

THEME	Creating a Low Carbon Town			
OBJECTIVE 1a	Reduce carbon emissions from household energy use by 40% by 2020			
Actions				
What?	Why?	Who?	When?	CEPE Comments
CEPE website has information required to help householders lead a low carbon lifestyle	To increase the uptake of low carbon households	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Investigate feasibility of setting up an Eastbourne Energy Cooperative	To promote take up of renewable energy and stimulate local green economy	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b>	April 2013	
Develop an events package to promote low carbon lifestyles	To help raise awareness of the tools available and to stimulate local green economy	Eastbourne Borough Council	June 2013	
Host at least four town centre events to promote low carbon lifestyles	To help raise awareness of the tools available and to stimulate local green economy	Eastbourne Borough Council	April 2014	
Set up a research co-operative to seed fund research into low-cost, low carbon measures (possibly part of energy cooperative)	To provide cheaper solutions for households and to stimulate the local green economy. This could diversify into solutions for organisations	University of Brighton <b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b>	September 2013	
Create a mechanism that recognises landlords that have developed energy efficient properties and promote low carbon		<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> Eastbourne Homes Places for People	April 2014	

lifestyles				
<b>OBJECTIVE 1b</b>	Reduce carbon emissions from organisations, schools and businesses by 40% by 2020			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
CEPE website has information required to help organisations adopt low-carbon solutions	To increase the uptake of low carbon solutions	<b>CEPE Web Team</b> Chamber of Commerce	Immediate and ongoing	
Create a best-practice knowledge network to share solutions that have been adopted and how they have worked	To reduce duplication of effort and to ensure focus is on most effective solutions	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> East Sussex County Council (ESCC) Sussex Downs University of Brighton Carbon Trust	May 2013	
Develop an events package that can help organisations adopt low-carbon solutions	To help raise awareness of the tools available and to stimulate local green economy	<b>Chamber of Commerce</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	June 2013	
Support at least four local business events to promote low carbon solutions available	To help raise awareness of the tools available and to stimulate local green economy	<b>Chamber of Commerce</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	April 2014	
Produce at least one feasibility report to create a non-fossil-fuel based energy hub in the town	To initiate the decentralisation of energy and increase resilience and raise public awareness	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC Sussex Downs University of Brighton Chatsworth Estate DGH		

<b>OBJECTIVE 1c</b>	Reduce road transport carbon emissions by 40% by 2020			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
CEPE website has information required to help householders adopt low carbon transport solutions	To increase the uptake of low carbon transport options	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Host at least four town centre events a year to promote active travel e.g. walking and cycling	To enable a significant shift from car use and for people to lead healthier lifestyles	<b>ESCC Healthy Living</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	Ongoing	
Investigate the feasibility of a cycle activity and knowledge hub at Eastbourne Sports Park	To increase people's confidence and skills for riding a bike	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC Bikeability Sussex Downs Eastbourne Rovers Bespoke Pedal Power	April 2013	
Identify a commercial partner to help develop key routes in the Cycle Strategy and to increase cycle use - this could involve the creation of a town-wide cycle hire scheme	To enable a significant shift from car use	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC Chamber of Commerce	June 2013	Priority should be Eastbourne Park
Assess cost of implementing cycles routes within Eastbourne Park	To promote a key green space and to provide strategic links across the	<b>ESCC</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	June 2013	

	town			
Identify a commercial partner to help develop a network of EV charging points	To reduce the carbon impact of cars	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC	September 2013	
Identify a commercial partner to help develop a car club	To reduce the number of cars on the road	Eastbourne Borough Council <b>ESCC</b>	September 2013	
Investigate feasibility of having car-free days [seafront?]	To encourage people to use non-car forms of transport	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC	September 2013	
Develop a quality bus partnership	To ensure people have access to good public transport	<b>ESCC</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	April 2014	
Review Park & Ride annually?	[Sussex downs @ weekends]			

