

# Minutes 13-12-23

## Climate emergency sub committee

### Attendance:

Mark Flood, Hannah Gostlow, Shan Oakes, Kit Lacey,  
From Knaresborough community energy: Gilly Lacey, Adam Harper

### Apologies:

Andy Bell, Helen Westmancoat

- We started by discussing feedback from the LEP call which was attended by Adam, Gilly, Helen and Hannah.
- It was stated that at present, the extended renewable energy project to benefit the social housing does not currently have enough renewables in the area to do it.
- KCE are still on the bid but now as a minor partner.
- The wellbeing hub amount of proposed solar is not enough on its own.
- There is a consortium to create a central control system to organise the energy itself.
- It is still wise to peruse solar on the Wellbeing Hub alongside additional renewables in the area.
- Phase 1 is next September so we must have solar in place by then to show that we are actively aiming to be involved in the 5 year project
- Tenement housing improvements needs escalating to NYC
- Once pre-application is done, we proposed to meet with Joss at NYC about the bigger picture with tenement housing for advice.
  
- Separate to this is the Shared Prosperity Fund which we had a call about a few weeks ago. This is what we will aim for to help purchase the solar itself.
- SPF is rolling application so no real deadline
- We discussed adding Solar but also improving the Fabric of the building and installing EVChargers
  
- Kit to prepare a motion for agenda at next committee. Aim to get £800 for project management