**ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT**

* Norton Parish Council believes in the protection of the environment and our heritage, whilst recognising the need for sustainable, essential development and the provision of quality public amenities and services.
* The Parish Council supports the reduction of waste, through recycling and renewability, thus reducing pollution and degradation of the environment.
* The Parish Council believes in conservation, improvement and protection of natural resources through proper management. It also believes in the preservation, restoration and reinstatement of places of historical interest which form our heritage.
* The Parish Council recognises the requirement to provide a framework for society through the provision of amenities and services which are relevant to the needs of the local community, whilst being compatible with the principles of renewability and sustainability.

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