

## **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**

Lucara Diamond Corp (Lucara) is committed to sustainable development, which requires that we seek ways to minimize the short and long term adverse impacts of our activities on the natural environment. We will achieve this through the development and approval of Environmental Impact Assessments (EIA's) and effective implementation of our Environmental Management Plans (EMP's) at each of our operations.

Lucara promotes environmental awareness with all employees, contractors and visitors and encourages them to conduct themselves in ways that minimize their environmental impact. We actively seek opportunities for mitigation of adverse impacts on the environment through effective and efficient waste management, water use, energy use, biodiversity conservation, and implementation of our closure plans.

## Lucara will:

- Conduct all our activities in compliance with our EIA's and EMP's, applicable legislation and other requirements to conserve and protect the environment, employees and the communities that are affected by our operations;
- Apply international best practices in the absence of legislation or more stringent local criteria, guided by Equator Principles and IFC guidelines, where Lucara believes these are needed to advance environmental protection and to minimize environmental risks;
- Integrate management of the environment into company business practices and planning;
- Protect the environment through the wise use of resources and prevention of adverse environmental impacts, including pollution prevention;
- Implement, maintain and improve appropriate management systems and programs to achieve
  effective and efficient waste management, water use, energy use, biodiversity conservation, and
  implementation of our closure plans and to continually improve environmental performance
  through a process of regular reviews;
- Assess climate-related risks and opportunities on a regular basis and consider opportunities to reduce the Company's greenhouse gas emissions over the life of its depleting assets.
- Ensure that all operations are aware of this Corporate Policy and develop local policies and procedures that embody and support Lucara's corporate objectives; and
- Communicate openly with governments, employees, local communities and the public to sustain mutual understanding of Lucara's environmental commitments and performance.

As approved by the Board of Directors on December 14, 2010 and revised on March 21, 2013, and March 23, 2022.