

Councillor Reports December 2021

Cllr. Bob Packham

Environment & Sustainability Meeting Report

On Tuesday 23rd November I attended the Environment & Sustainability forum meeting by micro teams. At the meeting we discussed COP 26 this stands for Conference of parties which started in 1988 (ipcc) established.

To limit global warming to well below 2 degrees centigrade and to secure global net zero by mid century.

23 Countries agreed to phase out coal fired power between 2030 -2040 and to reduce methane gas by 30% from 2020 to 2030.

The next COP meeting will be in Egypt in 2022 and we were disappointed COP 26 did not go far enough.

We discussed what could be done on the Island and the Isle of Wight Council has said they will phase out fossil fuel in the future.

Cllr Reardon

18th Nov- full council and planning

30th Nov- Budget meeting and discussion

3rd Dec- help to organise Xmas in the Square

8th Dec- RF update

9th Dec- Waterfront/levelling up update

11th Dec- attended the consultation for the waterfront to help with the presentation.

11th Dec- helped with refreshments for the pantomime