<b>OBJECTIVE 1d</b>	By 2020 all households will regularly consume a proportion of food that has been grown locally			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
CEPE website has information required to help householders access locally grown food	To increase the consumption of locally grown food – either through growing their own or buying locally produced food	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Develop a community orchard	To create a local food resource and increase local biodiversity	<b>Friends of the Earth</b> Friends of Parks Neighbourhood Panels Eastbourne Borough Council	June 2013	
Promote a land share scheme	To utilise growing spaces and people that are keen to garden	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> Help the Aged Eastbourne Allotment Society	June 2013	
Develop an events package that can help people grow more food	To help raise awareness of the tools available and to stimulate local green economy	<b>Chamber of Commerce</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	June 2013	
Host at least four town centre 'grow your own food' workshops a year	To increase the number of people that can grow their own food at home	<b>Places for People</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	Ongoing	Utilising existing PFP community gardener – needs financial contribution from CEPE
Produce a guide for residents that would like to set up a community garden	To make it easier for people to grow more food in their community	Eastbourne Borough Council	May 2013	Similar to the street party guide
Investigate funding opportunities for community gardeners	So community groups have a point of contact for practical advice	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> <b>Places for People</b> Eco Gardening Group	September 2013	To build on work initiated by Places for People

		Eastbourne Homes		
Investigate innovative solutions to increase amount of food that can be grown in urban areas	To help the town become more self reliant and resilient to food price shocks	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> Eastbourne Chamber of Commerce	September 2013	One possible solution is Plantagon <a href="http://plantagon.com/">http://plantagon.com/</a>
Fruit map – identify where free food is				
Gardening Book Club/Library/Sharing Scheme				
Garden Equipment swap/sharing scheme				
Wood sharing?				

<b>THEME</b>	<b>Reducing and managing our waste responsibly</b>			
<b>OBJECTIVE 2</b>	Reduce amount of household waste produced			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
CEPE website has information required to help householders with the three R's - reduce, reuse and recycle	To reduce impact of waste and utilise resources	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Develop an events package that can help people understand how to manage their waste better	To help raise awareness of the solutions available	<b>[New waste contractor]</b> ESCC Eastbourne Borough Council	June 2013	
Host at least four town centre events a year that promote the 3 R's	Maintain awareness and increase participation in waste reduction	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC [New waste contractor]	April 2014	

Investigate solutions and potential pilots that could reduce commercial waste	To reduce waste going to landfill	<b>ESCC</b> [New waste contractor] Eastbourne Borough Council	June 2013	
Develop options on how food and organic waste can be better managed	A third of waste generated is food waste	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC	September 2013	
Investigate feasibility of a community recycling hub	To make it easier to reuse unwanted items	<b>Freegle</b> Furniture Now Chamber of Commerce	September 2013	
Set up an investment fund that will help business and organisations turn unwanted items into commercial commodities	To reduce the need to buy new items and to stimulate green economy	<b>Chamber of Commerce</b> Eastbourne Borough Council Sussex Downs University of Brighton	September 2013	

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THEME	Protecting our green spaces and promoting biodiversity				
OBJECTIVE 3	Protect, maintain and enhance our green spaces and promote biodiversity [group actions]				
Actions					
What?	Why?	Who?	When?	CEPE Comments	
CEPE website has information required to help people learn more about green spaces and biodiversity	To increase awareness	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	Should this Theme be split into two i.e. 1) Protecting our Green Spaces 2) Protecting our Biodiversity?	
Develop an events package that can help promote green spaces	To help raise awareness of the solutions available	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC Healthy Living Friends of Parks	June 2013		
Host at least four town centre events in 2013 that promote the green spaces we have and how people can make best use of them	Increase use of green spaces and improve well being	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC Healthy Living Friends of Parks	Ongoing		
Monitor use of Eastbourne downland – [areas of biodiversity?]	To ensure the unique character of our downland is protected	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> South Downs National Park	Ongoing		
Identify areas that can become Green Corridors	To promote biodiversity and encourage bee-pollination (needed for food sustainability)	<b>Friends of the Earth</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	?		
Produce a guide on how to create and manage a 'Friends of Parks'	To help communities have green spaces that meet their needs	Eastbourne Borough Council	September 2013		
Produce a guide on Eastbourne Park	To raise awareness of Eastbourne's largest	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b>	September 2013		



	green space and to start to promote it as a place for leisure and recreation	ESCC Chatsworth Estate		
Agree measures that can be adopted to improve Eastbourne Park		<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> ESCC Chatsworth Estate	September 2013	
[Bio areas within parks?]				

