

## Environmental Policy

### Vision

Reethi Faru Resort has always supported the notion that it is a privilege and a source of pride for our team to operate in an environment like the Maldives. Therefore, it is our duty to preserve the fragile beauty around us. The senior management team is committed to protecting the environment and strives to reduce the property's operational impact on the environment

Effective sustainability practices have been in place since the resort's development phase, but our goal remains to go beyond current standards and applicable environmental laws and regulations, as well as to continue exploring the latest technological innovations and scientific advances. We will continue our efforts to create awareness and transparency - for guests, partners, suppliers, colleagues and the surrounding communities.

### Goals

Through our environmental policy we will:

- Ensure we comply with all applicable environmental laws and regulations
- Measure our environmental performance against our objectives and targets, making sure that we regularly review our progress
- Train our staff on our environmental commitments, so that they understand the role they play in delivering our objectives and targets
- Invite our guests to support our efforts to reduce our environmental impact

### Objectives

To achieve our environmental goals in 2024, we aim to:

- Receive the Travelife Gold accreditation for Hotels & Accommodation
- Further reduce our energy and water consumption per capita through sensible practices in production and usage
- Explore the feasibility of harnessing tidal energy
- Intensify and streamline our waste segregation processes and identify opportunities to reuse or recycle
- Further reduce the import/use of single-use plastic wherever possible
- Further monitor the use of potentially harmful chemicals in our operations and opt for environmentally friendly alternatives wherever possible
- Introduce chemical-free mosquito control and explore alternatives to regularly used pesticides
- Expand our employee training and guest lectures to promote environmentally friendly thinking
- Actively support local groups and schools in their environment programs

With the firm belief that sustainable practices are the right way to preserve the ecosystem around us for generations to come, and with the motivated support of the entire team (as well as our valued guests), Reethi Faru Resort hopes to contribute more than its part in responsible tourism and serve as a benchmark for competitors both in Maldives and abroad.

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