

### OBJECTIVE

This policy provides the foundation for MidCoast Water's Environmental Management System, which provides a framework for protecting the environment by conducting our operations in accordance with the principles of ecologically sustainable development.

### POLICY

To achieve this MidCoast Water aims to:

- Manage our interactions with the water cycle and the environment in a responsible manner.
- Comply with all applicable environmental legislation in all areas of operations.
- Develop, implement, monitor, review and continually improve an Environmental Management System in accordance with the ISO14001 international standard.
- Identify & control environmental risks in accordance with our Environmental Management System.
- Provide appropriate environmental education to our employees, contractors and suppliers.
- Consult with employees, the broader community and regulatory authorities on relevant environmental matters.
- Conserve natural resources by applying the principles of “reduce → reuse → recycle” and “life cycle assessment”.