

## Appendix 2 B

### Opportunity Register - List of potential opportunities from future climate change

	Area	Opportunity	Who/ What's affected?	Result
Opportunities	Energy	Reduction in winter heating costs of Council's property portfolio	<b>Resources</b> - Property Management <b>Adults and Housing</b> - Housing Renewal, Options and Development, Energy Team	Warmer winter temperatures and extended Spring and Autumn seasons will reduce the energy demand for heating
		Warmer average winter temperatures with a reduction in people suffering from fuel poverty	<b>Adults and Housing</b> - Community Care Services, Housing Renewal, Options and Development, Housing Improvement and Repair Service, Older People's Services <b>CYPS</b>	Less incidents of cold related deaths
	Transport	Reduction in winter transport disruption	<b>R&amp;C</b> - Highways Management, Transport Strategy and Transport Development	Less frost and snow to disrupt transport network
		Reduction in winter road maintenance costs	<b>R&amp;C</b> - Highways Management,	Warmer winter temperatures will reduce the need for salting and gritting
		Opportunity to utilise renewable energy to power Highway lighting and signs	<b>R&amp;C</b> - Highways Management,	Reduction in energy costs
		Increase in cycling and walking as ambient temperature increases	<b>R&amp;C</b> - Transport Strategy	Potential reduction in growth of congestion
	Property and Green Space	Reduction in frost damage to buildings and infrastructure	<b>Resources</b> - Property Management <b>Adults and Housing</b> - Housing Improvement and Repair Service	Reduced winter maintenance costs for the Council's property portfolio.
		Reduced winter frosts and snowfall to damage vegetation	<b>R&amp;C</b> - Parks and Green Space	
	Health and Lifestyle	Reduction in winter cold related morbidity and mortality	<b>Adults and Housing</b> - Community Care Services, Older People's Services <b>CYPS</b>	Less incidents of cold related deaths
		Opportunities for more active outdoor lifestyles as climate warms	<b>R&amp;C</b> - Sports Services, Parks and Open Space, Transport Development, Sustainable Transport, <b>CYPS</b>	Opportunities to encourage a more healthy outdoor lifestyle incorporating walking and cycling