest banks from fossil fuels , will sign up again this year. B&H tied into ESCC pension fund, they only have 1 rep on board and she is for divestment but ESCC committee is refusing to engage.

Accounts

Lesley will do HA accounts this , we have monney that needs to be spent before financial year end

Date of next meeting 17th March at 7.30pm