



Environmental Policy

1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to:

- 1.1 outline the commitment of Barossa Broadcasting Board Inc (BBBfm) to protecting the environment.
- 1.2 describe activities which we have implemented to reduce the environmental impact of our activities.
- 1.3 describe how we encourage our volunteers and our community to continually seek to improve our environmental performance.

2. POLICY

- 2.1 Volunteers will be involved in the implementation of this policy, for greater commitment and improved performance.
- 2.2 Relevant regulatory requirements will be applied and complied with.
- 2.3 BBBfm will continually review our environmental performance to enable improvement in reducing our impact on the environment.
- 2.4 Environmental factors will be incorporated into organisational decisions.
- 2.5 Local labour and materials will be used where possible to reduce carbon kilometres and support our community.
- 2.6 Recycled and recyclable products and equipment will be purchased where possible.
- 2.7 All products and equipment will be re-used and recycled where possible.
- 2.8 The amount of energy we use will be monitored regularly and volunteers encouraged to reduce consumption as much as possible, for example turning off appliances and lighting in empty studios, using the fresh air intake system installed in studios rather than air conditioning.
- 2.9 The amount of water we use will be reduced as much as possible.
- 2.10 When purchasing new equipment we will consider energy consumption and efficiency and favour more environmentally friendly and efficient equipment wherever possible.
- 2.11 Volunteer awareness of environmental issues will be encouraged and training offered where possible.
- 2.12 We will encourage our community to improve their environmental performance, for example through relevant community service announcements and programs featuring environment-focussed discussions.

3. RESPONSIBILITIES

- 3.1 BBBfm's Board is responsible for ensuring that all volunteers are aware of, understand and comply with our Environmental Policy.
- 3.2 All volunteers have a responsibility in their roles to ensure that the aims of the BBBfm Environmental Policy are met.

Amendments to this Policy		
Date Approved	Item Number	Details of Amendment
12 th January 2022	Full Policy	Adoption of this Policy in its entirety