

09 November 2020

Cross Party Group on Sustainable Energy Annual Report

1. Group membership and office holders.

Chair: Llyr Gruffydd AM

Other AMs:

Huw Irranca-Davies, AM

Janet Finch-Saunders, MS

Mike Hedges, AM

Rhun ap Iorwerth, AM

Siân Gwenllïan AM

Secretary: Carolyn Pugsley, Freshwater

Other members: David Clubb, Afallen

Laura Hulson, ARUP

Rhys Wyn-Jones, Renewable UK Cymru

2. Previous Group Meetings since the last AGM.

Meeting 1.

Meeting date: Tuesday 11 February 2020

Attendees: Alexander Phillips
Angharad Davies
Ben Coates
Ben Lewis
Dr Carla De Laurentis
Carolyn Pugsley
David Clubb
Duncan Fisher

Gregory Vaughan Morris
Ioan Bellin
Jeremy Smith
Lia Murphy
Llyr Gruffydd, MS
Lucy Hoggins
Michael Anderson
Nigel Pugh
Paul Allen
Rhys Wyn Jones
Dr Richard Hall
Rob James
Sara Powell-Davies
Siân Gwenllian, MS
Simon John
Simon Morgan
Sion Trewyn
Sioned James
Tony Cooke
Will Ryan
Yasmin Akbari

Summary of issues discussed: Richard Murphy, from the Green New Deal Group and Paul Allen, from the Centre for Alternative Technology each delivered a presentation about the Green New Deal. Richard Murphy spoke about what the deal is, how it could work and how it could be funded, while Paul Allen discussed what Zero Carbon Energy is, how it is helping tackle climate change and encouraging others to do the same.

Meeting 2.

Meeting date: Tuesday 24 September 2019

Attendees: Alex Simms, for Jenny Rathbone MS
Angharad Davies

Carolyn Pugsley
Chris Jackson
Eleri Davies
Ian MacKinlay
Janet Finch-Saunders, MS
Kate Oates
Laura Hulson
Lia Murphy
Llyr Gruffydd, MS
Mike, for Rhyn Ap Iorwerth MS
Paul Allen
Rhys Wyn Jones
Richard Murphy
Ryland Doyle, for Mike Hedges MS
Simon Morgan
Will Ryan
Yasmin Akbari

Summary of issues discussed: Paul Allen, from the Centre for Alternative Technology and Richard Murphy, from the Green New Deal Group returned to deliver presentations on the Green New Deal with an update since the pandemic. Paul Allen discussed steps possible to create a Zero Carbon Britain while Richard Murphy spoke of how the political economic framework has changed, his views on an upcoming recession, mass unemployment and inflation and the opportunity Wales has to build the economy it needs.

3. Professional lobbyists, voluntary organisations and charities with whom the Group has met during the preceding year.

N/A

Annual Financial Statement.

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Secretary: Carolyn Pugsley, Director, Freshwater

Group's Expenses.	None.	£0.00
Costs of all goods.	No goods purchased.	£0.00
Benefits received by the group or individual Members from outside bodies.	No benefits received.	£0.00
Any secretariat or other support.	No financial support received. Freshwater provides secretariat support on a pro-bono basis.	£0.00
Services provided to the Group such as hospitality.		
All refreshments paid for by Arup.		
Date	Description and name of provider	Cost
Tuesday 11 February 2020	Food and Beverages	£344.34
Total cost		£344.34