

## **Our Commitment to the Environment**

Algonquin Power & Utilities Corp. is committed to contributing toward a sustainable energy and water future. We aim to be a top quartile global utility, known for our commitment to environmental responsibility.

Our commitment to the environment aims to protect natural resources through focused, responsible management of operational environmental impacts, therefore minimizing our environmental footprint and continuously improving our environmental performance.

We recognize that our environmental stewardship directly impacts a sustainable future for our company, customers and employees.

We will follow the three guiding environmental principles:

## Compliance

Comply with all applicable laws, regulations and voluntary commitments with the intention of going beyond compliance when possible.

## **Pollution Prevention**

- Proactively prevent or minimize direct impacts from our business on the natural environment.
- Endeavor to manage the use of natural resources efficiently through conservation and energy efficiency measures.

## **Continuous Improvement**

- Continually review environmental performance and adjust course when needed to refine and align our business operations.
- Champion sustainable development of renewable energy sources to support the goal of limiting planetary temperature rise to less than two degrees Celsius this century.

The Environmental Policy and its supporting objectives will be reviewed annually by Executive and Board leadership for its suitability. The policy will be communicated to all levels of employees of the organization and is available externally to all stakeholders as a demonstration of our commitment.

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