



## West Berkshire Climate Action Network

# Petition to Richard Benyon, MP to support the Early Day Motion #2177 to call on the Government to declare a climate emergency

This petition is to ask Richard Benyon, MP for Newbury and surrounding areas, to support the Early Day Motion #2177, proposed by Caroline Lucas to declare a UK-wide climate emergency to unlock the necessary funding to rapidly decarbonise the UK economy.

Wales have already started on this route: <https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-wales-47632409>

The link to the early day motion is here: [https://edm.parliament.uk/early-day-motion/52682/ukwide-climate-emergency?fbclid=IwAR0AsbYFchVvWFmYa\\_O2fOgtWaOqlevvBu7SID1jmhnX\\_p6i9OQfT3dzDmM](https://edm.parliament.uk/early-day-motion/52682/ukwide-climate-emergency?fbclid=IwAR0AsbYFchVvWFmYa_O2fOgtWaOqlevvBu7SID1jmhnX_p6i9OQfT3dzDmM)

You can check if Richard Benyon is your MP on this link:

<https://constituencyfinder.digiminster.com/>

This is a petition signed in-person rather than an e-petition as it shows conversations have been held with each person about the necessity for the UK to declare a climate emergency.

Please download this petition form, print and encourage your network to sign. Then, please return a scanned copy to [WestBerksCAN@gmail.com](mailto:WestBerksCAN@gmail.com) with the following information:

- What venue or event (place of work, local group etc) the petition was signed at.
- Over what period of time the signatures were collected.

Please note that the email address column is to be used to inform petitioner of the results and not mandatory to fill that column in. The other columns must all be completed as the petitioner must be a resident of West Berkshire.

The deadline for signed pages to be returned is 16<sup>th</sup> April.

Many thanks for your support!



