

## **Environmental policy**

Skellefteå Kraft strives to be a positive force in society and lead the way in the transition to a sustainable energy system by acting responsibly and fostering innovation to protect the climate, preserve biodiversity and promote a circular economy.

With a holistic perspective, a long-term approach, and collaboration throughout the value chain, we create lasting value for the company, society and the environment.

We prioritize areas where our environmental and climate impact is most significant and where we have the greatest opportunity to make a difference. Through continuous improvement, we work to advance our environmental performance and minimize our impact.

## For us it means that:

- We minimize the climate impact of our operations across the entire value chain through renewable energy production. In addition, we will identify and manage climate-related risks and opportunities, ensuring that our assets and processes are resilient to future climate changes.
- We aim to use ecosystem services in ways that preserve and, over time, enhance biodiversity and supports viable populations.
- We will prevent pollution of air, water, and soil and systematically mitigate risks and incidents that could negatively affect human health and the environment.
- We will actively contribute to the transition from using newly extracted resources to increasing the use of recycled and reused resources.
- We have systematic processes and methods in place to ensure we identify, assess, manage, address and improve our significant environmental aspects, including their impacts, risks and opportunities. We are transparent in communicating our goals, methods, results and performance.
- Environmental responsibility is integrated into our daily operations. It is a shared responsibility among all employees, where participation, education and learning ensure development and continuous improvement. Together with stakeholders and partners, we promote long-term and responsible environmental and climate efforts.

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