

## **BRYMPTON PARISH COUNCIL**

### **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**

- 1) The Parish Council should consider the environmental impact of every decision and action.
- 2) All aspects of the Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and Recovery (4R's) will be considered in any actions and undertakings that the Parish Council can influence.
- 3) Will strive to improve air quality, soil and water habitats.
- 4) We will encourage all Parishioners to consider the environmental impact of their activities.

### **BPC ACTION PLAN**

- 1) Nominate a BPC focal point (Environmental lead, Tree Warden & Water Warden).
- 2) All planning applications will be scrutinised for their environmental impact.
- 3) Reduce our pollution footprint in all areas including all travel arrangements.
- 4) Ensure that all waste is disposed of in a manner that is environmentally sustainable.
- 5) Identify areas that would benefit from a more diverse habitat.
- 6) Tree & hedge planting opportunities – dependent upon Specialist Horticulturist advice.
- 7) Create wildlife corridors and access points.
- 8) Encourage planting that attracts all pollinators.
- 9) Highlight the ecological value of our environment and to encourage its improvement.
- 10) Support environmental education by providing awards to School pupils and parishioners.
- 11) To create a culture whereby pollution is unacceptable.