



WILSDEN PARISH COUNCIL

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Declaration of a Climate Change Emergency

Wilsden Parish Council, in line with 493 other councils in England, wishes to declare a Climate Change Emergency, resulting that, in Britain, now around 90 per cent of the population lives in areas where the local authorities have declared a Climate Change Emergency¹. This is in response to the view of the United Nations that the world has to achieve zero carbon emission by 2030 in order to prevent catastrophic damage to the planet.

By declaring a Climate Change Emergency the Parish Council seeks to influence the debate on climate change in Wilsden and to take practical steps at the local level to reduce our carbon footprint.

To this end a 9 point action plane has been produced: this will be developed further by the Green Spaces Committee.

The actions taken by the Green Spaces Committee will be regularly reported back to the Parish Council and also to residents through the usual channels of communication.

¹. Data from ClimateEmergency, 27 December 2000

<https://climateemergencydeclaration.org/climate-emergency-declarations-cover-15-million-citizens/>

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