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## **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**

**Our Vision: “Act responsibly for future generations”**

As a family owned wine company operating in both rural and urban setting, Wakefield Wines is committed to ensuring it functions in a considered and responsible manner within each environment it operates.

Our goal is to be Australia’s best wine company applying best practice principles in environmental management to enhance sustainable business activities and products.

We are committed to:

- ❖ prevention of adverse environmental impacts and pollution.
- ❖ operating with honesty and integrity to ensure compliance with legal and other requirements.
- ❖ continuously improve and monitor our Environmental Management System in line with the requirements of ISO 14001:2015 and the needs and expectations of interested parties.
- ❖ assess key business aspects to develop objectives and targets to sustainably manage our operations and improve our environmental performance.
- ❖ implementing strategies to manage waste and pollution effectively, use water and energy efficiently, develop innovative packaging solutions and address land management and biodiversity issues.
- ❖ educating our employees and contractors on their environmental responsibilities and integrating these responsibilities into their training, work practices and decision making.
- ❖ promoting sound environmental practices to our suppliers and customers.
- ❖ supporting industry and community environmental initiatives including the Winemakers’ Federation of Australia endorsed EntWine Australia Program.
- ❖ ensuring this policy statement is regularly reviewed in light of developments, including changes to legislation and our understanding of best practice.

Wakefield Wines are committed to the continuous improvement of our company’s performance and believe that Environmental consideration is a responsibility of every employee.

This policy is communicated, implemented and maintained by all levels of the organisation.

**Mitchell Taylor**  
Managing Director