



CELEBRATING WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

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World Environment Day is an annual initiative, first celebrated in 1974, to raise awareness of environmental issues across the planet.

The focus of this day is not only about the emphasis on large environmental issues, but to also raise awareness about the small changes that each individual can make in their personal capacity, which will make a lasting and significant impact on a cumulative scale.

This year's theme, "Time for Nature", is the linkage to our natural capital and biodiversity. This fundamentally relates to things we do on a daily basis such as the air we breathe, the water we drink, the rivers we see flowing, a vicious storm, the plants and trees that give us endless joy and paint pictures in our landscapes, the animals and insects that share these natural resources and the climate that makes our Planet Earth currently the ONLY PLANET habitable for LIFE as we know it and which has finite resources.

Environmental Management at Sibanye-Stillwater

For us at Sibanye-Stillwater, protecting the environment is as much of a choice as it is a responsibility. Within our Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Framework and Strategy we have **developed four key strategic objectives** for environmental management:

- 1. Maintain environmental license to operate:** We commit to conduct our business activities to recognised standards and guidelines. We manage and mitigate the environmental risks our mining activities pose to the natural environment.
- 2. Effect continuous improvement:** Our internal governance practices and our processes are constantly evolving to drive value creation through cost-effective implementations of technology and innovation.
- 3. Responsible use of environmental resources:** We vigilantly drive the management of our emissions, energy, carbon and water footprints. Our Land, waste, heritage and biodiversity management focus further enhances our sustainable post mining closure approach.
- 4. Drive environmental consciousness through awareness, stewardship and communication on environmental issues:** By continually engaging with key stakeholders and communi-

ties, we raise awareness of environmental issues, manage expectations and protect our environmental reputation.

For more information on the Environmental Team's efforts on environmental management, refer to our Integrated Report: <https://reports.sibanyestillwater.com/2019/download/SSW-IR19-environmental-impact.pdf>

What can YOU do to support the environment?

Every person needs to realise that they continuously impact on the natural environment and that they can be the "CHANGE" or become the **Change Agents** or **Environmental Ambassadors** for positive environmental action and change.

- Reduce travelling where possible thus reducing your carbon footprint and general impact on the environment
- Develop and conserve natural spaces by visiting and supporting our national parks and botanical gardens
- Adjust your lifestyle by investing in greening your landscape and encouraging "life" at home and around your work place;
- Actively reduce your impact on natural resources by separating your waste for reuse and recycling or reducing your need for single use plastics amongst other things.

**Take time to understand the reality of our actions on the future of our planet.
Water, air, soil and biodiversity are limited resources, if we do not look after these the planet cannot survive!**