

SUSTAINABILITY POLICY

Through our delivery of Major Projects we're committed to connecting communities in the healthiest, most sustainable way possible. We'll help to ensure a lasting legacy for present and future generations for a more liveable Victoria - environmentally, socially and economically.

To achieve this Sustainability Vision, Rail Projects Victoria is committed to:

- Optimising the Projects' design to ensure it is delivered to operate sustainably;
- Managing resources efficiently through embedding energy, water and material saving initiatives into the design, construction and operation of the Projects;
- Avoiding, minimising and offsetting harm to the environment and the loss of biodiversity;
- Protecting and conserving the natural environment; and
- Preparing for the challenges presented by climate change.

To give effect to this Policy, our people will:

- Demonstrate leadership in the commitment to a prosperous and integrated economic, social and environmental sustainable future;
- Demonstrate commitment to sustainable procurement;
- Protect and maintain vegetation, the functioning of ecosystems and biological diversity;
- Facilitate economic prosperity and development and provide a resilient local workforce;
- Support and enhance social, cultural and community wellbeing;
- Encourage the pioneering of innovation in sustainable design, process or advocacy that seeks continuous improvement to promote new ideas and thinking;
- Embed environmental and sustainability outcomes by establishing robust sustainability objectives and targets; and
- Report on sustainability performance and be accountable for meeting environmental and social responsibilities.

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Evan Tattersall
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Rail Projects Victoria

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