

Sustainability Policy

Vision

The Eastern Busway Alliance is on a mission to lead New Zealand's Infrastructure sector in environmental restoration, supporting local economies and inspiring healthy and thriving communities.

Commitments	Objectives
Enabling the transition to sustainable and active transport modes More people move greenly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maximize the shift to public transport and active modes by increasing access and providing people with well-designed and inclusive transport infrastructure Inspire community behaviour change and a willing shift to public transport and active modes
Responding to Climate Change Our infrastructure is low emissions and resilient	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver infrastructure which is responsive to climate change risks Reduce the construction and operational greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions of the Eastern Busway and contribute to industry knowledge of GHG emissions reduction
Embedding good urban design philosophies: People feel connected to their place	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enable opportunities for sustainable growth on residual land Create an asset for the community that people feel connected to, welcome, safe and enjoy spending time at through excellent urban design and green infrastructure
Supporting the community through disruption impacts and change We are good neighbours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimise and mitigate construction and operation impacts of the busway and partner with the community to prepare them for change Lead, develop, support, collaborate and participate in school, community, and iwi events and programmes to leave a positive legacy for the people and environment of east Auckland
Using resources efficiently We are innovative and smart when selecting and using resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reduce the impact from consumption of resources by applying circular economy principles, treating waste as a resource, applying innovative construction techniques and supporting sustainable technologies and products
Protecting and enhancing our natural environment The natural environment is enhanced	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Protect and enhance the environment around the busway by being conscious of how we can positively influence climate change, water quality, habitat, and biodiversity
Growing employment and training opportunities for underrepresented groups to create a thriving construction sector Our people thrive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grow talent in the construction sector and provide opportunities to target groups by providing high quality employment and training to improve economic and social wellbeing and the opportunity to thrive post construction
Creating business opportunities through the project for diverse and local businesses We supercharge the local economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stimulate local economic activity, grow intergenerational wealth and entrepreneurship, and promote shared prosperity through the strategic use of procurement and supplier diversity

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