



Holme Valley Parish Council

CLIMATE EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN:

The story so far

Declaration of Emergency



- HOTT = Holmfirth Transition Town, running many years
- Encouraged local Parish Councillors to Declare
- March '19 – ‘Carbon Neutral by 2030 in Parish area’
- Parish Council have few resources, no full time staff
- Working Sub-group with 2 councillors, 10 lay members
- Zero carbon for the Parish, not for the Parish Council activities

Working Sub Group

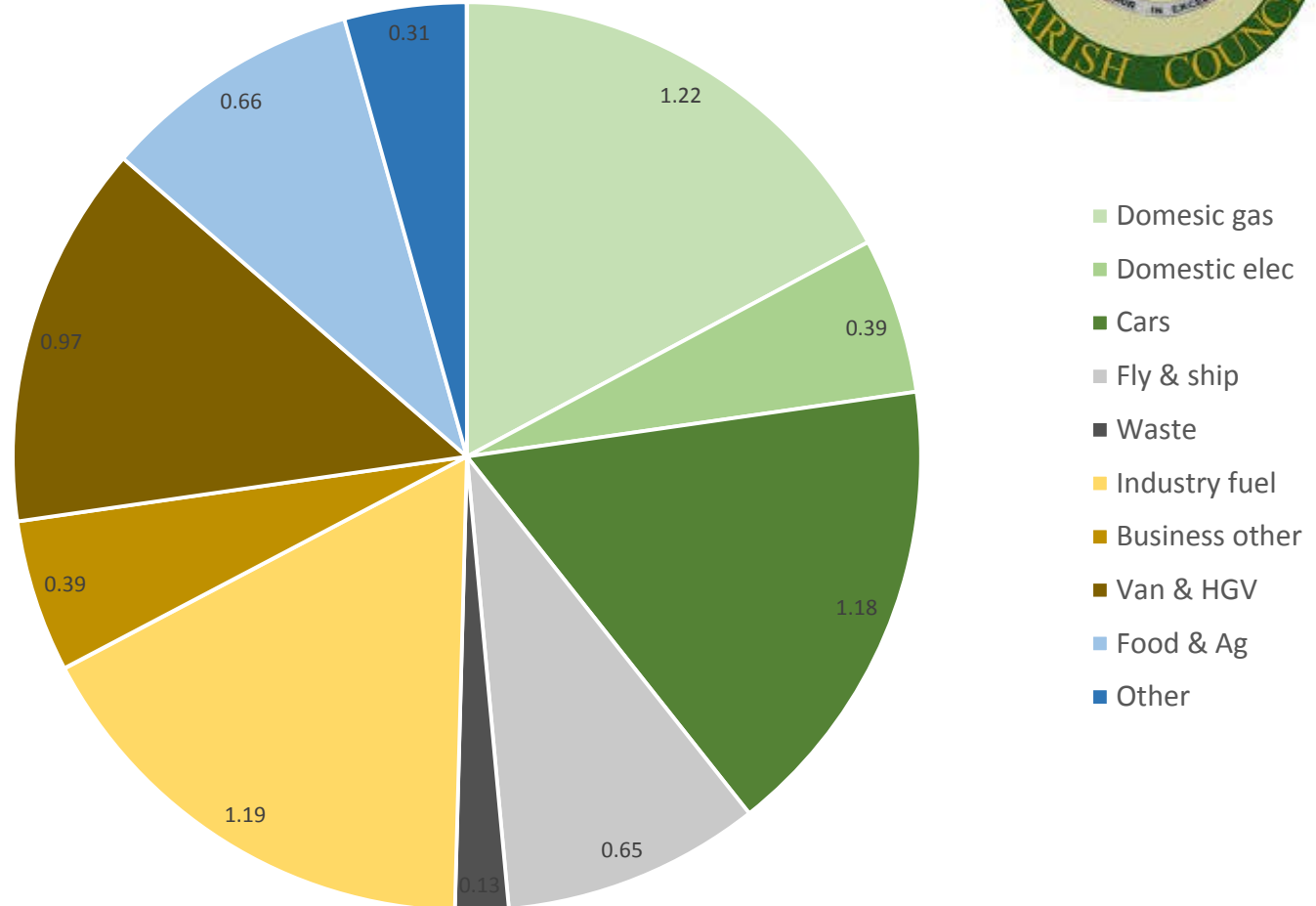


- 6 meetings
- Around monthly, 6-8 at each event
- HOTT (especially John Queening) gave background support
- Baseline carbon budget based on UK average & flexed by local known usage patterns
- Covered all areas, templates from Zero Carbon Britain etc

Baseline



- 27,000 people
- 12,000 buildings
- 7 TCO₂e/yr/person
- 170,000 t/yr



Plan areas



- **Energy**
- **Transport**
- **Business and Industry**
- **Waste and consumption**
- **Food and Agriculture**
- **Environment and land use (LULUCF)**
- **Housing**

https://www.holmevalleyparishcouncil.gov.uk/_UserFiles/Files/HVPC%20CE%20ACTION%20PLAN%20-%203rd%20draft%20with%20graphics%2020-9-2019-1.pdf

Public Consultation



- Presentation to the Parish Council 9/9/2019
- Expected 6 public, got over 40 (incl. 20 local students)
- Workshop to develop Action Plans further
- 70 public attended Sunday 13/10/19, 2pm to 4:30pm
- 2nd layer of detail actions below policy
- Approval by Parish Council on 18/11/19?