

Energy Working Group (EWG): Terms of Reference

Purpose:

The purpose of this Working Group is to understand and evaluate proposed power/energy systems developments in the Parish and ensure that any such developments are sympathetically planned and coordinated for the benefit of all. Furthermore, the Working Group aims to establish a longer-term relationship with all developers to encourage the support of Landulph Parish and its aims/objectives.

Role and remit:

The role of the Working Group is to broadly support the environmental objective of climate change mitigation, with a mandate to contribute to the delivery of net zero in the UK by 2050, covering the production of electricity, heat, and fuels, as well as energy storage and networks.

The Working Group will engage and develop a working relationship with developers and report the progress and any recommendations at a monthly Parish Council meeting.

The Working Group will also engage, when appropriate, with other Landulph Parish Working Groups, with Cornwall Council and other Parish Councils to share information and best practice.

Approach to working:

The group will be chaired by a member of Landulph Parish Council. Members of group will include at least two Parish Councillors and others from the Parish as agreed by the Parish Council.

Communications and Reporting:

The Working Group will meet at least once a quarter or as often as required. The Working Group will have no delegated powers and will comply with the Standing Orders of the Parish Council. Any recommendations from the Working Group will be submitted to the Parish Council for approval including expenditure. The group will report regularly to the Parish Council.

Financial Expenditure:

No expenditure is anticipated.

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