

Crockwell Weddings Sustainability Statement

1. Statement of Purpose and Values

In cohesion with our mission to provide exceptional weddings and experiences at Crockwell, we challenge ourselves to continually improve the sustainability of our business, striving to positively impact the local, and wider environment. We strongly believe in the importance and urgency of tackling climate change, reducing our footprint on the natural world, and preserving it for future generations. We understand the importance of human well-being and work to ensure that those connected with Crockwell are respected, valued and invested in our sustainable goals.

As a long-established, family run business, our core values are ingrained in all that we do.

- We act with integrity and honesty at all times
- We believe in openness and transparency
- We value and respect the natural world and its inhabitants
- We place great importance on good communication
- We strive for economic stability which enables greater sustainable consciousness
- We look to continually self-evaluate and improve

We recognise social, environmental and economic factors as the three pillars of sustainability and consider all three in decision-making.

2. Scope

Crockwell is committed to continually improving its sustainability and will take a proactive approach to doing so. Our goal is for the site as a whole to be Net Zero by 2030.

We aim to do this through expanding our current use of renewable energy; installing a battery system for the current 50KW solar system, installing car charging for visitors, using biomass only to heat the venue, reducing our waste and making use of anaerobic digesters for food waste.

We contribute to re-wilding through the countryside stewardship of the 400 acre Farm previously in agricultural use.

We will monitor our carbon emissions in order that our Net Zero target can be accurately accounted for a achieved through greater removal, than production of greenhouse gas emissions.

We pay the living wage for all employees, significantly above industry average for skilled workers and offer part-time and flexible working.

We communicate our sustainability policy with our invested parties, including our supply chain and work to influence our clients and suppliers in their decision making through education.