

Appendix 3 KCC Net Zero plan progress update

KCC Net Zero Action Plan	Target completion	Progress up to February 2022
Policy Actions		
Develop, test, and implement an Environment & Climate Change Impacts Assessment	March 2022	Outline process developed and guidance drafted. Working group being refreshed.
Embed net-zero targets within appropriate procurement contracts	As contracts renew	Requirements included in KCC Strategic Commissioning framework and some new contracts e.g., Hard FM services Market Position Statement drafted for use by all Kent & Medway Local Authorities
Develop net-zero design checklist for new build and significant redevelopment schemes	March 2022	Design statement being submitted for each new application
Develop minimum design standards for KCC new build and retrofit projects and additional funding mechanisms that make this achievable (corporate estate and schools)	March 2022	Standards drafted, to be tested on live projects to confirm financial impacts. School new build standards pending Department for Education report on Net Zero schools.
Transport Actions		
Reduce Business miles travelled by 33% by 2030	2030	Business miles have reduced significantly due to COVID and are not returning to previous higher levels At Sept 2021, 55% reduction vs 2019-20
80% of Business miles to be via electric vehicle by 2030 - scope out opportunity for electric only salary sacrifice car scheme	2030 Scheme assessed by March 2022	Pilot scheme implemented by Cantium Business Solutions to be reviewed by KCC by March 2022