



# Environmental and Sustainability Policy

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# Enterprise East Group CIC

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We are committed to sustainable development (meeting the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs) as a guiding principle within our work. Concern for the environment is an integral and fundamental part of this commitment. Our aim is to reduce the impact on the environment from our operations.

### **Our environmental/sustainability action plan**

As a fully inclusive business we will assess the environmental impacts of our operations and set objectives and targets to improve our environmental performance. We will regularly review these targets.

We will:

- Promote responsibility for the environment within the organisation through staff training and communicate to implement this policy at all levels within the workforce.
- Reduce the use of energy, water, and other resources where possible.
- Minimise waste using the “reduce, re-use recycle” philosophy as a guideline.
- Comply with all relevant environmental legislation/regulation.
- Ensure that our policies and services are developed in a way that is complimentary to this policy.
- Not prioritise funding needs ahead of sustainability requirements.
- Encourage all our partners to commit to the sustainable development philosophy.
- Identify and provide appropriate training, advice and information for staff, students, volunteers to encourage them to develop new ideas and initiatives.
- Provide appropriate resources to meet the commitments of this policy and promote/encourage involvement in local environmental initiatives/schemes.