



## **ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT POLICY**

Moyvalley Hotel & Golf Resort is committed to the principles of sustainable development. We recognise that our business has an important role to play in protecting and enhancing the environment for future generations and to help secure the long-term sustainability of our industry.

### **Minimum Waste Policy**

At Moyvalley Hotel & Golf Resort, we maintain a policy of "minimum waste" which is essential to the cost-effective and efficient running of all our operations.

### **Action to be taken by the company:**

Conscious of the need to operate within budget and to get value for money, Moyvalley Hotel & Golf Resort will use good environmental practice within its business activities. It will:

- **Comply** with all appropriate environmental legislation as a minimum of environmental performance;
- **Respect** the environment and emphasise every employee's responsibility to improve environmental performance;
- **Consider** environmental issues in all our business activities, including procurement decisions for goods and services;
- Work closely with suppliers and customers and to make them aware of our policy;
- **Observe** prudence in our use of resources, reduce wastage as far as economically possible, and monitor and review progress periodically;
- **Some of our recent projects are listed below.**

**In 2015** we started segregating our waste into 5 categories. Recyclables, Food/Compost, Cardboard, WEE Waste(electrical) & General waste.

**In 2016** we completed our L.E.D lightbulb programme in conjunction with Energia Ireland. Every lightbulb around the resort was changed to an L.E.D light. This reduced our Resort energy consumption by 60%.

**In 2019** we started to revise our purchasing of any single use plastic product. We phased out single use plastic toiletries and replaced with recyclable alternative without compromising on quality.

**In 2020** all of our shampoo's, conditioners and shower gels will be packaged in a recyclable product.

**In 2020** all of our plastic bottles will be collected by Shabra Plastic's for recycling.

**In 2022** all of our soaps, lotions and shampoo's will no longer be single use. We have multi-use recyclable units to dispense the above products.

Thank you for helping us be more environmentally friendly.

Simon Mooney  
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