

## FEP mtg Zoom 4:00 19<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Attendees: RobF. Charmian. Robin. Owen. TimH. JohnP. ChrisG. Jack Harris. Lorely(notes).

Apologies: Karen. RobH., Fliss .. **Bold - actions and contact for information.**

Last notes amendment: SW Water designating Falmouth as a 'Sponge Town', not a 'sink' town.

Rotary Club: John update:

\*Climate Change Info week starting 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at The Poly.

\*Thermal Imaging project: pilot starting in Mawnan Smith and then onto Constantine.

\*Trees: 5 acres on 100 year lease in Budock area.

\*Plastics/Waste management John working on a project and seeking University connections.

Owen Activities:

\*Working with RobF: connecting to website and setting up Social Media links plus a Youtube site.

\*Has produced some simple A4 promotional material: so far used at Poverty Dropin at Dracaena Centre 16<sup>th</sup> Sept and Energy Dropin at Princess Pavilion 19<sup>th</sup> Sept.

\*Creating material for website and social links - energy tips: from simple and cheap energy interventions to more sophisticated and techy retrofit projects. Designing graphics for a pop up publicity stand.

\*Fal Green Homes: about to commence creating youtube virtual films to show local examples of retrofit etc and a timetable of actual inperson visits.

**Action All:** please let Owen know about any homes willing to be visited/filmed. owen@falenergy.co.uk

Local energy poverty :

\*Community Energy Plus held their first monthly energy dropin on 19<sup>th</sup> Sept. Owen and Lorely attended. Future dropins may be held at Dracaena project.

\*A local Charity shop very supportive re free curtains (possible slow cookers etc). Issues re storage, volunteers to help the less able and insurance needs to be addressed. Help and advice please (Climate Action Network may be able to help) : **Owen and Lorely.**

Dracaena:

\*Loose wires connecting the two roofs of solar panels. Cleaning panels. **Robin.**

\*Dracaena celebration with pre winter energy advice event:: ongoing.

Accounts: Robin report:

\*The Accountants nearly completed final accounts for 22/23.

\*FCA still ongoing.

Funding/Projects. Ongoing as per previous meeting notes.

\*Chris has been liasing with Tim of Community Energy Plus.

Follow ups:

\*Watson Marlow meeting with Frank Bastin.: **Charmian, Robin, Lorely**

\*Pendennis Leisure: **Charmian.**

\*South West Water: **Charmian.**

\*Cornwall Council Local Area Energy Plan: Please encourage submissions to complete survey. **All.**

\*Jack Harris introduced himself and International Fugitive Emissions Abatement Association. Focussing on methane which represents 42% of all greenhouse gases.

Meeting finished 5: 15

Meetings: every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month, 4pm . Zoom. \*17<sup>th</sup> October 2023.

\*Agenda October \*Check new Community Energy Fund \*Planning for March Rotary event. \* Project Worker update. \*Strategy: \*Event at Dracaena. \*Fuel/Energy Poverty, Green Homes, Thermal Imaging.