

Teddington & Alstone Parish Council

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TEDDINGTON AND ALSTONE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

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Environmental Policy Implementation Plan

- 1. Ensure the Parish Council's activities and procurement is as environmentally friendly as possible by:
 - a) Using local contractors when possible.
 - b) Ensuring contractors use eco friendly products and best practices.
 - c) Using the Parish Magazine, village notice boards, and electronic communication where possible to minimise the use of paper.
- 2. Planning Applications:
 - a) Ask neighbouring Parishes to notify us of all planning applications that are close to our parish boundaries, and to notify us of other planning applications that might have a detrimental effect on our local environment.
 - b) When considering planning applications take into consideration the impact on the environment, for example car use, tree removal or provision in plans.
- 3. Seek to ensure the continuation of bus services to the Parish, by promoting their use, liaising with the bus companies, and if needed, lobbying Gloucestershire County Council.
- 4. Look at the possibility of planting trees at the OPPF.
- 5. Encourage the formation of an independent community environmental group.

A link to such a group could be posted on the parish council website.