Sustainable Waste Management Policy





Scope

Gleeson Homes is committed to the sustainable building of new homes. Actively managing waste across all of our sites is an important part of this commitment.

Purpose

We aim to embed sustainability across the Group and mitigate or reduce adverse impacts of our operations where possible; protecting the environment, the communities in which we operate, and our people.

We are committed to reducing the amount of waste that is produced across our operations. This Sustainable Waste Management policy takes into account the requirements of the resources used in building new homes and the diversion of waste from landfill wherever possible.

Aims and objectives

- To implement a Group wide approach to waste management and to incorporate this into our day-to-day operating activities
- To minimise our environmental impact through engaging with waste management suppliers to work with, and on behalf of, Gleeson Homes to improve site waste segregation and management.
- To actively work with industry, our supply chain and waste management companies to find progressive and technical solutions to managing our waste.
- To implement effective waste management across all sites, ensuring that waste can be efficiently processed and reduce the diversion to landfill wherever possible.
- To reduce construction waste through careful design and specification of materials; considering standard sizes of materials to reduce waste during construction (see the Group's Sustainable Procurement Policy).
- To work with our supply chain to encourage sustainable packaging (see the Group's Sustainable Packaging Policy).
- To work with our suppliers and contractors to make efficient use of materials and incorporate reused/recycled content into our operations where possible.
- To improve our diversion of waste from landfill, with the aim to have one hundred percent waste recycled or used for energy by 2025.



- To monitor waste and volumes to landfill using data to actively improve our waste management process and determine materials most likely to go to landfill putting specific processes and procedures in place to deal with these materials.
- To communicate this Policy throughout the business to ensure compliance.

Policy owner

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History

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