



Environmental Policy

This policy has been adopted by Highfield Park Trust

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Signed: T Abbott

Position: Chair of Trustees



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Highfield Park Trust recognises that it has a responsibility for achieving good environmental practice and operating in a sustainable manner.

We are committed to reducing our environmental impact and continually improving our environmental performance as an integral and fundamental part of our business strategy and operating methods.

We will encourage our customers, suppliers and all business associates to do the same.

This is sound commercial sense and supports the delivery of our duty of care towards future generations.

We will involve staff and trustees in the implementation of this policy, for greater commitment and improved performance; we will also provide relevant environmental training.

Our policy is to endeavour to:

- Wholly support and comply with or exceed the requirements of current environmental legislation and codes of practice.
- Continually improve and monitor environmental performance.
- Minimise our waste and then reuse or recycle as much of it as possible and only use licensed and appropriate organisations to dispose of waste.
- Minimise energy and water usage in our buildings, vehicles and processes in order to conserve supplies, and minimise our consumption of natural resources, especially where they are non-renewable.
- Operate and maintain Trust vehicles with due regard to environmental issues as far as reasonably practical and encourage the use of alternative means of transport and car sharing as appropriate.
- Apply the principles of continuous improvement in respect of air, water, noise and light pollution from our premises and reduce any impacts from our operations on the environment and local community.
- As far as possible purchase products and services that do the least damage to the environment and encourage others to do the same.
- Incorporate environmental factors into business decisions and assess the environmental impact of any new processes or products we intend to introduce in advance.

This policy to be reviewed annually by Board of Trustees.