MINUTES OF THE CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> OCTOBER 2023, 6.45PM, AT ST MARK'S CHURCH, 13 ST MARK'S CRESCENT, KINGSTHORPE, NN2 8EG. Meeting opened at 6.45pm

PRESENT: Cllrs. Steve Miller, Eluned Lewis-Nichol, Titus Ajayi

ALSO PRESENT: Jon Cornwell (resident) Sarah Wrighton (Deputy Parish Clerk)

ABSENT: Cllr Dilip Kumar

59/23 APOLOGIES AND REASONS FOR ABSENCE None received.

60/23 DECLARATION OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS AND APPLICATIONS FOR DISPENSATION None declared

**61/23 MINUTES** It was proposed by Cllr Miller, seconded by Cllr Ajayi and resolved that these be accepted as a true and correct record of the proceedings of the meeting held on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

62/23 DEPUTATIONS BY THE PUBLIC None

**63/23 ACTION LOG** Action log progress discussed. Item 9 bins, currently in progress, replacement bin in Potters, but awaiting recycling bin from WNC. Item 42 Idling banners to be added to next agenda to contact and provide to schools.

**64/23 CLIMATE CHANGE ACTION PLAN** Cllr Miller to circulate completed CCAP to committee members with a view to agreeing at the next committee meeting and raising with to full council in Novembers Full Council meeting.

**65/23 SPRING BULB PLANTING** Committee members to consider places to plant and encourage fellow Councillors to do so also. This is with a view to revisiting this in the spring. Places for planting to be collated by the end of December to allow time to gain permission. Places already suggested include around welcome signs, verges along Welford Road and outside Kingsthorpe Methodist Church (with permission).

**66/23 REMEMBERANCE SUNDAY 2024** Cllr Lewis-Nichol raised providing poppy seed packs to school pupils for next remembrance Sunday. Deputy Clerk to explore costing of this.

**67/23 PLANTERS FOR KINGSTHORPE VILLAGE SCHOOL** Agreed in principle but Deputy Clerk to seek an application from KVPS, with a recommendation from the committee to consider the use of planters made by the Hope Centre. Deputy clerk to devise form.

**68/23 CYCLE RACKS** Deputy clerk to get more information from KGPS regarding tree survey and cycle racks. Meeting aware that a tree survey was beyond the remit of the Committee. To also contact and discuss getting cycle racks for Whitehills school.

**69/23 AMEY CONTRACTS** Problems of PFI contracts noted as being a national problem and therefore difficult for us to address.

**70/23 DATE AND TIME OF THE NEXT MEETING** The next meeting of the Climate Change and Environment Committee noted as taking place on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023, 6.45 pm at St Mark's Church, Kingsthorpe.

Meeting ended at 7.47pm	
Signed	Date