



## Shaping your action: Long list of options

Over the second half of our course, we will support you to identify and plan your community action. In our first session after the break we will focus on how to review and prioritise potential initiatives, so that you can find the right options for you and your community.

This worksheet will help you to prepare for this session, by helping to collect ideas for action. Please bring this list of options with you to the 'Shaping your action' session ready to start the review process. Feel free to print this document if this helps you to work with it.

### Step 1: List options

Use the next page to list 5-20 ideas for your community action. These might be ideas that you have picked up previously, or you may want to use the below resources to extract options.

Ashden	<a href="#">31 Climate Actions for Councils</a>
Declare A Climate Emergency	<a href="#">LOCAL AUTHORITY CLIMATE PLAN CHECKLIST:</a> <a href="#">Planning &amp; Land Use</a> <a href="#">Transport</a> <a href="#">Buildings, Housing &amp; Infrastructure</a> <a href="#">Commercial &amp; Industrial</a> <a href="#">Energy Generation &amp; Heating</a> <a href="#">Agriculture &amp; Food</a> <a href="#">Waste</a> <a href="#">Education &amp; Youth</a> <a href="#">Public Health</a>

**Beware**, there is a lot of content in these documents. You don't need to work through all these lists. Only use what is useful for you.

### Part 2: Rate the options' *'Difficulty'*

Go through the 5-20 ideas that you have selected and try to rate how '*difficult*' their implementation would be. Rate them on a scale from 1 (not difficult) to 5 (extremely difficult).

Considerations to help you come up with a rating might be:

- How complex would this initiative be? Does it include multiple workstrands and a big team?
- Do you have the necessary expertise in your community?
- Can you see any big blockers to this initiative's success?
- How long would it take to set this up?

There is no wrong or right, nor is this an exact science. This exercise is supposed to help you to articulate how you think about these different options. We will talk in more details about rating and comparing ideas during the session.

**Possible action**

**Difficulty**