



Environmental Sustainability Statement

At Datchet Parish Council we are dedicated to fostering a sustainable and resilient community that respects and protects the environment for current and future generations. Recognizing the urgency of global environmental challenges, we are committed to taking decisive actions that contribute to the well-being of our citizens and the planet.

Our Commitment:

We acknowledge our responsibility to lead by example in environmental stewardship, promoting sustainability as a core value in our decision-making processes, policies, and initiatives. Our commitment extends to the following key principles:

Climate Action:

We pledge to reduce greenhouse gas emissions within our operations and community. We will work towards adopting renewable energy sources and increasing energy efficiency across our facilities.

Biodiversity and Conservation:

We are committed to preserving and enhancing local biodiversity through responsible land use planning and conservation initiatives. We will actively support programs that protect and restore natural habitats within our jurisdiction.

Waste Reduction and Recycling:

We will implement measures to reduce waste generation and promote recycling and composting. We aim to collaborate with businesses, residents, and educational institutions to raise awareness about waste reduction practices.

Water Conservation:

We will prioritize water conservation efforts to ensure sustainable use and protection of local water resources. We encourage water-efficient practices and technologies across residential, commercial, and industrial sectors.

Sustainable Mobility:

We are dedicated to developing and enhancing sustainable transportation options, including public transit, cycling, and pedestrian infrastructure. We will work towards reducing reliance on single-occupancy vehicles, contributing to cleaner air and reduced traffic congestion.

Community Engagement:

We believe in the power of community collaboration. We will actively engage with residents, businesses, and organizations to foster a culture of sustainability. We commit to transparent communication, keeping our community informed about environmental initiatives and progress.



Monitoring and Reporting:

We will regularly assess and report on our environmental performance, setting measurable targets and tracking our progress toward achieving a more sustainable and resilient community.

Continuous Improvement:

We recognize the dynamic nature of environmental challenges. We commit to continually reviewing and updating our strategies, policies, and actions to align with emerging best practices and technologies.

Through our collective efforts and partnerships, we aspire to create a thriving and sustainable community that serves as a model for others. Together, we can build a resilient and environmentally conscious future.

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Clerk to the Council

13.02.2024