



Environmental Policy

DEFINITIONS

- Environmental Aspect: The activities, processes, products or services of an operation which can interact with the environment.
- Environmental Impact: Any change to the environment, wholly or partially resulting from operational activities, products or services.

POLICY

Townsville Rockwheelers Mountain Bike Club (TRMBC) will strive to be aware of all aspects and minimise the impacts to the environment and community in which it operates. TRMBC will comply with its permits to occupy and associated environmental conditions.

To maintain and improve our approach to managing environmental issues and responsibilities, the TRMBC committee shall:

- Ensure the Land Access Coordinator will oversee and manage the environmental policy and plan of the Club.
- Monitor and comply with environmental laws specifically, Townsville City Council laws and the Land Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Act 2002.
- Manage our land and work with members to mitigate impacts on land, water, flora, fauna, cultural and heritage values.
- Continue to build and maintain sustainable Mountain Bike trails as per International Mountain Bike Association (IMBA) standards.
- Ensure understanding of our environmental responsibilities under our permit to occupy and to educate our members, suppliers and broader community of these responsibilities.
- Respond accordingly to address environmental concerns of our members and the community in which we operate.
- Implement and review environmental objectives and targets annually as part of our land and environment management plan; Specifically, weed management and erosion control.
- Monitor and report on environmental progress and impacts to members at our annual general meeting and relevant authorities when necessary.
- Measure progress to improve planning and enhance our environmental management performance.

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