



Environmental Policy

Name of Organisation: Amy's Trust CIO

Venue/address for which policy applies: Duffield Acres, Redmile.

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Introduction

This Environmental Policy provides a framework for the effective management of energy and resources at Amy's Trust, demonstrating the organisation's strong, long-term commitment to practices that work in harmony with nature and reduce energy and resource wastage.

Goals

Amy's Trust has set a number of environmental goals, to be achieved over several years. So far as is reasonably practical, Amy's Trust will aim to achieve the following goals:

Goal 1

Minimise energy consumption through energy efficient practices. Amy's Trust will use environmentally safe and sustainable energy resources to meet its needs and will invest in improved energy efficiency of the products it uses. It will do this by:

- Use of an off-grid solar electrical system.
- Use of water butts to reduce water wastage/ unnecessary use of mains water.
- Dispose of all waste through safe and responsible methods (registered waste disposal licence).
- Recycling bins to separate recyclable items.
- Further minimise use of water using a composting toilet system.
- Insulate heated buildings to reduce energy loss.

Goal 2

Practise sustainable farming techniques.

- Minimise use of glyphosate weed killers.
- Management routine for equine endoparasites to avoid unnecessary use of wormers and wormer resistance.

- Cutting hay from our own land where possible.
- Thorough composting of horse manure using manure clamp prior to spreading as fertiliser back onto the land.
- Keeping any manure passed during 48 hours of worming in a separate area to the manure clamp so it can rot for longer and not be spread back on the land.

Responsibilities

The responsibility for the implementation of the Environmental Policy is with the Director, Ruby Cox.