

# How the EMS and LESP work together

The **Environmental Management System (EMS)** sets the structure and standards for environmental responsibility, compliance and continual improvement. Your **Local Environmental Sustainability Plan (LESP)** provides the actions and means to track progress for integrated planning and flexible delivery.

## Local Environmental Sustainability Plan (LESP)

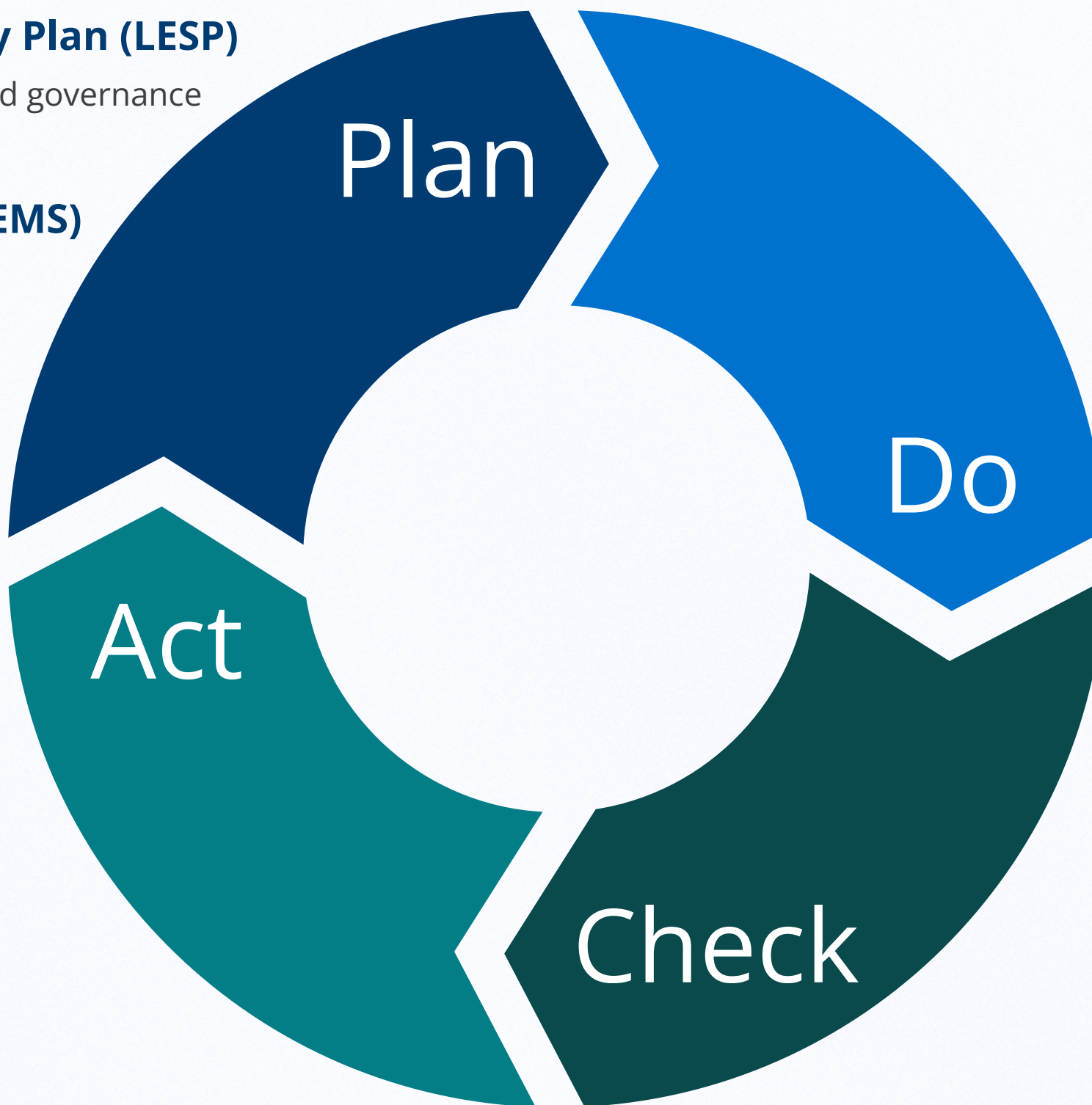
- Produce or realign your local action plan and governance

## Environmental Management System (EMS)

- Identify local environmental risks, processes and opportunities
- Score and prioritise for future action
- Set objectives for improved environmental performance

## Institutions use LESP to guide action and demonstrate progress

- Implement control processes and training mechanisms
- Integrate objectives into daily operations
- Encourage accountability and collaboration within institutions



## Institutions use EMS to audit progress and monitor impact

- Track compliance with legislative and institutional commitments
- Evaluate performance and outcome
- Mature over multiple years of continuous improvement

**The Environmental Sustainability Team can provide strategic direction, expert advice, and operational support, including training**