

Gladestry Community Council

Biodiversity plan

Section 6 of the Environment (Wales) Act 2016 requires Community Councils to have a biodiversity plan to improve biodiversity and promote ecosystem resilience.

The Council, with its limited powers and budget, will do its utmost to maintain and enhance biodiversity in its areas of influence.

The Council will achieve this by:

giving consideration to biodiversity issues when examining local planning applications, and by commenting in a way which positively promotes biodiversity;

considering the impact on biodiversity of requests relating to highways issues;

ensuring that biodiversity issues are taken into account when considering grant applications;

supporting, where possible, local involvement in improving biodiversity; and

encouraging the reduction, re-use and recycling of materials within its area of influence.

This plan will be reviewed every three years to ensure it remains relevant to the council and its functions.

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