

Friends of Beeline Way - Our Charter

(The) Friends of Beeline Way were formed to help coordinate and maintain the public space covering Cycleway 31 between New Malden and Raynes Park.

In addition to our constitution, which governs the way we manage ourselves internally, we make these pledges:

- 1. Wildlife First** - Beeline Way is home to a diverse and essential environment of insects, invertebrates and mammals that have ancestrally occupied the space for centuries. Everything we do will be in the interests of maintaining their secure and healthy habitats first and foremost.
- 2. Access and Enjoyment for Everyone** - we will do our best to make sure the paths at Beeline Way are accessible to anyone that wants to use them, prioritising those with physical access needs.
- 3. A Clean and Safe Place To Be** - we will encourage the use of the council-maintained bins at Beeline Way and will discourage the dropping of litter on the pathways, in planters and around the entrances and exits.
- 4. Responsible Planting** - everything we plant will be appropriate to the local biome and supportive to the permanent residents of Beeline Way. As far as possible we will maintain the flora, working with the local councils and their environmental maintenance partners.
- 5. Funding Matters** - where possible Friends of Beeline Way is self-funding. If we ask for donations, we'll be clear and transparent as to what is being funded and how much it will cost - we don't take a profit and never will. We will only accept council funding where it isn't linked to a political party or campaign and will detail all funding we receive - and how it was spent - on this site.