

## **Environmental Policy Statement**

Bristol Waste Company Limited (BWC) is your recycling, waste collection, facilities management, and street cleansing company.

We care about the environment and sustainability and are dedicated to supporting a cleaner, greener Bristol. A city where residents, businesses and communities feel involved, informed, and empowered to create a better place for future generations.

## Our commitment is to:

- The protection of the environment
- Reduce the amount of residual waste generated and improve the recycling rate to meet the Bristol One City Plan targets.
- Operate in our highly regulated environment and to meeting our compliance obligations.
- Understand and reduce our environmental impacts and prevention of pollution.
- Our Sustainability Policy, including procurement of eco-friendly consumables & equipment.
- Lead by example in our own working practices.
- Employee development and provide opportunities for involvement in our environmental performance in our service and practices.
- Consider the carbon footprint and environmental impact of purchased products and working toward net zero carbon in our services and premises.
- Our environmental objectives and targets in our business plan
- Continual improvement of our systems and our service delivery, to reduce our environmental impact, enhance environmental performance and meet the needs and expectations of our residents and customers.
- Our guiding principles to creating more value from what we do and to Waste Nothing.

All employees and those who act on our behalf are required to adhere to this statement when undertaking duties.

This Environmental Policy Statement is fully supported by the Senior Management team who take responsibility for its delivery.

This Environmental Policy Statement will be reviewed on an annual basis. It is available to employees via noticeboards and Extranet and is available to all other interested parties on our website.

Richard Williams Managing Director October 2024

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