

Sustainability



The purpose of the Sustainability Pillar is to support the restoration and improvement of our local cultural heritage, environment and biodiversity, and promote responsible custodianship of the landscape.

- Waste generation, recycling and storage
- Water – access to, usage, conservation
- Climate Change
- Rare species and biodiversity conservation
- Cultural heritage preservation - Indigenous and European
- Lack of green spaces in towns and urban areas

GOAL

- To improve the quality and impact of sustainability projects undertaken in our region.
- To create new relationships within businesses or organisations in our region that protects the environment/biodiversity.
- To promote and support responsible restoration and custodianship of the land.
- To support programs on adapting to change due to climate change.
- To improve support for protection of our cultural heritage.

INDICATOR OF SUCCESS

- Demonstrated increased or maintained capacity or reach of sustainability initiative as a result of investment.
- Feedback from community demonstrating the success of the projects.
- Evidence that environment/biodiversity has improved or is improving through restoration or protection projects.
- Studies indicate improvement in or maintained health of the land.
- Evidence of increased custodianship of the land by surrounding communities.
- Demonstrated increased capacity of communities to adapt to climate change.
- Evidence of increased support within the community for preservation and acceptance of cultural heritage.

CRITERIA

- Outcomes can be measured
- Build the capacity of people
- Tangible
- Sustainable practices
- Restoration and resilience
- Leaving a legacy for future generations