



# SEAFORD ENVIRONMENTAL ALLIANCE

As an organisation tackling Climate Change and the Ecological Emergency, SEA is committed to minimising its environmental impact on the planet. Nonetheless we recognise we will have impacts in certain areas. This policy recognises this and sets out our commitment to minimise our own environmental impact and to work with other stakeholders to raise awareness and encourage the widespread adoption of high environmental standards

## **Main Activities causing Environmental Impact**

- Transport of resources to organised events and to any future premises
- Use of consumable materials (including office paper and equipment) for administration, communication and promotion
- Use of energy for current charity administration and in any future premises

## **Principles of Action**

The following principles of action will be applied to all our activities and we will encourage our partner organisations to follow these principles where appropriate:

**1. Legislation** – we will meet or exceed all relevant environmental regulations and legislation relating to our activities.

**2. Sustainable transport** – we will use the least polluting transport methods, minimising energy consumption and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

**3. Minimisation and safe disposal of waste** – we will minimise the creation of waste and will recycle and reuse materials where this is environmentally beneficial.

**4. Wise use of energy** – we will seek to minimise the use of energy, buying energy efficient equipment, switching off equipment and lights when not in use and using, where practicable, renewable sources of energy.

**5. Purchase of products** – we will consider environmental matters in our product purchases and minimise resource consumption and the environmental impact of our purchases.

**6. Carbon reduction and sequestration campaigning** – we will encourage each other and those we work with to adopt practices that reduce and sequester carbon.

**7. Awareness** – we will ensure that our members are aware of their environmental responsibilities relating to this Environmental Policy and provide information as necessary to enable them to implement this responsibility.

This Policy will be reviewed annually to monitor its effective implementation and to ensure its appropriateness.

Seaford Environmental Alliance  
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