## **Environment and Sustainability Policy**





TasNetworks' Vision is to be; trusted by our customers to deliver today and create a better tomorrow. To support our Vision we must demonstrate care for the environment and advocate for a sustainable future by playing an active role in the preservation of environmental and cultural heritage values. We seek to embed environmentally sustainable practices across our entire business and align with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

Our Environment and Sustainability Goal is to minimise the impact of our activities on the environment and cultural heritage. To achieve this, the business will work together to:

- 1. Proactively identify and manage environmental and cultural heritage risks throughout the life cycle of our assets and activities.
- 2. Ensure our systems and processes enable compliance with applicable statutory obligations, standards, codes of practices and other regulatory requirements.
- 3. Set and regularly review clear environmental objectives and targets, which will drive improved performance and maturity.
- 4. Ensure our team members are adequately aware, consulted, trained and competent to meet the requirements of this policy and the Integrated Management System.
- 5. Empower our people to make responsible choices and to intervene or stop activities with the potential to have adverse environmental or cultural heritage impacts, until effective controls are in place.
- 6. Monitor, review and report our environmental and sustainability performance and adjust our systems and processes accordingly to ensure continuous improvement.
- 7. Strive to be environmentally sustainable by seeking out, identifying and implementing opportunities that create value by integrating sustainability principles into our activities over the entire life cycle.

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