**IDE PARISH COUNCIL-CLIMATE EMERGENCY WORKING GROUP**

**MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON Wednesday 5 Febuary**

**at Plane Trees**

**Attended by:** Pip Smithson, James Romain, Carolyn Tysoe, Jenny Lundh, Richard Cottle, Georgina Ambrose, Andy Swain, Andy Bragg(AHB)

Planning for public meeting in February

Need to collect donations for cost of hall (£20). JR to get background info for introducing Kate. AB to

email Annette (Pilates) to check if we can get in early. AS to pick up projector from AHB and use AS

laptop and set up. CT asked Annette if Pilates can finish earlier. JR will hand out questionnaire at

start and collect. Timetable 7.30pm set up, JR and AG hand out questionnaire, Kate 15 mins + 5 mins

questions, RC 10 mins+5 mins break AB talk 10mins+ questionnaire (add questions about interest in

car-free day, mass plastic unwrap). End 9.45pm.

April public meeting (Sat or Sun)

Saturday 25 th April – PS to ask AB if school hall is free all day.

Cemetery/churchyard wildflowers

PCC agreement to grow wild flowers refers to the churchyard. Verges in The Hams managed by TDC

who are keen to talk about wildflowers. RC to see what is there and come up with a written plan to

get parishioners involved. Contact Devon Wildlife Trust who have already done this and ask them if

they could come for a volunteer day (RC to lead and AHB to contact DWT).

Facebook

Need to turn from a page into a group – RC to ask LC and we need three people to moderate (AS, CT

and one other).

Lobbying

Letter-writing responding to articles and letters in the press, Lobbying Group – AS, JL, RC and others (poss DB)? Car-free day with more

alternatives (buses). Theme and tips each month in Ide Times – Plastic Free Ide (March), re-wilding,

heat pumps. Mel Stride – what do we want from him?

Next meeting 7.45pm 4 th March at Richard’s (AS to check if AB and AG would find a different day

easier)