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I would like to comment for myself and my three children.

To support SDC commitment to become carbon neutral by 2030 we need to prioritise both our carbon emissions reduction strategies as well as our Climate Resilience Plans to the top of all agendas and to commit any reserves or available funds to support this.

These include -

- Investing in cycle lanes and supporting a social education and facilitation programme to encourage walking and cycling, through education, incentives and rewards in schools, colleges, local businesses and SDC employees. E.g Car free Friday's for starters, cycle hire schemes for employees and citizens, etc. etc
- fund a Climate Cafe and Resource Center in Stroud Town Center to inform citizens of the Climate Emergency and inspire, encourage and support them to make the personal lifestyle changes needed to survive the Climate Crisis we will soon face. Reduce, Re-use, Relax, Collaborate.
- Faciltate and host a Land Stewardship Council of all local landowners of more than 1 acre to deliver a planting scheme for the many thousands of trees we need to plant.

Many thanks.

Sent from my iPad