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Criterion VII Institutional Values and Best Practices

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Water Management Policy

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Introduction

Rajagiri College of Management and Applied Sciences (RCMAS) recognizes the importance of responsible water management to ensure the efficient use of water resources, minimize water waste, and protect water quality. This Water Management Policy outlines RCMAS's commitment to sustainable water practices and conservation efforts within its campus premises.

Policy Objectives

Resource Conservation: RCMAS aims to conserve water resources by promoting efficient water use, minimizing water wastage, and implementing water-saving technologies and practices.

Water Quality: The college is dedicated to maintaining high water quality standards, preventing water pollution, and preserving the ecological integrity of water bodies on campus.

Sustainability: RCMAS seeks to promote sustainable water management practices that balance the needs of the college community with the long-term health and availability of water resources.

Key Components

Water Conservation Measures: RCMAS implements water conservation measures, such as installing water-efficient fixtures, repairing leaks promptly, and optimizing irrigation systems, to minimize water consumption and reduce waste.



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Rainwater Harvesting: The college promotes rainwater harvesting techniques to capture and utilize rainwater for non-potable purposes, such as landscaping, toilet flushing, and irrigation, reducing reliance on municipal water sources.

Greywater Recycling: RCMAS explores opportunities for recycling greywater from sinks, showers, and laundry facilities for reuse in non-potable applications, thereby conserving freshwater resources and reducing wastewater discharge.

Water Quality Management: The college monitors water quality parameters, implements pollution prevention measures, and collaborates with relevant authorities to ensure compliance with water quality standards and regulations.

Educational Programs: RCMAS educates students, faculty, staff, and visitors about the importance of water conservation, sustainable water management practices, and individual responsibilities through educational programs, workshops, and awareness campaigns.

Compliance and Regulation

Legal Compliance: RCMAS adheres to applicable water-related laws, regulations, and standards set forth by regulatory agencies at the local, state, and national levels, ensuring compliance and accountability in water management practices.

Permitting and Reporting: The college obtains necessary permits, licenses, and approvals for water-related activities, maintains accurate records of water usage and discharge, and submits required reports to regulatory authorities as mandated.

Continuous Improvement

Monitoring and Evaluation: RCMAS monitors water consumption, analyzes trends, and evaluates the effectiveness of water management initiatives through regular assessments and performance metrics to identify areas for improvement and implement corrective actions.



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Stakeholder Engagement: The college engages stakeholders, including students, faculty, staff, local communities, and regulatory agencies, in dialogue and collaboration to foster transparency, accountability, and shared responsibility for sustainable water management.

Conclusion

RCMAS is committed to promoting responsible water management practices that contribute to environmental sustainability, resource conservation, and community well-being. By implementing the principles and practices outlined in this policy, the college aims to be a leader in water stewardship and inspire positive change in water management practices.



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