

Energy Management Statement

The Go-Ahead Group (GAG) has established an Energy and Climate change policy document, which Go North West (GNW) will adopt and implement.

To support the GAG policy, GNW aims to:

- Establish a baseline for our energy consumption and performance against which we will measure our future consumption and performance.
- Improve fleet average MPG/ miles per Kw. Here the focus is on improving efficiency rather than achieving absolute reductions in consumption as this may not be consistent with operational needs and/or commercial requirements.
- Depot electricity - Achieve an absolute reduction in consumption on a like for like basis
- Bus – Reduce CO2 emissions per vehicle mile
- Establish baseline data and set performance improvements that are aligned to these Go-Ahead Objectives and develop an Energy Improvement Plan to support this initiative
- Use the Energy Improvement Plan to review GNW Energy Objectives and Targets and review on an annual basis, review by audit and take corrective action if so required.
- Follow the guiding principles in ISO 5001 Energy Management Systems and designate a Senior Management team with overall responsibility for Energy Management.

It is so important everyone of us gets on board and supports the drive to greater energy performance and efficiencies

Key influences:

Bus drivers – remember your defensive / eco-driving training and drive vehicles as fuel efficient as you can. Report all vehicle faults, particularly those that could affect fuel efficiency and do not leave engines idling for any longer than you must.

Engineers – vehicle maintenance is so crucial to ensure vehicles are operating as energy efficient as possible

All employees – Anything you see that you feel could be improved (examples):-

- Lights on overnight in empty offices
- Computer screens not being used left on standby
- Heating on with windows wide open
- Plant left idling unnecessarily

Please action these simple benefits or report it in on GNW social media applications. Small changes can make big cumulative differences