



SUSTAINABLE ON-LOCATION FILMING GUIDE

Filming on-location in a natural setting? We've got you covered with this checklist for a sustainable production!

KNOW YOUR HABITAT

- When choosing your location, make sure you have local contacts who know it well. Ask them to connect you with educational resources, naturalists, or ecologists who are familiar with the site.
- Conduct a site survey with your local experts. to understand any sensitive elements that may be present such as old trees, native vegetation, waterways or wildlife habitats.

PROTECT YOUR SET

- Once sensitive elements have been identified, make your team aware of them with maps or signage, but never nail or staple signage into trees!
- Where necessary, set boundaries using rope or railings to protect sensitive elements, but be sure not to block wildlife crossings.
- To protect wildlife, sound should be as far as possible from wildlife habitats and pointed in the opposite direction. Also, never approach wildlife. If you'd like to be close (and it's safe!) wait patiently to see if they approach you.

PREVENT POLLUTION: Leave only footprints :)

- Make sure you have access to appropriate receptacles for waste and recycling, or bring your own.
- Secure any items or receptacles that could be blown away by wind or rains.
- Ask staff or guests who smoke to bring their own pocket ashtrays (or provide them!) making sure they never throw cigarettes on the ground.

WANT MORE SUPPORT?

- Partner with Bye Bye Plastic Foundation to promote your stream or plan to make future events and productions sustainable with Ascendance!

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