

**BELFAIR WATER DISTRICT 1  
MASON COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-01**

**A RESOLUTION of the Board of Commissioners of Belfair Water District 1, Mason County,  
Washington ADOPTING GREEN HOUSE GAS REDUCTION EMISSION POLICY**


**WHEREAS**, In 2009, the Washington State Legislative passed ESSSB 5560, which requires competitive state infrastructure-funding programs to take into consideration the reduction of Greenhouse emission in the selection process; and

**WHEREAS**, the Belfair Water District 1 accesses state infrastructure-funding programs and, when practicable, uses best practices in meeting efficiency, conservation, and stewardship goals.

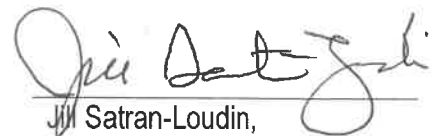
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Belfair Water District 1 hereby adopts the following policies and/or procedures that will benefit its natural resources and reduce the emission of greenhouse gasses. Policies, when practicable, include but are not limited to:

- Encourage energy conservation practices by raising awareness.
- Promote weatherization programs for existing buildings.
- Expand use of conservation by reducing vehicle miles traveled by increasing alternatives to driving alone.
- Reduce pollutants from transportation activities, including the use of cleaner fuels and vehicles if practicable.
- Monitor the efficiency of the pumps in water system and operate and maintain at peak efficiency. Use of energy efficient equipment, when practicable, is preferred.
- Reduce the solid waste stream by recycling and other means.
- Establish a water conservation plan that may include such policies and actions as tiered water rate structures and conservation programs.

**ADOPTED** by the Board of the Belfair Water District 1, Mason County, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof held on March 26, 2024.

  
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Greg Born,  
Chair

  
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Mike Pope,  
Secretary

  
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Jim Satran-Loudin,  
Commissioner