## **Environmental Sustainability Statement**



We are deeply committed to taking concrete, measurable action every day in support of ensuring a sustainable future and thriving natural environment for all.



#### **Policy Statement**

J.L. Richards is dedicated to exhibiting leadership in environmental sustainability, both within our business and as a trusted advisor to our clients. We have made a commitment as an organization to follow and promote holistically sustainable practices, to take action to minimize or eliminate the environmental impact of our business activities, and to support our clients in making informed choices that support environmental sustainability.

#### **Objectives**

The core objectives of J.L. Richards' Environmental Sustainability Policy are as follows:

- To integrate analysis of applicable environmental considerations into J.L. Richards' business decision-making processes.
- To ensure J.L. Richards complies with and, where practical, exceeds applicable environmental legislation, regulations, and codes of practice.
- To promote awareness of environmental considerations and sustainable alternatives amongst our employees, and to encourage them to show environmental leadership through their work.
- To continuously improve both our awareness of environmental sustainability and our performance in this regard.

#### **Areas of Action**

J.L. Richards is committed to driving action in two key areas: our professional practice as engineers, architects, and planners, and our operations, including the management of physical assets and business activities.

#### **Professional Practice**

J.L. Richards strives to balance the environmental, social, cultural, and economic needs of projects while considering the overall impact of our design and services in the context of continuously evolving stresses on our planet. J.L. Richards integrates and implements a sound, sustainable approach and design. Furthermore, J.L. Richards is committed to continued education in service of staying abreast of environmentally sustainable best practices.

#### **Corporate Operations**

We take responsibility for the impact of our company-wide events and internal operations by considering choices that reduce our impact on the environment. J.L. Richards supports initiatives that introduce efficiencies, reduce the environmental footprint of our operations, improve the quality of life of our employees, and promote a culture of responsibility and stewardship.

For a full copy of J.L. Richards's Environmental Sustainability Policy, please contact one of the members of our Environmental Sustainability Committee listed on the opposite page.





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