



Net Zero Statement

At Richmond Borough Mind, we believe that caring for the planet and caring for people are mutually reinforcing. As a local mental health charity, our mission is to support the wellbeing and resilience of our community, which includes building a sustainable future for everyone. We recognise the urgent need to address climate change and its growing impact on mental health and community wellbeing.

Our Commitment

- We are committed to being a Net Zero organisation by 2050
- We will reduce our carbon footprint by minimising energy use, travel emissions, waste management and resource consumption
- We will engage our staff, volunteers, and service users in sustainable practices and awareness initiatives that connect environmental health with mental health
- We will work with local partners and suppliers who share our commitment to sustainability and social responsibility
- We will monitor, report, and review our emissions annually to ensure transparency and continuous improvement

Our Next Steps

1. Conduct a baseline carbon footprint assessment
2. Switch to renewable energy suppliers and sustainable products where feasible.
3. Implement our Net Zero Action Plan, to meet reduction targets for energy, travel, waste management and procurement
4. Include an environmental impact statement in our annual report

A Shared Effort

Tackling the climate crisis requires collective action. We invite our community, partners, and funders to join us in creating a healthier, more sustainable future.

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Val Farmer
Chief Executive

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