



Well-being Objective 12

Healthy & Safe Environment - Look after the environment now and in the future

How will we do this? Our detailed action plan to achieve this objective

Ref	Actions and Measures	Date/Target
A	Address requirements of the Environment (Wales) Act 2016 We will advise the whole Authority and partners on our need to address the environmental requirements of the Environment (Wales) Act 2016. . CCC's Environment Forward Plan was endorsed by CCC's Executive Board in March 2017, and progress in delivering it is monitored using the PIMS	
1	We will continue to deliver the Caeau Mynydd Mawr SAC Marsh Fritillary project, consistent with SPG, which aims to ensure the management of at least 100ha of Marsh Fritillary habitat in perpetuity. (<i>Action ID 12649</i>)	Oct 2021
2	We will develop a tree strategy to improve the environment and mitigate the effects of air and noise pollution in our more populated areas. MF5-23 The policy will address the possible impacts of ash-die back. This strategy will link with the Council's approved Tree Management Procedure, and will apply primarily to trees on land owned or managed by CCC, but could equally well apply to other land e.g. land managed by other members of the Pubic Service Board, and Town and Community Councils. This action will enhance and sustain both our natural and our built spaces.	March 2019
3	We will review the Council's Rural Buildings Policy. MF5-22 Policies in the LDP relating to the re-sue of rural buildings, together with relevant SPG will be reviewed as part of the LDP review process. The appropriate re-use of these buildings can contribute to the circular economy and a reduction in both the creation of waste and the demand for new building materials.	March 2019
4	We will implement and monitor the adopted Local Development Plan (LDP) in accordance with the statutory requirements and the content of the agreed Monitoring and Implementation Framework.	March 2019
5	We will commence the preparation of a Revised LDP in accordance with statutory provisions and seek to agree with the Welsh Government a Delivery Agreement (including timetable and Community Involvement Scheme). Subject to the political process and subsequently Welsh Government approval the focus during 2018/19 will be the Candidate sites process, evidence gathering and general engagement and Pre Deposit Consultation. MF5-20 Progress in relation to the Revised LDP timetable will be monitored twice yearly.	March 2019
6	The Planning Division will develop a consistent approach to ensuring that biodiversity is maintained and enhanced, and that ecosystem resilience is promoted as part of the planning system and also within its Conservation, Minerals and Building Control activities.	March 2019
7	We will adopt and implement a Local Development Order for Llanelli Town Centre as part of a co-ordinated strategic approach to regeneration within the town centre (subject to agreement through the political process post public consultation).	March 2019
8	We will continue to monitor and where appropriate manage the use of monies raised through developer contribution including s106 agreements. As a consequence we will ensure monies are appropriately used and that there is an efficient turn around in the use of funds. MF5- 21 (<i>Action ID 12655</i>)	March 2019
9	We will develop and implement a comprehensive plan to fully utilise the assets at the house and park at Parc Howard with the aim of making the venue a Green Flag location and consider other venues across the County that may benefit from becoming a Green Flag location. MF5-19	March 2019
10	Work with stakeholders to improve sewerage capacity within the County through the development of appropriate schemes. Ensure planned programed improvements are designed and implemented to address capacity issues. Address water supply too. MF5-24	March 2019

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11	% of all planning applications determined in time (PAM/018)(2017/18 Result - 69.71%)	75%
12	% of planning appeals dismissed (PAM/019) (2017/18 Result - 52.63%)	69%
B	We monitor delivery of CCC's Environment Act Forward Plan (As required by the Environment (Wales) Act 2016), so demonstrating its compliance with the Biodiversity & Resilience of Ecosystems Duty	
1	Through monitoring the delivery of the Council's Forward Plan, we will evidence how Carmarthenshire County Council is meeting its Biodiversity and Ecosystem Resilience Duty under Section 6 of the Environment (Wales) Act, reporting on outcomes achieved to WG. We will evidence links between this work and the requirements of the Well Being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015.	May 2019
C	We will continue to implement and promote the increased use of renewable energy.	
1	We shall reduce energy consumption (kWh) / carbon emissions (tonnes) in the Council's existing non-domestic building portfolio. <i>MF5-13</i>	March 2021
2	We will identify and deliver energy efficiency projects within the Council's existing, non-domestic buildings.	March 2021
3	We will contribute to delivering the Swansea Bay City Deal programme to develop 'Homes as Power Stations' to help generate sustainable and affordable homes and address fuel poverty for our residents by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore the potential for retro-fit renewable technology on benefit our housing stock. Developing new homes with innovative technologies <i>MF5-46 (part)</i> 	Dec 2019 Dec 2019
D	We will protect our environment & properties through delivering our Flood & Waste Management Plan; & protect & manage our coast by delivering the Shoreline Management Plan.	
1	We will finalise Flood Risk Management Plans as part of the strategy for identifying, managing and mitigating flood risk within our communities.	March 2019
E	We will deliver actions from the 'Towards Zero Waste strategy', to become a high recycling nation by 2025 and a zero waste nation by 2050.	
1	We will continue to review our waste treatment strategy options and recycling infrastructure needs to ensure that we can continue to meet our statutory recycling targets and landfill diversion targets from April 2018. <i>MF5-16</i>	March 2021
2	We shall undertake review of green waste routes to ensure the most effective provision for residents. <i>MF5-17</i>	March 2019
3	We will work with local stakeholders to pilot litter management arrangements across Llanelli with specific attention to the town centre and approach roads, with a view to introducing across the County. <i>MF5-18</i>	March 2019
4	We will continue to work with CWM Environmental to review our waste treatment/disposal arrangements in the immediate term by securing appropriate arrangements for treating and disposing of our waste.	March 2019
5	We shall continue to review existing household recycling participation rates to maximise landfill diversion and increase recycling. Undertake a programme of door-stepping to advise and encourage householders to participate in our recycling schemes.	March 2019
6	We shall explore the potential partnership with local community third sector companies to improve the performance of the council bulky waste and re-use service.	March 2019
7	We will undertake a public satisfaction survey to assess the public opinion of current services. Also assess the appetite for future service change to deliver enhanced recycling performance for Carmarthenshire.	March 2019
8	We will continue with to re-used, recycled or composted a high percentage of waste (PAM/030). Target set to achieve national waste targets (2017/18 Result - 64.80%)	64%

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9	We will reduce the amount (Kg) of municipal waste that is not reused, recycled or composted during the year per person (<i>PAM/043</i>) (2017/18 Baseline - 102.7 Kg)	102.5 Kg
10	We will keep the average number of working days taken to clear fly-tipping incidents to a minimum (<i>PAM/035</i>) (2017/18 Result - 1.7 days)	1.7 days
11	We will maintain a high level of streets that are clean (<i>PAM/010</i>) (2017/18 Result - 98.7%)	92%
12	We shall maintain a high level of cleanliness of our highways based on the Keep Wales Tidy and Cleanliness Index inspections (<i>STS/005a</i>) (2017/18 Result - 77.8%)	71%

Success Measures
Use of renewable energy
Rates of recycling (<i>PAM/030</i>)