

HOLYMOORSIDE AND WALTON PARISH COUNCIL

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

VISION STATEMENT

The parish council will work to improve practices, which have a negative environmental influence, in order to promote sustainable development and reduce damage to the environment.

The parish council will concentrate on developing;

an appreciation of environmental values and the impact of human activity

a basic understanding of environmental issues at both local and global levels

sound environmental practice in managing the home, community and work environment

local community contributions to solving local, or otherwise, environmental issues

This will be done by;

purchasing services and resources which will do least damage to the environment

minimising waste by recycling and reusing and disposing of waste in a responsible manner

reducing energy and water consumption and minimise, where possible, pollutants

promoting conservation and the more sustainable use of both non-renewable and renewable resources

protecting, conserving and enhancing the built and natural environments

providing information on environmental issues, educating employees in sound environmental practices and procedures

Adopted by the parish council on 2 October 2001

