

## **2020 sustainable and responsible investing report**

We're pleased to deliver our 2020 report on sustainable and responsible investing at Manulife Investment Management. Sustainability is at the core of who we are as an asset manager. It sharpens our focus as active investors and researchers, and it provides a critical dimension for assessing risk.

Sustainability is also central to our values as an organization. We consider our actions in three important contexts: the people, whose portfolios, daily lives, and future aspirations are affected by the quality of our asset stewardship; the physical and social places in which our company operates or has an impact; and the future that our actions can help make possible for children, grandchildren, and generations to come.

Today, sustainable and responsible investing is about nothing less than contributing to the suitability of the earth's climate for human life, shoring up the strength of our social networks, and building the resilience of a global economy. We believe the urgency of sustainable investing is undeniably real and, therefore, is a natural part of our mission to deliver strong risk-adjusted returns for our clients over time while having a positive impact on the environment and society.

Looking back over the prior year, we have much to be proud of and are thankful that we have an organization that's committed to sustainable investing principles. I encourage you to explore the philosophy that guides us in the latest sustainable and responsible investing report.

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