

Hanover Action notes 15.01.19

Attendees: Ian MacIntyre, Les Gunbie, Simon Bannister, Kristoffer Hewitt, Caitríona Vines, David Gibson

Apologies: Paul Norman, Sarah Gorton, Jackie Strube

1. Minutes from last meeting:

Sticker idea – Les brought an example of a business card that Greenpeace has produced, sent to SG to review.

VEG – Group has no plans to continue but communication to say that money still available should be required to complete any improvements to the art in the garden or to continue with any herb planting. CV to update the website to reflect changes.

CUPP – no traction but interesting ideas which still need exploring

2. Climate emergency petition:

Petition will be discussed on 31st January 16:30 at Brighton Town Hall, full council meeting. There will be 5 minutes to present followed by 15 minute debate. Les attending Extinction Rebellion meeting this weekend and will float the idea. The 5 minute speech should encompass positive ideas for moving towards a zero carbon city. David to find out what the motion from December was – likely we should urge council to declare climate emergency.

3. Trees:

Justgiving is live – CV to share on various HA comms and update website. Further ideas for fundraising and involvement welcome – KH leading

4. Communities Forum

First meeting will be 16th Feb 2pm at the Community Centre. HA leading on recycling and waste so some discussion around ideas had. Following on from the waste petition, still waiting on costings which are expected at the council ETS meeting this month.

5. Hanover Directory:

March – Trees KH

April - Schools environmental initiatives including eco clubs – LG?

May – Extinction rebellion – IM

June – Plastics events –KH