

## **Environmental Sustainability Policy 2024**

### **Purpose**

The purpose of this Environmental and Sustainability Policy is to articulate Allerford Museum's commitment to sustainable and responsible business practices that minimise our environmental impact, promote conservation and contribute to a greener and more sustainable future. The policy reflects our dedication to environmental stewardship and business responsibility.

### **Scope**

This policy applies to all staff, volunteers, contractors, vendors and authorised representative acting on behalf of Allerford Museum. It encompasses all aspects of environmental sustainability, including resource conservation, pollution prevention and responsible consumption.

### **Policy Statements**

Allerford Museum is committed to conserving natural resources, including water, energy and raw materials, by implementing efficient processes and practices.

### **Waste Reduction and Recycling**

We will minimise waste generation and promote recycling, reuse and responsible disposal practices within the organisation.

### **Energy Efficiency**

Allerford Museum will strive to reduce energy consumption and promote the use of renewable and clean sources where feasible.

### **Emission Reduction**

We will work to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by implementing energy efficient technologies and transport alternatives where feasible.

### **Sustainable Procurement**

We will consider environmental sustainability criteria when selecting suppliers and products, with a preference for those with eco-friendly and sustainable certifications.