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To All Members of Credition Town Council's Climate Change and Sustainability Committee

You are hereby summoned to attend a **Meeting of Credition Town Council**, which will be held on **Thursday 13 May 2021 at 19.00, at Old Landscore School, Greenway, Credition.**

This meeting will be livestreamed via Facebook in order to allow Members of the Public to watch the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting is to transact the following business.

Rachel Avery PSLCC
Town Clerk

07 May 2021

Please note that:

- Members of the Press & Public are invited to attend under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960
- Under the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, any members of the public or press are allowed to take photographs, film and audio record the proceedings and report on all public sections of the meeting
- Under the Local Government Act (LGA) 1972 Sch 12 10(2)(b), Credition Town Council is unable to make any decision on matters not listed within the agenda
- This meeting is being held in accordance with The Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Steps) (England) Regulations 2021 S.5(2)(a) and therefore attendance will be restricted to ensure Covid-19 regulations are adhered to
- This meeting will be recorded and may be livestreamed to Credition Town Council's social media platforms.

AGENDA

1. **To receive and accept apologies** (Please make any apologies known to the Town Clerk)
2. **Declarations of Interest** – To receive declarations of personal interest and disclosable pecuniary interests (DPI's) in respect of items on this agenda
3. **Public Question Time** - To receive questions from members of the public relevant to the work of the committee
4. **Order of Business** - At the discretion of the Chairman, to adjust, as necessary, the order of agenda items to accommodate visiting members, officers, or members of the public
5. **Chairman's and Clerk's Announcements** - To receive any announcements which the Chairman and Clerk may wish to make (for information only)
6. **Climate Change and Sustainability Committee Minutes** – To approve and sign the minutes of the Climate Change and Sustainability Committee Meeting held on 08 April 2021, as a correct record
7. **To discuss that in order to address the issues of climate change and sustainability within a local framework, the committee will develop policy under the following broad headings (Agenda item requested by Cllr Vincent):**
 - 'Living more locally'
 - 'Supporting local food producers'
 - 'Improving our parks, gardens and community spaces'
8. **To consider recommending to Full Council that it issues a moratorium on chemical-based weed-killers used on council-administered property (Agenda item requested by Cllr Vincent)**
9. **To note and consider the following topics discussed informally by the Climate Change and Sustainability Committee (Agenda item requested by Cllr Vincent):**
 - Crediton's relationship with through-traffic on the A377
 - Poor air quality in the town
 - Cycle path to Exeter
 - Creating a directory of local (sustainable) services
 - Introducing a 20-mph zone for High Street
 - Introduction of Co-Cars club vehicles to Crediton
 - Greater use of Town Square, including a young people's Clothes Swap event
 - Installing a collection point for used household batteries
 - Addressing litter problem of disposable facemasks
 - Setting up a not-for-profit company to offer pavement weed clearance, or other local physical maintenance and enhancement (akin to window-cleaning firms)
 - Development of voluntary 'Ward Groups' (Lawrence and Boniface) to care for urban environment/green spaces
 - Establishment of Friends groups to oversee development at parks and open spaces

- 10. To consider supporting an appropriate application to the government's Community Renewal Fund were it to be forthcoming (Agenda item requested by Cllr Vincent)**
- 11. To consider sending a letter the Mel Stride MP regarding the delivery of Climate Change and Sustainability initiatives at a local level, in line with government directive (Further information will be issued with the agenda)**
- 12. To note the date of the next meeting – Thursday 10 June 2021**