

Four Focus Areas

Community Group or Battle Town Council Task and Finish Group ?

At the last Climate & Ecology meeting on 5 June 2023, members agreed to expand upon four identified topics. These topics were considered, by those present, to be priority focus areas where the Climate and Ecology Sub-Committee could try to influence a reduction of Battle residents' and businesses' emissions/carbon footprint. (Please also see 'Battle Civil Parish Carbon Footprint Change Target Report' for further information). Members are invited to consider which focus areas to take forward, and if agreed, whether these are taken forward as a Battle Town Council Task and Finish Group, or by a Community Group or Individual outside the Sub-Committee.

The ideas have been expanded to include a draft outline plan to help members decide whether these are suitable projects to take forward.

1. Promote car-sharing in Battle, Telham and Netherfield

How?

- Establish if there could be more opportunities
- Create data on value of car-sharing
- Devise and advertise publicity plan

2. BTC Waste and Recycling

How?

- Establish the different waste streams
- Collect data on volumes
- Identify improvements in disposal
- Identify improvements in reduction and re-use

3. Low dairy food and drink consumption

How?

- Collect sample dietary data on Battle CP residents
- Establish opportunities for more non-dairy food and drink
- Devise and advertise publicity plan

4. Show-case decarbonised homes

How?

- Research local properties
- Learn from other similar schemes
- Plan event