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PURPOSE

Capilano University is committed to environmental integrity and sustainable development; using the resources we consume in the most sustainable, energy efficient and fiscally responsible manner possible to reduce our carbon footprint on the environment. The success of our energy conservation program is directly related to the commitment of management, staff, faculty and students to the principles of energy conservation.

Our commitment ensures:


- Our strategic energy management plan and energy conservation activities are in alignment with the vision, values and mission of the institution.
- We set and meet or exceed clearly defined achievable goals set for energy conservation.
- We actively seek ways to reduce our energy consumption and green house gas emissions.
- We encourage engagement of all members of each campus through better understanding of energy consumption and conservation and promotion of a ‘greener’ environment.
- The institution is in compliance with all current Federal and Provincial legislation for sustainability and carbon neutrality; and
- We are a model citizen of energy conservation within our community because it is the “right thing to do.”

POLICY

This policy applies to all campuses and their daily activities.

The goals of Capilano University’s strategic energy management plan (SEMP) are to:

- Meet the energy requirements of the University while maintaining a comfortable and productive environment for the occupants.
- Measure and monitor patterns of energy use within buildings and energy savings from conservation initiatives, with the intent to find further energy efficiencies,
- Track and report energy conservation results and share them with the campus community.
- Reduce pollution and associated greenhouse gases by 33% by 2020 (base year 2007).
- Consider new and appropriate technologies for energy efficiency, life cycle costs and funding.
- Implement and maintain energy conservation controls as standard operating procedures.

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POLICY MANAGEMENT

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