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**HORNAFJÖRÐUR MUNICIPALITY'S COMPREHENSIVE POLICY | 2026-2030**



**Municipality of  
HORNAFJÖRÐUR**

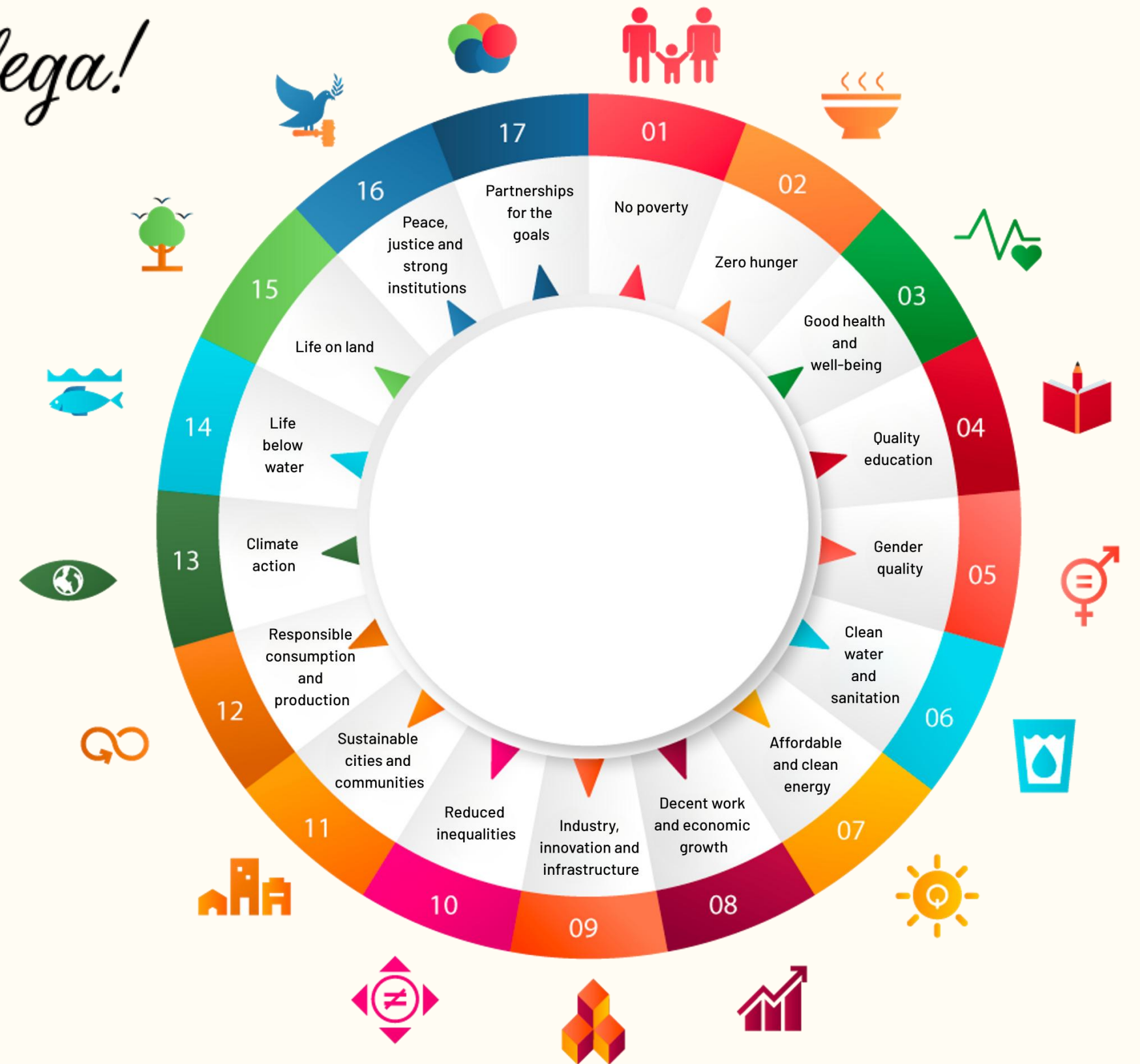
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## THE GLOBAL GOALS

