

**Moratorium on Licences for Fracking and
Exploration and Extraction of Fossil Fuels**

“This Council recognises that we are in a climate emergency and, being aware of the environmental damage caused by fracking and all forms of exploration and extraction of fossil fuels, calls on the Minister for the Economy to place an immediate moratorium on all licenses and further calls on the Minister for Infrastructure to urgently implement changes to deny permitted development rights to any company seeking to prospect for oil and or/gas.

Proposer: Councillor Daniel Baker

Seconder: Councillor Matt Garrett

(To be debated)