

## Environmental Responsibility Statement

The world is facing interconnected environmental crises, with rising global temperatures, biodiversity loss, and pollution accelerating at an alarming rate and without urgent action, we risk surpassing critical climate thresholds. The art world contributes significantly to this crisis through international travel, art shipping, and high energy consumption.

As arts organizations, we have both a responsibility and an opportunity to lead by example, using our platforms to drive positive change.

We at **ArtToSaveLives Contemporary** are dedicated to raising environmental awareness through thought-provoking exhibitions and programming. Our mission extends beyond art, encompassing animal rescue efforts and supporting artists who highlight climate and environmental issues. For decades, our primary artist, **JuanCarlos rLora**, has been creating environmentally conscious art, using his work to highlight the urgency of protecting our planet. Our commitment to these issues has earned us being dubbed “**The Environmental Gallery**” among our peers in the field, reinforcing our sustainability-driven initiatives.

As part of our commitment to our core values, we are taking decisive steps to lessen our environmental impact. We've started by pinpointing key areas within our logistics and daily operations where we can improve our sustainability. This includes actively monitoring our carbon emissions and consistently looking for ways to minimize our footprint.

We are also delighted to announce that ArtToSaveLives Contemporary is now an Active Member of the **Gallery Climate Coalition (GCC)**. We will be utilizing the GCC calculator to diligently track our environmental footprint. Furthermore, we have appointed a dedicated Green Ambassador who will spearhead discussions and implement new sustainable practices within our organization.

Through these focused efforts, we aim to contribute to a more sustainable art world and advocate for broader environmental change. We recognize that this journey requires continuous learning and that there is always room for improvement. While we have established goals and initiated actions, we understand that sustained effort is crucial to achieve a lasting impact. We believe that while each of us holds a significant responsibility to our planet, it is through collective action that we can truly make a difference. 🌱

All our love,

ArtToSaveLives Contemporary Team

