

In October 2019, Ryedale District Council joined other bodies in declaring a climate change emergency. Everyone has a role to play in reducing carbon emissions. Here is what Ryedale District Council will do.

We will set an example by...

- Increasing knowledge and awareness of climate change issues across the Council
- Building climate change considerations into our Council Plan, decision-making processes, and service delivery plans
- Reducing our own carbon emissions as a Council by using “green” technologies and suppliers, and becoming more efficient in our use of energy, water and other resources

We will deliver energy-conscious projects such as...

- Replacing the streetlights we own with energy-efficient LED and part-night lighting
- Introducing electric vehicle charging points in key locations
- Improving the way we manage waste

We will encourage others to act responsibly by...

- Requiring that new building developments are planned to be as sustainable as possible
- Supporting community-based schemes which contribute to a reduction in climate change
- Promoting the practical action that businesses and individuals can take to reduce carbon emissions in Ryedale

OUR CLIMATE CHANGE COMMITMENT



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