Fylde Council Commitment to Plastic Free - Action Plan

Action	Detail	Officer Responsible	Action Date	Comments
Office recycling	Banning bins in individual offices and placing communal recycling bins throughout the council offices		Completed	
Paper cups	Introducing paper cups at council water coolers as opposed to plastic cups		Completed	
Hydration Points	Investment in the installation of a series of hydration points so that visitors and residents can refill water bottles, reducing the use of SUP's with a maintenance programme to be operated by DANFO	Technical Support Officer (Andrew Loynd)	In progress - drawdown approved, need installing	
Beach toys	Bucket and spade trade units placed at the entrances to the beach to enable people to recycle plastic items		Completed	
WWF Climate Calculator	Promotion of WWF Climate Calculator to both employees and elected members, as part of which is around consumption, incorporating the use of SUPs		Completed	
Disposable utensils	Eliminate the use of disposable plates, cutlery and paper napkins when organising external catering for council events	Senior Corporate Support Officer (Maria Marcella)	31st December 2022	
Communication with stakeholders	Further internal and external communications with all stakeholders around carbon footprints and the elimination of SUPs	Communications Team	On-going	
Working with suppliers	Working with our suppliers to identify how they can support us in eliminating SUPs	Procurement Officer (Ben McCabe)	31st December 2022	
Working with events partners	Working with our events partners to identify how we can reduce SUPs at events, as well as trialling new recycling stations at our events to increase the amount of plastic that is recycled and not disposed of as general waste	Tourism Officer (Tim Dixon)	31st August 2022	Tourism team to speak with traders and operators at events with regards to reducing plastic usage and encouraging reusable alternatives. Planning to include advice in event briefing notes and agenda, which can be shared at a later date. Planning to start this with 1940s weekend.
Milk scheme	Investigate a staff scheme in support of a local dairy to replace plastic bottled milk for reusable glass bottles	Senior Corporate Support Officer (Maria Marcella)	31st December 2022	