Botanic Gardens
AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

Environmental Sustainability Award

This award recognises projects that show leadership in environmental sustainability.

Organisation

Project title

Brief project description (200-word max. *Please include details which explain size and complexity of project.*)

1. Resource Efficiency (Water, Energy, Materials)

Explain how the project has, or will, reduce/reuse or recycle resources (e.g. water consumption, energy use, and/or material waste) This may be during the construction phase or the final outcome.

2. Climate Adaptation & Risk Management

How has the project anticipated and mitigated climate-related risks (e.g. drought, heatwaves)? Demonstrate how it incorporates long-term climate resilience principles.

3. Biodiversity Impact

Explain how the project has enhanced, conserved, or avoided biodiversity loss (e.g. threatened or endangered species, population increases, habitat protection, threat reduction). How is this being measured?

4. Public Engagement & Storytelling

Did the project (or will it) publicly share the sustainability story (signage, education, media)? Has there been measurable public engagement or behaviour change?

5. Collaboration and Inclusivity

Describe how staff and volunteers were included in the planning and delivery and/or of collaborations with external stakeholders that maximised impact. Examples may include Traditional Owners, local community groups, or research institutions.

6. Transferability

Explain how your project could be shared, replicated or scaled by a broad range of institutions regardless of their level of resourcing.