

THE PORT AUTHORITY OF NEW YORK & NEW JERSEY PORT COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

The Port Authority, Port Commerce Department (PCD) holds as a basic value a commitment to the communities in which it operates and to the society at large. This commitment includes safeguarding the air, water, land, natural resources, flora, fauna, people, and their interrelation. To that end, the Port Commerce Department has adopted environmental stewardship as one of its key business objectives to protect the environment while providing economic benefits to the region.

Environmental Stewardship

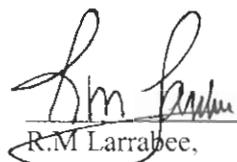
- PCD will operate and maintain its facilities and infrastructures within a fenceline that includes public berths, maintenance shops in New York and New Jersey and its dredging operations in ways that prevent pollution, conserve natural resources and energy, reduce the use of hazardous substances, minimize wastes and have the least adverse impact on the environment.
- PCD will evaluate and continually improve the total environmental effect of its operations and activities. PCD will encourage its tenants to take similar responsibility for environmental protection.
- PCD will encourage the use of recycled materials through its facilities and will promote recycling of waste materials.

Compliance

- PCD is committed to complying with all applicable environmental laws, regulations, and other requirements to which PCD subscribes. PCD is committed to having a tracking system in place to ensure compliance with standards. PCD's top management will implement a system to review and assess its operations to ensure these standards are met.
- PCD, in coordination with Port Authority executive management, will cooperate with regulatory agencies, environmental organizations and its stakeholders in the development of environment policy and programs.

Communication

- PCD will foster openness with its employees, the community and regulatory agencies and will be responsive to concerns about the environmental effects of its operations, activities and wastes.
- PCD will communicate its commitment to environmental responsibility to employees, customers, suppliers, stakeholders and the community.


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