

## **Environmental Policy**

Triple C (Liverpool) recognises that its activities impact upon the environment both through its routine internal operations, its infrastructure development, and through its influence and effects on the wider community. It acknowledges a responsibility for, and a commitment to, protection of the environment at all levels. The organisation shall undertake to comply fully with environmental legislation and is in addition committed to continued efforts to:

- i. Promote environmental Trustees policies and practices at every level;
- ii. Increase awareness of environmental responsibilities among staff and volunteers;
- iii. Minimise waste and pollution and develop and operate environmentally sound waste management procedures;
- iv. Incorporate long term strategies for energy efficiency into planning and development;
- v. Reduce water consumption;
- vi. Promote a purchasing policy which will give preference, as far as practicable, to those products and services which cause the least harm to the environment;
- vii. Avoid wherever practical the use of environmentally damaging substances, materials and processes;
- viii. Maintain the working environment of Triple C in an environmentally sensitive way;
- ix. Consider environmental factors in respect of possible future developments, expansions, and relocations to reduce harmful environmental impacts and to integrate new developments into the local environment as far as practicable;
- x. Work with other local, and national agencies as appropriate to promote environmental policies;
- xi. Subject working practices and policies to periodic review for their effectiveness in securing the minimisation of environmental degradation.

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