

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT**

As a place-based small charity, we commit to minimising our impact on the planet and society by reducing our organisational carbon emissions and leading by example. We will demonstrate good practice in minimising our negative impact on natural resources and communities living both here and abroad.

## • Legislation

We commit to follow all legislation to reduce negative environmental impacts and to ensure employees are aware of environmental legislation and operational procedure.

# • Climate Change

We commit to reduce carbon emissions across our operations. To minimise the environmental impact of travelling between home, office and site visits/meetings. To monitor, manage and minimise our use of energy.

#### Natural Resources and Waste

We commit to minimise the amount of waste produced, through reduce, reuse, and recycle. To source and use the least environmentally damaging goods and services, by ensuring as far as practicable, that our suppliers share our values and beliefs & are committed to reducing their own impact on the planet.

## Nature and Heritage

We commit to work with others to conserve and restore heritage, habitats and nature around Morecambe Bay.

### Education

We commit to educate and train employees to undertake their work in an environmentally sensitive & low-carbon manner, thereby leading by example so others may follow.

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