

THE ONE PLANET LIVING FRAMEWORK



The One Planet Living framework provides an integrated set of 10 principles that enables us to examine the sustainability challenges we face, develop appropriate solutions and communicate our plans with stakeholders.

They comprehensively cover the environmental, social and economic aspects of sustainability.

Geelong Sustainability and the City of Greater Geelong adopted this framework in 2014. The resulting synergy is providing opportunities for collaboration on action plans and projects.



Zero carbon

Making buildings more energy efficient and delivering all energy with renewable technologies.



Health and happiness

Encouraging active, sociable, meaningful lives to promote good health and well-being.



Zero waste

Reducing waste, reusing where possible, and ultimately sending zero waste to landfill.



Culture and community

Reviving local identity and wisdom; supporting and participating in the arts.



Sustainable transport

Encouraging low carbon modes of transport to reduce emissions, reducing the need to travel.



Equity and local economy

Creating bioregional economies that support fair employment, inclusive communities and international fair trade.



Sustainable materials

Using sustainable healthy products, with low embodied energy, sourced locally, made from renewable or waste resources.



Local and sustainable food

Choosing low impact, local, seasonal and organic diets and reducing food waste.



Sustainable water

Using water more efficiently in buildings and in the products we buy; tackling local flooding and water course pollution.



Land use and wildlife

Protecting and restoring biodiversity and natural habitats through appropriate land use and integration into the built environment.

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