



South Gloucestershire Heritage Partnership Meeting

Wednesday 6th October 2021 10.00 – 12.15

Online with Microsoft Teams

Many councils, like South Gloucestershire, have declared a Climate Emergency and Lucy Rees will provide us with a talk about what the council is doing and how we are working with others.

After the break Jane Marley will introduce the new Indian heritage stories project. This will be followed by a discussion reflecting on the significance of slavery in relation to the wealth underpinning the area and how we address this. There will then be an opportunity to update the group regarding your project.

10.00 Introductions

10.10 Climate Emergency declaration in South Gloucestershire: what we are doing and how we are working with others. Followed by a Q & A. **Lucy Rees, Senior Environment and Climate Change Officer, South Gloucestershire Council**

11.00 Break

11.15 **Introducing a new project: This is Your Heritage – Stories from the South Gloucestershire Indian Community**, Jane Marley Museums and Heritage Officer, South Gloucestershire Council.

11.25 **A discussion convened by Jane Marley on the theme suggested at the last meeting.**

To explore how we address the significance of slavery and its role in creating the wealth underpinning the area. How do we address the significance of slavery to the histories we work to research and disseminate? Is there a need to reflect on how we do this as a community and as local councils?

11.50 **Project update and any other business**

12.15 **End**