Company Policies



ENVIRONMENT POLICY

Great Western Exploration Limited (GTE) is an Australian mining and exploration company with a principal focus on gold and base metals in Western Australia.

GTE understands that it is responsible for the environment in which it works in, and that its activities may impact on this environment. GTE acknowledges that best practice environmental management has a positive impact on it's success and the sustainability of the business.

GTE is committed to positive environmental management outcomes to maintain and enhance performance, including:

- Detailed planning ahead of the commencement of work programs to minimise, or if possible, eliminate any adverse impact on the environment.
- **Selection** of employees and contractors who demonstrate a high-level of awareness and tangible commitment to excellence in environmental management and performance,
- Collaboration with local communities to identify concerns, aspirations and any opportunities for improvement.
- **Promotion** of respectful dialogue between employees and contractors to enhance the shared ownership of environmental performance outcomes.
- Identifying, assessing and effectively controlling any risk to the environment.
- Provision of training and information to enable employees and contractors to work in a responsible and respectful manner.
- Ongoing improvement strategies for the Company's environmental management systems to continuously meet industry best practice.
- **Compliance** with all applicable legal and regulatory requirements as a minimum standard including identifying and reporting non-compliance and completing corrective actions.

Our people have a responsibility to maintain a high level of environmental awareness and to comply with the principles of this policy.

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