

Metro Waste Authority Environmental Policy

Metro Waste Authority's vision of "No Wasted Resources" elevates environmental protection to one of fundamental importance. Because our employees impact this vision in their daily activities, all are dedicated to carrying out responsibilities for environmental stewardship through:

- Pollution Prevention – We will identify and prevent or minimize pollution in all areas of our operations wherever feasible.
- Regulatory Compliance – We will comply with all relevant environmental legislative, regulatory, permit and other requirements associated with our industry.
- Continual Improvement – We will constantly look for ways to improve our environmental performance using this policy as the basis upon which we set our goals.
- Training – We will provide the tools to create awareness of Metro Waste Authority's environmental impacts, protect health and safety, comply with rules and regulations, and support our environmental objectives.

Metro Waste Authority is dedicated to carrying out our environmental responsibilities in a manner that demonstrates true leadership in integrated solid waste management while continuing to provide the highest level of service.

We will work collaboratively with our customers, suppliers and our communities on environmental issues. We will measure and review our progress annually and periodically report the results to our stakeholders.

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