

EFDC GREEN CORPORATE WORKING PARTY MINUTES

DATE: December 21 2010
TIME: 2.30pm
VENUE: Conference Room, Civic Offices

Chair: John de Wilton Preston (JP)

Attending: Tom Carne(TC), Sarah Creitzman (SC), Mike Tipping (MT), Janet Twin (JT), Mike Warr (MW), Gary Woodhall (GW)

Minutes: Dominique Pharoah (DP)

Apologies for absence	Action
Lewis McGann (LMG), Brian Bassington (BB), Jim Nolan (JN), Penny Smith (PS)	
Matters arising from last meeting	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minutes agreed. • Climate Change Strategy Sub Group met on 2 November. • SC arranged Smarter Driving; including JP. Suggested others on the Group should also take part, so that they can take the lead.. 	
Climate Change Strategy	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sub-group. • Future of various National Indicators is unclear. 	Sub-group continuing to work.
Green Champions	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Management Board had discussed what Green Champions (GCs) can do: in essence it is those on the GCWP who are now the Champions. 	Sub-group to discuss
Porters	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The various members of the Party had a substantial discussion about some of the information which had been gleaned from the Environment Agency's website concerning the amounts being recycled by Porters, the degree to which compacted material could then be split into different types of recyclables, and the PR considerations. • MT was still trying to secure a visit to Porters at Waltham Cross, and it was agreed that a sub group actually seeing and photographing what happened would be very helpful. 	MT
Green Fleet Review update	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Smarter Driving training course had successfully run over 2 days in December 2010 and a filmed example of the training had been created. There were clearly far more staff who would benefit from the training. 	SC
Renewable training for planning officers	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EPOA/ Anglia Ruskin University are running some free courses soon, information has been circulated and can be redistributed to GCWP, but one needs to register with Sarah King in Planning. 	SK
Any other business	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Councillors were due to consider budgets, and cuts, but also reports concerning the Feed in Tariff, the work plan for Facilities Management 	

and the Area based Climate Change grant shortly.	
Date of next meeting	
Next meeting scheduled for February3 2011, at 2.30pm in the Conference Room.	