



Environmental Policy

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Application

The provisions in this policy apply to all employees and is to promote a commitment to protecting the environment.

Statement of Policy: Environmental Practices

The City of Waynesboro is committed to implementing and continuously improving city wide environmental practices to become a model of environmental performance. The City will work towards sustainable development while meeting the needs of the present without compromising the needs of future generations. The City empowers each individual employee to fulfill our environmental responsibilities and continually improve our environmental performance by:

- 1) Actively exploring, creating, implementing and communicating new ways to prevent pollution and conserve natural resources.
- 2) To build partnerships, inside and outside of the City of Waynesboro in conjunction with all employees and contractors working on behalf of the City of Waynesboro, whose goals are to sustain and enhance the environment.
- 3) By complying with the relevant federal, state and local laws the City will potential environmental challenges while monitoring and exceeding legal requirements.
- 4) To reduce waste and the consumption of resources by developing and using recovery practices and recycling as opposed to disposal where feasible.
- 5) To teach such practices throughout the City to residents, organizations, developers and in the schools.

Interpretation and Administration

The City Manager and Human resources are responsible for the interpretation and administration of this policy and its various provisions. The City of Waynesboro has the authority to change, modify, or approve exceptions to this policy at any time without notice.

Revisions and Approvals

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