

LEDBURY TOWN COUNCIL

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LEDBURY WEST WARD COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

- Have been to interesting and informative meetings/presentations which have included:
 - o More briefing sessions from the Herefordshire Council's Adult and Children's services directorates. It is eye opening to see how many vulnerable adults and children are cared for by the Council and what a significant proportion of staff and budget have to be allocated to looking after the vulnerable (some 20% of staff and not far off 50% of budget)
 - o Attending a very informative workshop on community led housing
 - o Participating in a Council 'climate emergency' workshop day, which was an informative and constructive event helping to plan how Herefordshire Council can meet its net zero carbon emission goals by 2030 (the Council is doing very well in this area and is on target to achieve its objective)

