

Hampshire 2050 Commission of Inquiry

Annual Progress Report

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Demographic and societal challenges



Economy



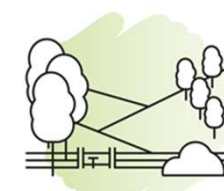
Work, skills and lifestyle



Environment and quality of place



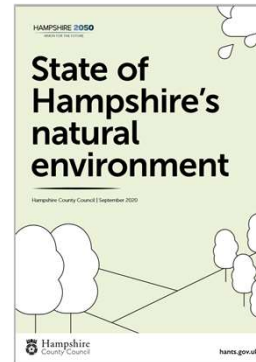
Mobility, connectivity and energy



Rural Hampshire

Annual Progress Report

- First Annual Progress Report outlining progress made on recommendations of the Hampshire 2050 Commission of Inquiry since the Commissioners' Summary Report was published in September 2019.
- Launch of three State of Reports that provide a data rich analysis of our baseline so that we have a starting point from which to clearly measure progress and identify trends.
- Primary focus for this first year of activity has been the Changing Climate and more recently Green Recovery.
- Challenging year, but actions have still been delivered and good progress made.



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Changing Climate

- Hampshire County Council declared a Climate Emergency in the Summer of 2019 along with many other Hampshire 2050 partners.
- Two ambitious and far reaching targets set, which apply to the whole Hampshire area.
- Published our Climate Change Strategy, Action Plan and Strategic Framework for 2020 – 2025. Sets out an ambitious set of programmes focused on priority areas such as Transport, Residential, Energy Generation.
- Two innovative climate change decision tools currently being implemented to embed climate change accountability into transparent decision-making.
- Four residential community projects have been launched.

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2050

Carbon neutrality

2°C

preparing to be
resilient to the impacts
of temperature rise



Progress on Drivers for Change

➤ Environment

- Phase one of the Country Park Transformation Programme
- County Council's ecological network mapping

➤ Economy

- Business and economy group has been established
- Working with EM3 LEP on the feasibility of a 5G enabled full fibre spine

➤ Population and Society

- Skills strategy and action plan
- Apprenticeship programmes

➤ Technology

- New Transport Plan (Local Transport Plan 4)
- Draft Electric Vehicle Charge-Point Strategy



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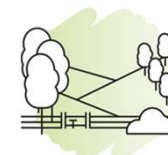
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Next Steps

- Hampshire 2050 recommendations remain relevant despite the huge challenges and changes over the past 10 months.
- Prioritise the development of a Framework for Green Recovery from Covid-19 with Hampshire 2050 Partners, using the Hampshire 2050 recommendations as the starting point.
- Continue to implement the Climate Change Strategy, through innovative and challenging programmes and partnership working to maximise benefits to Hampshire environment, society and economy.
- Continue to host Hampshire 2050 Partnership events on topical issues to support delivery of 2050 recommendation.
- Progress and State of Reports to be published on an annual / bi annual basis.

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Commission of Inquiry and Climate Change webpages:

www.hants.gov.uk/aboutthecouncil/haveyoursay/visionforhampshire2050
www.hants.gov.uk/en/landplanningandenvironment/environment/climatechange