

## **MOTION SUBMITTED BY COUNCILLOR NICK CLARKE**

Bolsover District Council recognises, through its carbon reduction pledges, the considerable risks from climate change to our planetary life support systems. The Council further recognises the weight of economic evidence from reputable sources, including the Bank of England and Carbon Tracker, that climate change poses a serious risk to returns on investment for pension holders. Bolsover District Council should demonstrate leadership on responsible investment and tackling climate change. The Council therefore calls on the Derbyshire Pension Fund to fully divest from all fossil fuels and to reinvest in more environmentally and socially beneficial alternatives by 2024.