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**Eastern Contra Costa Transit Authority**  
**Environmental and Sustainability Management System Policy**  
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The mission of the Eastern Contra Costa Transit Authority (ECCTA) is to provide safe, reliable, friendly, high quality and economical transportation service to the Eastern Contra Costa community. The protection of the environment is one of ECCTA's most important responsibilities as we accomplish our mission.

As such, the ECCTA Environmental Policy serves as written communication of ECCTA's intent to implement sustainable, innovative solutions that measure and improve our environmental performance through a formal Environmental and Sustainability Management System (ESMS).

Through this policy, ECCTA commits to:

- Including environmental protection and sustainability in the planning stages of new programs, construction, and in all work conducted at ECCTA.
- Exceeding compliance with applicable local, state, and federal environmental regulations and policies, supported by regularly-scheduled internal review.
- Minimizing significant environmental impacts identified in the ESMS by establishing environmental and sustainability objectives, targets, and programs.
- Evaluating of the effectiveness of ECCTA's environmental performance through the periodic review of ECCTA's ESMS to ensure that established objectives, targets, and programs are met.
- Providing necessary education and tools to all ECCTA staff and those working on ECCTA's behalf in order to successfully carry out this policy in their daily responsibilities and work functions.
- Committed to continued overall improvements in environmental consciousness and prevention of pollution.

The ECCTA environmental policy shall be communicated annually to all ECCTA team members and those working on ECCTA's behalf, including all contractors and vendors, and shall be made available to the public via ECCTA's website. In order to fulfill the commitments made in this policy, all ECCTA team members and those working on ECCTA's behalf are responsible for incorporating this policy into their plans and work.