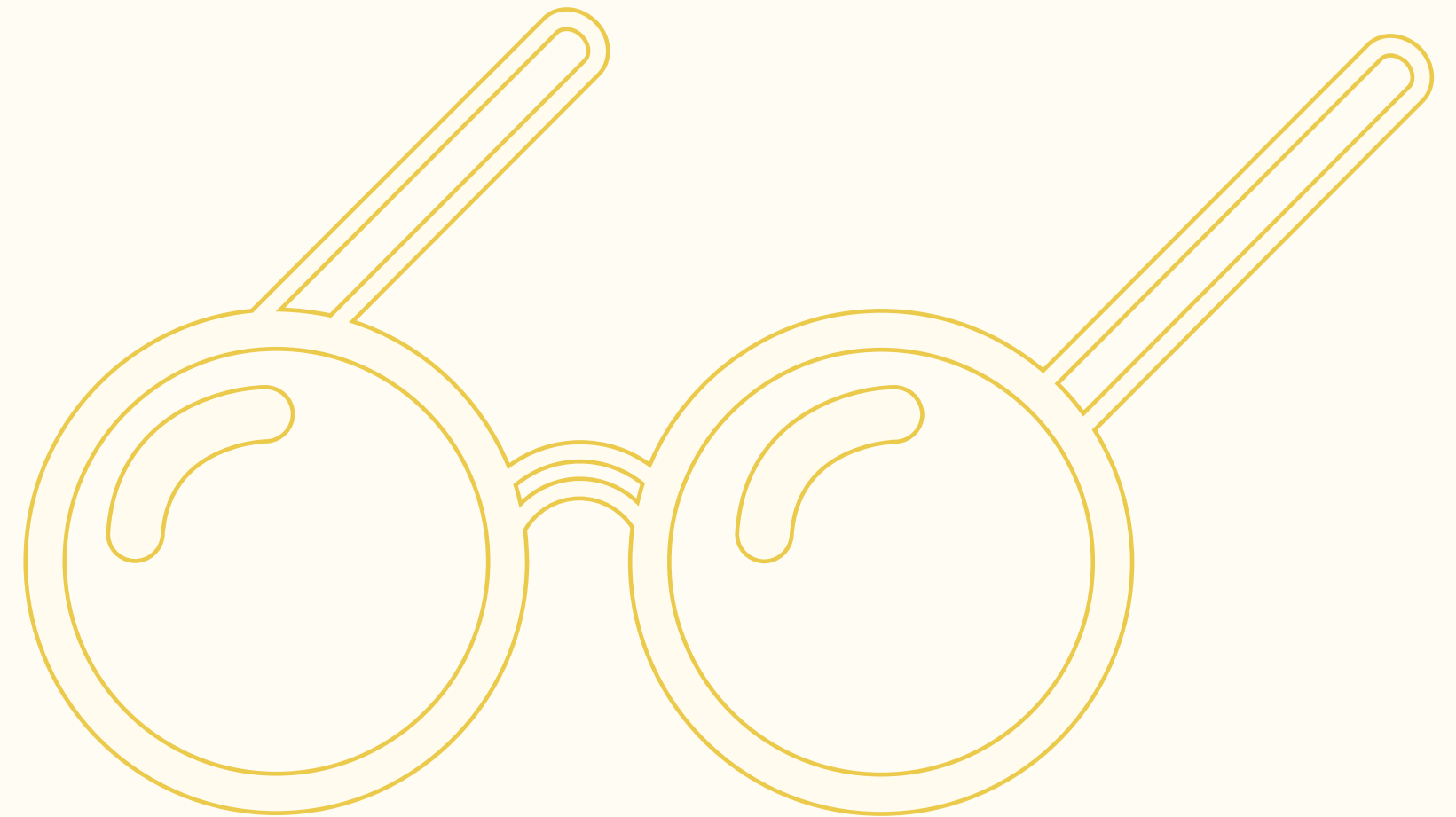
The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals are adopted by its member states and are intended to improve the lives and health of humanity and the planet through concerted efforts.

The 17 goals are multifaceted, ambitious and form, with 169 sub-goals, a coherent whole domestically and internationally.

Hornafjörður's policy is based on the United Nations' Global Goals. Based on a risk and materiality analysis conducted for the municipality, emphasis is placed on fourteen Global Goals that are linked to three main focus areas of the policy.



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## FUTURE VISION

The municipality is a desirable and family-friendly place to live that attracts visitors. Social life and quality of life flourish in harmony with the environment and nature. People here have equal opportunities in a welfare society and service is excellent. Culture is alive and vibrant with innovation.

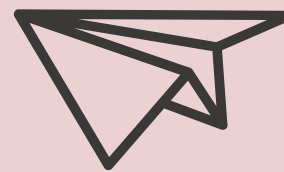
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## VALUES



### RESPECT

We treat each other with respect and are tolerant of the diversity of our population. We also respect the environment in which we live.



### PROGRESS

We face the future with energy, initiative and innovation and dare to seek new solutions in both business and education.



### COLLABORATION

Collaboration, solidarity and positivity are the guiding principles in all our work and we know that together we are stronger

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### FOCUS

#### A LEADER IN ENVIRONMENTAL AND CLIMATE ISSUES

The municipality is working to integrate environmental sustainability and climate action into all municipal operations. This includes cross-sector collaboration, policy formulation and practical implementation of actions related to waste, energy, transport, planning and resilience.

### OBJECTIVES

#### SUSTAINABLE AND ECOLOGICALLY FRIENDLY SOCIETY

- Strengthening the circular economy and minimizing waste.
- More responsible resource utilization.
- Protection and enhancement of nature, biodiversity and outdoor recreation quality.
- A safe, clean and healthy environment.
- Sustainable planning and civil engineering.
- Carbon-neutral operations of the municipality by 2038

#### CONNECTION TO GLOBAL GOALS



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### FOCUS

#### A SOCIETY OF WELFARE AND EQUALITY

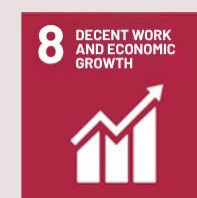
We want to live in a welfare society guided by equality, health, and inclusion.

### OBJECTIVES

#### A LEADING WELFARE SOCIETY THAT ENSURES INCLUSION, EQUALITY AND A DESIRABLE QUALITY OF LIFE

- Promoting health and well-being for all from cradle to grave
- The municipality's procedures and policies promote equality and transparency.
- Strengthen internal assessments and quality assessments in school, leisure and welfare services
- Promote the municipality as a multicultural community and foster inclusion
- Exemplary housing and environment for schools, leisure activities and welfare services

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### FOCUS

#### TRANSPARENT AND ACCESSIBLE GOVERNANCE

Increase quality, efficiency and accessibility to municipal services through professional, user-oriented services where reliable information provision is at the forefront.

### OBJECTIVES

#### THE MUNICIPALITY'S SERVICE IS RESPONSIBLE AND EFFICIENT

- Clear, accessible and transparent information provision and communication
- Professionalism and quality of service
- Knowledge and job satisfaction
- Efficiency and digital transformation

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