

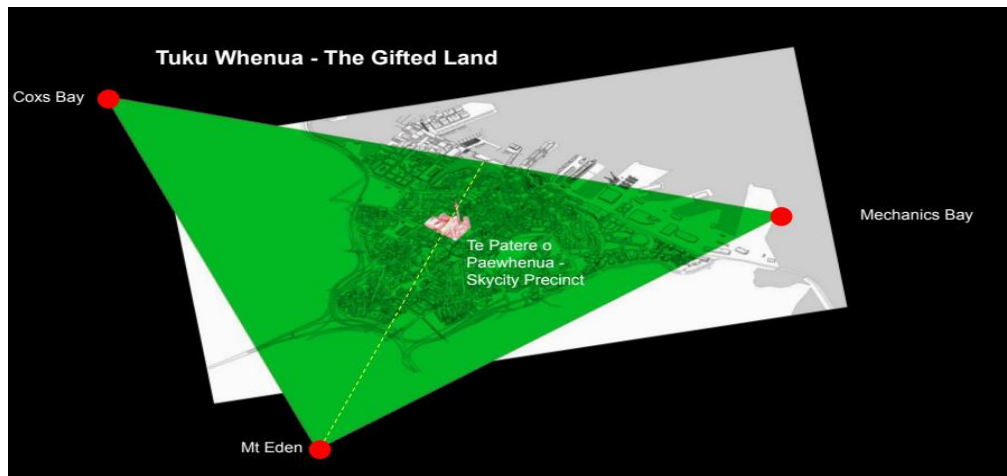


NZICC Sustainability Policy



As Aotearoa New Zealand's newest convention centre, NZICC is committed to shaping a sustainable future for the events industry. We aim to be a leader in regenerative events operations by partnering with EarthCheck, AIPC and Toitū for benchmarking and certification.

Connection to place



NZICC occupies a special place, not just of cultural or commercial significance but also geographically, as it sits to the centre of the gifted land (By Ngāti Whātua leader Apihai Te Kawau to Governor William Hobson) of 1840. It is located in the heart of Tāmaki Makaurau Auckland CBD, making it one of the most connected convention centres in the world.

NZICC offers floor-to-ceiling views of Auckland's natural beauty, proximity to innovation hubs, integrated networking spaces within walking distance of city amenities, and configurable areas accommodating intimate meetings to large-scale events. In summary:

- 32,500sqm Gross Floor Area floor space across 4 levels
- For conferences up to 3,150 people and events up to 4,500 people
- Configurable for up to 33 meeting spaces at any one time
- Building and façade designed with unique New Zealand identity
- 1,327 car parks and next to Public Transport hub
- Dedicated team curating and designing local food experiences

Commitment to standards and certifications

NZICC is committed to achieving high standards in sustainability and operational excellence. The building has been independently certified through the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) green building rating system 2015, and by full operational year 2027, will attain Gold Standard accreditation under AIPC's Quality Standards Programme.

Additionally, NZICC will be Toitū certified, and EarthCheck certified, demonstrating dedication to environmental responsibility.

NZICC will ensure full compliance with all applicable legislation and regulations, while continuously striving to elevate practices in both social and environmental sustainability. To support these efforts, a Sustainability and EarthCheck Coordinator has been appointed to monitor, assess, and enhance sustainable performance.

Our approach and commitments

For NZICC sustainability isn't just a goal—it's our ace. The ACE framework, stands for Activate, Cultivate, and Elevate. These three pillars form the foundation of our commitment to creating a regenerative and sustainable future. Together, these pillars make up our ACE framework, guiding us in our journey to be a leader in sustainability.



NOTE: This policy is a public document and will be reviewed annually.

ACTIVATE

We will champion local culture, NZ produce, boost responsible tourism and hospitality sectors, and craft cultural and culinary experiences that showcase the best of our region and Aotearoa.

By fostering authentic partnerships and prioritising local, fair trade and sustainable practices, we aim to activate a thriving ecosystem that benefits everyone involved.

CULTIVATE

We cultivate a healthier planet through sustainable practices that protect and enhance our natural surroundings.

We commit to keeping our footprint in line with what science requires and are dedicated to help our customers and suppliers reduce theirs.

We will be transparent about the impact of our actions through EarthCheck, AIPC and Toitū certified performance and reporting.

ELEVATE

We elevate the convention industry as an employer and partner of choice, and sustainable, community-focused and culturally-rich events with lasting positive impact. Through active knowledge-sharing, staff development, and partnerships with universities, Ngāti Whātua Ōrākei and Māori stakeholders, we empower our team to lead the way in sustainable event management.

Signed by

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Prue Daly".

Prue Daly
General Manager

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