Environment Policy Statement

The Nene Valley Railway is committed to reducing the impact of our operations on the environment and contributing towards Peterborough's Environment Capital aspirations. To find out more about Peterborough's Environment Capital aspirations follow the link to the Peterborough Environment City Trust website www.pect.org.uk.

We will do this in a way that is complementary to the United Kingdom's commitment to sustainable development and reducing the effects of climate change, at the same time having due regard to the NVR's traditionally-established practices.

The Nene Valley Railway (NVR) will strive to continually improve its environmental performance by:

- Complying with all relevant current statutory environment legislation.
- Seeking to control effectively our consumption of energy, water and raw materials.
- Purchasing environmentally-friendly products where possible.
- Reducing, reusing and recycling waste.
- Where reductions cannot be achieved internally, considering the possibilities of offsetting our environmental impact.
- Encouraging NVR personnel (i.e. employees and volunteers) to work in an environmentally responsible manner and play a full part in developing new ideas and initiatives.
- Communication of the NVR environmental policy and best practice to all NVR personnel, visitors and the general public.
- Making new NVR personnel aware of this policy and encourage them to contribute to its development.
- Reappraising the aims and objectives of the NVR educational policy insofar as it influences the understanding and attitudes of NVR personnel at all levels, visitors and the general public.
- Co-operating with others in the public and private sectors to develop and promote environmentally sound practices.
- Operating in a responsible and co-operative manner with local communities.

This policy will be reviewed annually with a strategic view of aligning our environmental performance with emerging national guidelines.

Signed *[signature]*
Chairman of the Board of Directors

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