

Environmental Management & Sustainability Plan

FIM EnduroGP Zschopau 2025

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FIM Ride Green / KISS Programme / UN SDGs Integration

1. Framework & Objectives

The FIM EnduroGP Zschopau 2025 aligns with the FIM Environmental Code and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The objective is to minimize the ecological footprint of the event through responsible planning, waste management, noise control, biodiversity protection, and transparent reporting. The event promotes environmental awareness among riders, teams, and spectators through the FIM KISS Programme.

2. Organization & Contacts

Organizer: MSC Rund um Zschopau e.V. im ADAC
FMNR: DMSB
Event Date: 17–19 October 2025
Event Location: Zschopau, Saxony, Germany
Environmental Steward: Olaf Zehl (FIM Licence 44867)
Operational Centre: Bürgersaal Zschopau
Local Partners: Eins Energie, City of Zschopau, ADAC Sachsen, Prime Stadium
Official Communication Channels: www.enduro-zschopau.de / Sportity App

3. Declaration of Environmental Commitment

The organizer commits to comply with the FIM Environmental Code, European and national environmental laws, and the Natura 2000 protection framework. The event will operate under the principles of waste reduction, energy efficiency, and minimal environmental impact. All environmental data will be collected digitally for submission to the FIM and local authorities.

4. Environmental Infrastructure & Measures

- Wash Area: 1 Kärcher wash station with oil separator, no discharge into the Zschopau valley.
- Environmental Mats: 160 units in Parc Fermé and 2 per special test.
- Waste & Recycling: 50 waste bins and 20 wastewater collection containers.
- Hazardous Waste: Dedicated container for used oil and contaminated materials.
- Sanitary Facilities: 1 shower container, 20 portable toilets.
- Energy Supply: Eins Energie – local supplier, partly green electricity.
- Signage & Information: 70 information boards placed throughout paddock and test areas.

5. Biodiversity & Natura 2000

The event area lies within the protected Zschopautal region, part of the Natura 2000 network. Riverbanks and ecological zones are off-limits. All teams, spectators, and staff must stay on marked paths. Cooperation with the Sachsenforst and local environmental authorities ensures the protection of flora and fauna. No cleaning chemicals are allowed.

6. Noise, Waste & Water Management

Noise: FIM noise limits will be respected. Sound level monitoring will take place at several control points.

Waste: Selective waste collection (residual, oil filters, tires, batteries) following FIM guidelines. Certified disposal partners will handle hazardous waste.

Water: Ecological water management with oil separators, zero detergent policy, and reuse of materials where possible.

7. Education, Awareness & Communication

Environmental information will be distributed through the website, Event Guide, and infoboards. Volunteers and team members will receive environmental training before the event. Schools and local organizations will participate in awareness programs under the FIM KISS initiative.

8. KISS Insect Hotel Project – 16 October 2025

As part of the FIM KISS Programme, an environmental action will take place on Thursday, 16 October 2025, involving the installation of an Insect Hotel near the paddock area in Zschopau. The project, led by Environmental Steward Olaf Zehl and supported by the FIM Ride Green Team, engages local schools and volunteers to promote biodiversity awareness and provide habitats for pollinators.

9. Monitoring & Evaluation

On-site environmental monitoring will cover paddock, special tests, and the washing area. Data on waste volumes, noise levels, and water use will be documented. A final Environmental Report will be submitted to the FIM and local authorities within 14 days after the event.

10. Compensation & Legacy

To offset the event's ecological footprint, a tree planting and biodiversity improvement campaign will take place in cooperation with local schools and the forestry authority. Reusable materials and signage from the event will be stored for future use.

Appendix I – Environmental Map

The following image shows the environmental map overview for the EnduroGP Zschopau 2025 area:

