

THE TORRIDON

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Environmental and Social Sustainability Policy

The Torridon is situated on the shores of Loch Torridon within a 58-acre estate in the North West Highlands of Scotland. The five red star hotel offers 18 individually designed bedrooms, the adjoining Stables offers 12 simple bedrooms and our self-catering Boat House, delivers the ultimate in seclusion.

There are two restaurants across the resort; In the main house you will find the 1887 Restaurant, holding 3 AA Rosettes. Across the resort, Bo & Muc offers a more relaxed dining experience. Head chef Paul Green is committed to using local produce, and his menus showcase local ingredients and products reared and grown on the Torridon Farm and two-acre Kitchen Garden.

From biomass energy to natural spring water and a parting gift of wildflower seeds for guests to plant to help the bee population, The Torridon is committed to being in harmony with nature.

Our sustainability efforts, led by The Torridon Green Team, have been recognised by the Carbon Trust and the Green Tourism Business Scheme and we support the Wester Ross UNESCO Biosphere, an organisation that promotes and celebrates how people and nature connect to inspire a positive future.

We have partnered with It Must be Now and Earth Check, the world's leading benchmarking and certification provider to ensure that we continue to improve our environmental and sustainability practices by performing annual benchmarking assessments. We comply with all relevant legislations and regulations and aim to achieve international best practice by:

- Raising awareness of our impact on the environment to our team, guests and suppliers and finding new, innovative ways to minimise this.
- Supporting local businesses and Scottish suppliers.
- Investment into training and development of our team.
- Reducing waste and pollution across the resort.
- Purchasing and providing products and services which have a minimal impact on the environment by favouring seasonal, local and fair-trade.
- Promoting active and outdoor adventure to appreciate the landscape and wildlife of the region.

We encourage our team to share the same commitment to our sustainability practices. You can find further details of our green commitment at: <https://www.thetorridon.com/sustainability/>

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