

Environmental and Energy Policy

The Port Authority of Tarragona is aware of the challenges it must constantly face to remain competitive in a global economy, as well as to meet social demands to protect the environment and make responsible use of energy resources.

For these reasons, achieving excellence in environmental and energy management within the Port of Tarragona is an ongoing objective. Achieving this objective requires the firm support of the Presidency and the General Management of the Tarragona Port Authority, which is expressed by assuming the commitments included in the following policy:

To control and minimize the environmental impacts of port activity. Focusing especially on the monitoring of atmospheric emissions, wastewater discharges, waste generation, plagues and reduction of consumption of natural resources.

Cooperate with port companies, other public administrations and stakeholders in preventing and combating pollution in the port environment.

Collaborate specifically with the risk team to tackle with derivative effects on environment due to critical episodes.

Promote the minimisation, reuse, recycling and effective management of waste generated in the Port.

Continuously improve energy performance in our facilities and activities throughout their life cycle, optimising technology and process design as well as facility operation, and supporting the acquisition of energy-efficient products and services.

Communicate the environmental policy and the Sustainability Plan to all employees and disseminate it among its stakeholders (port community, contractors, etc.) and make it available to the public.

Enforce environmental and energy awareness through training and awareness programmes and encourage teamwork among all members of the organisation involved in environmental and energy aspects.

Exemplify our commitment thanks to ISO 14001 and EMAS certifications as well as Carbon Footprint Agreement.

Establish annual objectives and goals linked to the Sustainable Development Goals for environmental and energy continuous improvement. To ensure compliance, the General Management is committed to ensuring the availability of information and allocating the necessary resources.

Ensure legal compliance with current environmental and energy requirements, as well as any other related requirements to which the organisation subscribes, while also promoting the adaptation of its operations and facilities to any changes that may occur in the current regulatory framework.

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