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<b>THEME</b>	<b>Ensuring the quality of air we breathe</b>			
<b>OBJECTIVE 4</b>	To limit the causes of air pollution			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
CEPE website has information to help residents learn more about air quality	To raise awareness and adopt solutions	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Monitor emissions hot spots to ensure exceedances do not occur	To ensure air quality is kept within safe limits	<b>ESCC</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	Ongoing	
[AQ data on website]				

THEME	Adapting to a warmer world			
OBJECTIVE 5	Assess how vulnerable we are to a changing climate			
Actions				
What?	Why?	Who?	When?	CEPE Comments
Create a 'Transition Team'	To coordinate and take forward the need to adapt to changing climate	<b>Friends of the Earth</b> Eastbourne Borough Council Environment Agency East Sussex Fire and Rescue	Immediate	
CEPE website has information on adaptation	To increase awareness and to get people engaged	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Update the Local Climate Impact Assessment	To re-assess the historical impact	Eastbourne Borough Council		
Carry out a risk assessment of how vulnerable the town is to the effects of climate change.	To understand the size of the problem	<b>Environment Agency</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	?	
Agree an implementation plan to reduce our vulnerabilities	To ensure we have a coordinated approach	CEPE	?	
Flood awareness?				

<b>THEME</b>	<b>Ensuring we use water sensibly</b>			
<b>OBJECTIVE 6a</b>	Reducing our water consumption so we consume no more than 120 litres a day per capita			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
Identify any issues for local water supply as a result of Fracking	To ensure water supplies are not put at risk	<b>Friends of the Earth</b> Environment Agency Eastbourne Borough Council	Immediate	
CEPE website has information on using water sensibly	To increase awareness and for solutions to be adopted	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Quantify baselines on how much water is consumed by residents	To understand the size of the problem	<b>Environment Agency</b> South East Water	September 2013	
Host at least four town centre events in 2013 that promote awareness of using water sensibly	To motivate people to use less water	<b>Environment Agency</b> South East Water Eastbourne Borough Council	Ongoing	
Monitor progress of Water Resources Management Plan	Regional	<b>Environment Agency</b> South East Water	Ongoing	
<b>OBJECTIVE 6b</b>	Reducing water consumption in organisations, schools and businesses			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
Quantify baselines on how	To understand the size	<b>Environment Agency</b>	September	

much water is consumed by organisations	of the problem	South East Water	2013	
Support at least four local business events to promote low carbon solutions available	To help raise awareness of the tools available and to stimulate local green economy	<b>Chamber of Commerce</b> Eastbourne Borough Council	April 2014	

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<b>THEME</b>	<b>Protecting our marine and historic environment – Split this into 2 objectives</b>			
<b>OBJECTIVE 7a</b>	Protect, maintain and enhance our historic environment			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
CEPE website has information on our marine and historic environment	To increase awareness and for solutions to be adopted	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate and ongoing	
Identify the condition of Conservation Areas and the issues affecting them	To understand the size of the problem	Eastbourne Borough Council	October 2014	Carried over from previous action plan
Assess possible effects on historic environment through provision of archaeological advice	To fully understand the issues	ESCC	October 2014	Carried over from previous action plan
<b>OBJECTIVE 7b</b>	Protect, maintain and enhance our marine environment			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
Monitor the Shoreline Management Plan	The Shoreline Management Plan takes into account climate change issues and cleaner beaches	<b>CEPE</b> Environment Agency	Ongoing	
[Review progress – put on web site – all actions]				

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<b>THEME</b>	<b>Developing a network of Community Champions</b>			
<b>OBJECTIVE 8</b>	Have a network of champions that can coordinate and promote CEPE aims with residents			
<b>Actions</b>				
<b>What?</b>	<b>Why?</b>	<b>Who?</b>	<b>When?</b>	<b>CEPE Comments</b>
CEPE website [promote community engagement] has ability to develop a network of residents interested in helping to improve local environment	To create a live network of interested people	<b>CEPE Web Team</b>	Immediate	
Host at public debates on at least two of the CEPE objectives	To raise awareness of green issues, identify the barriers and find workable local solutions	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b>	April 2014	
Create a pool of local champions that can help to engage the wider community in green issues	To help build up local capacity	<b>3VA</b> Eastbourne Community Network	April 2014	
Set up a Green Award for individuals and organisations that have helped local environment	Recognise the achievements made by key individuals	<b>Eastbourne Borough Council</b> Eastbourne Herald	Immediate	
[clear objectives – promote block champions?]		<b>EHL</b>		
[Recognise individuals success]				

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