



## ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Tapojärvi is committed to excellence in environmental stewardship. As a specialist in mining services and material processing, we recognize the environmental impacts of our operations and dedicate ourselves to sustainable practices across all aspects of our operations and to lead the developments in the field of industrial circular economy. This policy embodies our commitment to environmental responsibility and guides the development of our operating system.

### **Energy and emissions**

We acknowledge the high energy demands of our industry and commit to progressive steps toward energy efficiency in line with technological advancements. We actively pursue energy-efficient solutions and collaborate with clients and other partners to integrate the latest technology and cleaner fuel alternatives where feasible to reduce our carbon footprint.

### **Air quality**

To minimize air pollution, we utilize the best available technology in our production processes and continuously innovate and improve new protective measures to avoid and control dust and noise emissions. For exceptional situations, we must have regular measurements and stringent procedures in place to minimize the short-term negative impacts.

### **Materials, chemicals, and waste**

Embracing the circular economy, we aim for zero waste through meticulous sorting and recycling. Our responsible approach extends to the selection and handling of chemicals as well as development of new products from industrial side streams, reinforcing our commitment to environmental safety and health standards.

### **Water stewardship**

We pledge to maintain the highest standards of water management. In our processes that utilize or interact with water, we will continue to innovate in water conservation, maintain our closed-loop recycling systems, and ensure robust measures are in place to prevent contamination.

### **Biodiversity**

While the direct impact on biodiversity is assessed and regulated through environmental permits, we are conscious of our responsibility to local ecosystems. We will maintain vigilance in our operations to ensure compliance with environmental standards and contribute to the preservation of biodiversity.

*Approved by Management Team*

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