Environment & Community Policy

Alinta Energy is dedicated to protecting the environment and supporting communities where we operate. We believe climate change is a significant risk and that Australia must reduce the greenhouse gas emissions associated with electricity supply. We are proud to take a leading role in Australia's transition to a low carbon economy while achieving our purpose to make energy more affordable.

Alinta Energy will achieve this through:

- Striving to ensure that employees, contractors and visitors operate in accordance with this policy;
- Continually assessing ways to increase our exposure to large-scale renewable energy projects and implement cost effective opportunities;
- Considering commercially viable technologies to manage environmental impacts, reduce emission intensity and improve energy efficiency;
- Contributing to research and innovation that improves environmental outcomes;
- Developing facility closure plans and incorporating environmental and community aspects into our business planning and accounting practices;
- Efficiently using energy and natural resources to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, water usage and waste;
- Implementing reasonable control measures designed to prevent land, water and groundwater contamination;
- Reporting environmental incidents and any identified, actual or potential environmental risks in a timely manner to appropriate internal and external stakeholders;
- Recognising Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the First Peoples of Australia and recognising their ongoing connection to country;
- Supporting the communities within which we operate and respecting their diverse cultures;
- Being a good neighbour, by operating and engaging transparently and respectfully, and making a positive impact on the communities in which we operate;
- Maintaining information and records that relate to our environmental management and performance;
- Actively contributing to the development of and complying with all applicable legislation, regulations, obligations, agreements, environmental licences conditions, codes of practice, Australian Standards, and other relevant statutory obligations, and delivering appropriate risk-based application of the relevant industry standards, guidelines and best practice principles; and
- Continually improving the effectiveness of the Environmental Management System to enhance Environmental Performance through identifying Environmental Aspects and Impacts and setting and reviewing Environmental Objectives and Targets within the Business Plan and the annual Environment Improvement Plan.

Tony Howarth
Chairman
Dated: 24 February 2021

Jeff Dimery
Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer