

Sustainable Land Use and Waste Management Policy February 2024

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Policy Statement

This policy outlines Anurag University's commitment to using land and natural resources sustainably while managing waste, particularly hazardous waste, responsibly to prevent environmental degradation and protect biodiversity.

Objectives

- Ensure responsible land use planning and green infrastructure.
- Prevent soil contamination from hazardous waste.
- Promote composting, recycling, and responsible disposal practices.
- Restore and conserve green cover and degraded land on campus.

Scope

Covers all construction, landscaping, research labs, hostels, canteens, and maintenance departments.

Policy Provisions

- Avoid encroachments on water bodies or native ecosystems, to ensure soil conservation
- Maintain tree cover, biodiversity patches, and pervious surfaces.
- Collect, label, store, and dispose hazardous materials (e.g., lab chemicals, ewaste) as per CPCB guidelines.
- Provide color-coded bins for biodegradable, recyclable, and hazardous waste.
- Establish composting facilities.
- Conduct periodic awareness on safe waste handling and ecological land use.

Review

• Internal environmental review twice a year.