Safety, Health and Wellbeing Policy

We are committed to “consistently leading safe outcomes”

Intent
All Main Roads staff and others working on Main Roads’ behalf will:

- Strive to provide a safe and healthy working environment and conditions focused on the prevention of work related injury and ill health.
- Demonstrate safety leadership and support a culture of commitment and collaboration which actively improves work safety, health (both physical and mental) and wellbeing.
- Be responsible for safety and demand consistent performance from everyone we work with to manage all risks.
- Have the capability needed to demonstrate and implement safety, health and wellbeing in the workplace.
- Demonstrate continuous adherence with Legislative requirements, Codes of Practice, Standards, Industry Best Practices and other requirements to which we subscribe.
- Recognise and consistently incorporate safety, health and wellbeing as an integral part of business decisions and performance.
- Work collaboratively to assess, review and improve wellbeing.
- Communicate this policy to stakeholders and interested parties.

Peter Woronzow
Managing Director of Main Roads

Objectives
To ensure we achieve the intent of this policy, our objectives are to:

People
- Strengthen our safety culture through consistent, aligned and active leadership practices.
- Encourage and support our workers’ active participation in safety, health and wellbeing capability development.
- Support ongoing consultation with, and participation of, our workers and their representatives in the review and improvement of our management systems.

Practice
- Demonstrate consistent application of policies, practices and procedures across the organisation and with our business partners, based on effective risk management.
- Eliminate hazards wherever practicable, and otherwise seek to reduce risks through implementation of suitable controls.
- Develop the most effective and efficient ways to meet our safety, health and wellbeing responsibilities through supporting innovation and learning.

Performance
- Establish clear safety governance through defined accountabilities and personal responsibility at all levels.
- Review, evaluate and continuously improve our safety, health and wellbeing performance with measured, targeted KPIs and leadership review practices.
- Implement, maintain and continuously improve an effective safety, health and wellbeing management system compliant to ISO45001 across all Main Roads business activities.

This policy forms part of the Integrated Management System (IMS) and is reviewed every two years or as required to ensure it complies and is relevant to legislative and business obligations.

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