



Environmental Policy

It is Meade's policy to promote and maintain environmentally responsible practices for the benefit of our customers, employees and the communities in which we operate. We will constantly strive for new and more effective ways to conduct our business in a manner that preserves the environment, while always acting as a steward of our country's natural resources. We will promote a corporate culture where we strive to exceed both federal and state environmental regulations and where business initiatives are consistent with environmental responsibility.

This is being achieved by:

- Complying with applicable environmental laws and regulations, while striving to exceed compliance.
- Minimizing the emissions that contribute to climate change.
- Maximizing recycling efforts both in the office and in the field.
- Reviewing environmental objectives, monitoring performance and communicating the progress being made toward improving environmental performance.
- Using materials and energy efficiently to conserve natural resources.
- Committing, at its highest level, to carrying out this policy in all areas of operation.
- Being aware of factors, in relation to the work that we perform, that can have an impact on the environment in which we work.
- Taking preventative steps to eliminate exposures to the environment that may be produced by the work that we perform during our course of action.
- Identifying all environmental hazards prior to the job beginning, and training only qualified persons to perform any environmentally sensitive work.
- Notifying, in the event of an environmental exposure, all of the parties involved of the situation, notifying any and all government agencies, and following all guidelines set up for abatement of the exposure in a timely and sufficient manner.

Again, Meade and its employee are committed to "Zero Events", whether it occurs through an accident occurring on a job site or an environmental exposure.

Events/Accidents are preventable with the proper planning.



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