

**Policy Plan Menaqua**  
for the period January 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023  
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## **1. Purpose**

Menaqua aims—excluding any profit motive—to contribute to climate improvement and the restoration of degraded ecosystems.

More specifically, the foundation focuses on compensating for the damage caused by the disappearance of forests by promoting soil restoration through new plantings. All of this is done with attention to people, nature, and the economy.

Additionally, the foundation aims to contribute to raising awareness that the disappearance of ecosystems causes significant damage to the climate and society.

## **2. Activities**

Due to the aftermath of the Covid-19 pandemic and the resulting restrictions on travel, in-person collaboration, and project implementation, Menaqua continued to pause all activities during 2023. As a result, no new projects were initiated or financed in this period. The foundation maintained its readiness to resume activities once conditions allowed and continued to monitor developments in its target regions.

Original Activities (paused for 2023):

Menaqua focuses on initiating and financing projects and events that:

- Promote soil restoration and counteract deforestation;
- Achieve climate improvement;
- Contribute to awareness of the importance of soil restoration and climate improvement.

Projects are normally targeted in the MENA region (Middle East and North Africa), specifically Lebanon, Jordan, and the Palestinian territories, involving the planting of trees and crops, knowledge transfer, and collaboration with local institutions. However, these activities were suspended in 2023 due to the pandemic.

## **3. Impact through Collaboration**

Land degradation and climate change are caused by a multitude of factors, ranging from agricultural to social and political practices. Addressing these causes therefore requires a multidisciplinary approach.

Menaqua actively seeks collaboration with similar organizations or organizations that, through their specific knowledge, experience, and resources, add significant value to the foundation's projects. These may include non-governmental organizations, scientific institutions at home and abroad, or media organizations.

Due to the pause in activities in 2023, no new collaborative projects were undertaken, but the foundation remains committed to these partnerships for future activities.

#### 4. Governance

The board of the foundation will consist of three or more natural persons who will fulfill the roles of chair, secretary, and treasurer. The directors of the foundation will only receive reimbursement for expenses incurred. In addition, the directors may receive limited attendance fees.

The board of the foundation will, among other things, ensure the establishment and maintenance of adequate financial administration.

#### 5. Financial

Due to the pause in activities as a result of the Covid-19 pandemic, Stichting Menaqua did not generate income or incur expenditures in 2023 other than a few donations (€1700) and administrative costs including IT costs and Tax. The positive balance of 2023 is added to the reserves and available for future projects.

##### 5.1. Income

<b>INCOME</b>	<b>2023</b>
Subsidies	0
Company contributions	€1200
Charitable institutions	0
Total income	€1200
Interest income and charges	0
Other income	€500
Total other income	€500
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>€1700</b>

##### 5.2 Expenditures

<b>INCOME</b>	<b>2023</b>
Project costs	0
Implementation costs	0
Total spent on objective	0
MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION	

Management and admin costs	€1306,31
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>€1306,31</b>

### 5.3 Result

<b>Result</b>	<b>2023</b>
Result	393,69

The result that remains available is added to the reserves and is, in principle, used again to invest in new projects.

<b>Result</b>	<b>2023</b>
Net allocation to objective funding	<b>2023</b>
Net allocation to objective funding	573,50