Appendix A – Climate & Ecological Emergency Strategy 2022-2024 Delivery Plan

PAR	Γ A: New focus areas – Place-based	Approach, Con	nmunity Wealth I	Building and Help	ing with the	Cost of Liv	/ing
Ref	Action	New focus areas			Strategy	Lead Dept	Financial Implications
No.		Place-based approach	Community Wealth Building	Cost of Living	Theme		
CRW 001	We will open the first 'Library of Things' in Brent	Delivered via a hub, library or other community location		Borrowing items at a lower price than buying new	Consumption, Resources and Waste	Assistant Chief Executive's	Funding from existing budgets
CRW 003	We will offer a free internal food caddy to every resident living in a flat (rolled over from 2021-22 delivery plan)	Pilot in Sustainable Neighbourhoods to inform roll-out across borough		Encourages people to waste less food, saving money in the process	Consumption, Resources and Waste	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
CRW 004	We will develop and pilot a new re-use and repair hub in a locality area, with support from the West London Waste Authority and third sector partners	Target in Sustainable Neighbourhoods		Repair/re-use saves money over buying new	Consumption, Resources and Waste	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
TP 002	We will transition 26 School Streets to permanent schemes, and introduce new ones where possible	Target schools within Sustainable Neighbourhoods		Encourages parents to use more sustainable transport methods, saves on petrol/diesel	Sustainable Travel	Regeneration & Environment	Externally funded via TfL
TP 003	We will work together with residents to design and implement new Healthy Neighbourhood Schemes	Contributes to sustainable neighbourhoods		Encourages people to use more sustainable transport methods, saves on petrol/diesel	Sustainable Travel	Regeneration & Environment	Externally funded via TfL
TP 004	We will install at least 180 new EV charge points and aim to increase number by accessing external grant funding where possible	Target areas of demand in the borough	Businesses shifting to EVs saves money on petrol/diesel journeys in operations	Residents shifting to EVs saves money on petrol/diesel journeys	Sustainable Travel	Regeneration & Environment	Various external grants funding
TP 005	We will continue to expand the programme of installing new bike hangars across borough	Target areas of demand in the borough		Supporting people in moving to more sustainable transport methods, saves on petrol/diesel	Sustainable Travel	Regeneration & Environment	Various external grants funding
TP 006	We will expand the borough's existing Cargo Bikes schemes	Target areas of demand in the borough	Businesses shifting to cargo bikes, even for last mile of a journey, saves money on petrol/diesel journeys in operations	Can be used for short journeys, saves on petrol/diesel	Sustainable Travel	Regeneration & Environment	Part externally funded, part from existing budgets
TP 007	We will increase the number of schools with School Travel Plans and seek to improve on the existing baseline of those which are accredited 'Gold', 'Silver' or 'Bronze'	Target schools within Sustainable Neighbourhoods		Also encourages parents to use more sustainable transport methods, saves on petrol/diesel	Sustainable Travel	Regeneration & Environment / Children & Young People	Funding from existing budgets

HBBE 001	We will explore the development of a Local Area Energy Plan for West London, with a particular focus on Park Royal, in partnership with the OPDC and neighbouring boroughs	A focused place- based approach in addition to the pilot Sustainable Neighbourhoods	Solar panel project, district heating and wider LAEP has potentially to save businesses in Park Royal money on energy bills		Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Assistant Chief Executive's / Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
HBBE 004	We will begin retrofit work to at least 3 Tower Blocks (rolled over from 2021-22 delivery plan)		Provide local work experience/apprentice ships/jobs to local people – particularly from supply coming through Green Skills Centre	Retrofitting and reducing the need to have heating on in the first place, reduction in energy bills	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Community Wellbeing	Funding from existing budgets
HBBE 006	We will deliver further retrofitting projects via the council's Carbon Offset Fund	£1.2m in Offset Fund pipeline, potential to direct investment within Sustainable Neighbourhoods	Provide local work experience/apprentice ships/jobs to local people – particularly from supply coming through Green Skills Centre	Retrofitting and reducing the need to have heating on in the first place, reduction in energy bills	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Assistant Chief Executive's / Community Wellbeing	Funded via developer contributions
HBBE 007	We will develop and implement employer requirements for energy efficiency standards within all new council housing	Impacts on Development-led pilot – influencing design of schemes		New builds being built to highest energy efficiency standards from outset will save on energy bills	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Community Wellbeing	Funding from existing budgets
HBBE 008	We will explore and identify an opportunity for an exemplar net zero new build within New Council Homes Programme pipeline	Impacts on Development-led pilot – influencing design of schemes		New builds being built to highest energy efficiency standards from outset will save on energy bills	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Community Wellbeing	Further work required to understand Financial Implications
HBBE 009	We will review developments within our New Council Homes Programme pipeline to ensure that all aspects of sustainability are holistically addressed, with a special focus on the proposed development plans for St Raphael's Estate	St Raphael's would form part of wider place-based approach		Retrofitting, active travel provision, better waste facilities etc which could form part of scheme, could help to reduce bills and costs to residents	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Community Wellbeing	Funding from existing budgets
HBBE 010	We will review the development pipeline for Growth Areas in line with the provisions of the new Local Plan, to ensure that all aspects of sustainability are being addressed wherever possible	A wider review / monitoring of the pipeline may provide new place-based opportunities for action			Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
SC 001	We will identify and undertake engagement with communities on development of three pilot 'Sustainable Neighbourhoods'	Cross-cutting and integral to all three areas of focus			Supporting Communities	Assistant Chief Executive's – supported by all depts.	Funding from existing budgets
SC 002	We will provide targeted support to businesses through energy efficiency grants, carbon footprinting and a new climate charter	Businesses identified within Sustainable Neighbourhoods pilot area – bespoke target engagement	Support businesses to shift to more sustainable operating models, saving money		Supporting Communities	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets

