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Please submit both these items to the Climate Panel on 11th Sept. Sadly I shall be away.

1 I attach a letter sent to the Leader of NHDC from the Climate Action Group with ideas for NHDC to look at changes through the lens of climate crisis. On behalf of the CAG, I hope this is welcomed and useful.

2 I also, *below*, include the text of my offer to give climate science presentations to officers and councillors (I can shorten it to 45mins). Having spoken to some councillors, who joked about the prospect of Cambridge being a seaside town in 40 years, and having previously worked in a LA, I am not convince that all concerned understand the urgency that is required on many fronts.

The Authorities, such as yourselves need to be telling the truth about climate science. The public look to 'the Authorities' for guidance.

I sincerely hope you will enable me to tell the truth on your behalf, the science is very clear, we are in serious trouble.

I have copied this to the Climate Action Group.

**From:** Gilly Chegwyn  
**Sent:** 19 July 2019 16:40  
**Subject:** Offer to give climate change science talks

Dear Martin,

I sincerely welcome the Declaration of a Climate Emergency by NHDC on 21st May this year.

I appreciate that not everyone has a full understanding of the science behind the climate crisis that we face and the resulting need for urgency.

I am a retired teacher and have given a talk explaining the relevant climate science a number of times.

I would like to offer this climate science talk to Councillors and Officers.

I am willing to deliver it up to 4 times if needed, daytime and/or evenings.

I have the presentation on my laptop and would only need a space and a means of showing it; projector and screen, which I imagine are available. If not I can arrange to bring them.

There would be no charge. It would last no more than an hour and a half.

I spoke at the full council meeting on 21st May and believe my passion and sincerity were evident.

We are all in this together.

I do hope you enable me to do this; I believe the content will help officers and councillors to review NHDC business through the lens of climate crisis.

Yours sincerely,

Gilly Chegwyn