		on bills and operational costs				
SC 003	We will launch the new Green Skills Centre in Willesden	Provide local work experience/apprentice ships/jobs to local people – particularly from supply coming through Green Skills Centre	Improved opportunities and job prospects	Supporting Communities	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
SC 004	We will launch new sector based pathways scheme for unemployed people to take up 'green' jobs	Provide local work experience/apprentice ships/jobs to local people – particularly from supply coming through Green Skills Centre	Improved opportunities and job prospects	Supporting Communities	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
SC 005	We will develop and deliver improved Affordable Energy advice services, targeting the most vulnerable households in Brent		Reduction in household energy costs	Supporting Communities	Assistant Chief Executive's / Community Wellbeing	Funding from existing budgets

PART	PART B – Other initiatives to be included - building on year one						
Ref No.	Action	Strategy Theme	Dept. Lead	Financial Implications			
CRW 002	We will deliver improved sustainability outcomes following the procurement of the new Redefining Local Services contracts renewals	Consumption, Resources and Waste	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets			
TP 008	We will adopt and implement an new updated Corporate Travel Plan for council operations	Sustainable Travel	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets			
HBBE 002	We will install the borough's first Living Wall on Willesden Green Library	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets			
HBBE 003	We will develop, consult upon, adopt and promote a Sustainable Design and Construction Supplementary Planning Document – to include additional guidance on policies in the Brent Local Plan and London Plan	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets			
HBBE 005	We will explore funding for a dedicated energy efficiency works programme within the Housing Asset Management Strategy	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Community Wellbeing	Funding from existing budgets			
HBBE 011	We will finalise our plans for the council to achieve net zero carbon emissions from the council's own estate and operations by 2030 (rolled over from 2021-22 delivery plan)	Homes, Buildings and the Built Environment	Assistant Chief Executive's	This plan is likely to have significant revenue and capital financial implications. These will be assessed as the plan and recommendations are developed.			

NGS 001	We will continue the borough's existing tree planting programme – aimed at areas of low canopy cover, poor air quality and deprivation	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
NGS 002	We will finalise completion of a new rain garden in Silver Jubilee Park	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funded externally – s106
NGS 003	We will complete a new rain garden as part of Kensal Corridor scheme	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funding externally – via TfL
NGS 004	We will implement new biodiversity information boards in Brent parks	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
NGS 005	We will work with partners to create a new mini-forest in King Edwards Park	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funding externally – via TfL
NGS 006	We will install new Bee and Bug Hotels in Brent parks	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets
NGS 007	We will refurbish Northwick Park Pavilion as the borough's first eco-pavilion	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funding externally – via PSDS and S106
NGS 008	We will establish a wildflower area along the length of the river Brent feeder that runs through Northwick Park	Nature and Green Space	Regeneration & Environment	Funded externally as part of OPE programme
SC 008	We will improve the Brent Environmental Network to make the network more action focused and community-led	Supporting Communities	Assistant Chief Executive's	Funding from existing budgets
SC 009	We will improve and expand the Brent School Climate Champions Network	Supporting Communities	Assistant Chief Executive's	Funding from existing budgets
SC 010	We will pilot a community sustainability project with the Brent Multi-Faith Forum	Supporting Communities	Assistant Chief Executive's	Funding from existing budgets
SC 006	We will undertake a Net Zero Schools Retrofit and Engagement Project with at least five local schools	Supporting Communities	Children & Young People / Regeneration & Environment	Funding from existing budgets (one-off)
SC 007	We will develop and run a new sustainability communications campaign programme with an increased focus on how going green can benefit our residents and communities in their daily lives at a local level	Supporting Communities	Assistant Chief Executive's	Funding from existing budgets
SC 008	We will continue to deliver the Together Towards Zero Small Grants Scheme, providing funding to local community projects that contribute to reducing emissions and/or making Brent greener and more biodiverse	Supporting Communities	Assistant Chief Executive's	Funding from existing budgets