

Waste Disposal Policy

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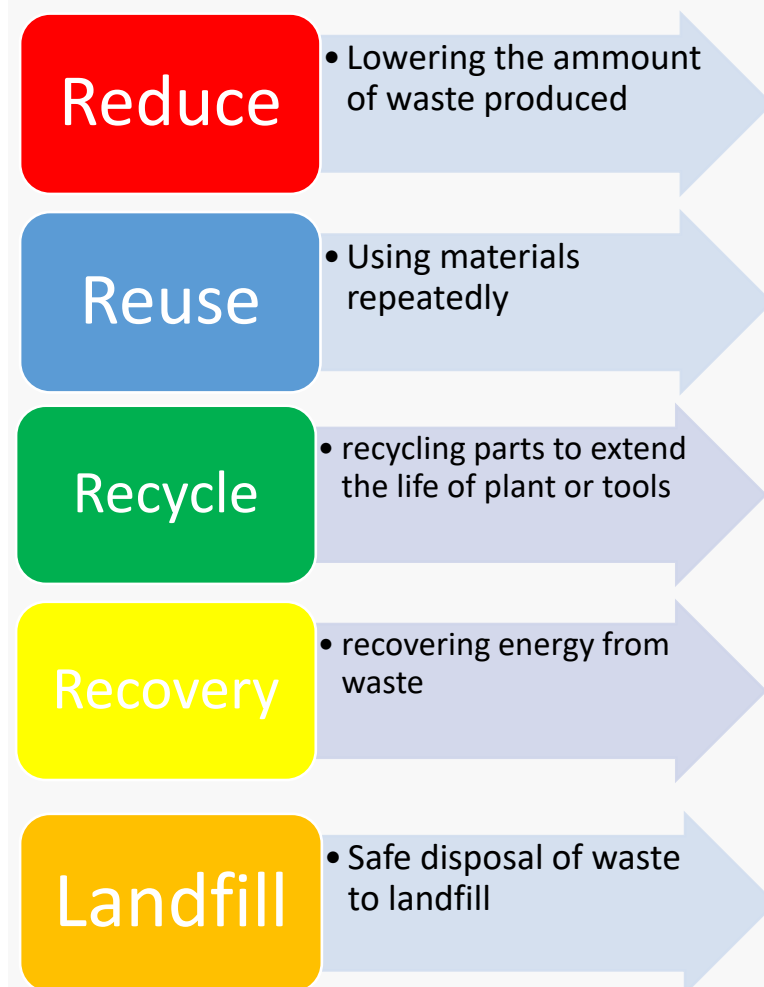
One Stop Hire recognises the importance of waste reduction and recycling, it follows the waste framework directive 2008/98/EC wherever possible by,

- cutting down on the number of disposable or throwaway products used
- cutting down on excess packaging
- improving procurement systems and adopting an approach where the organisation buys only what is needed and uses only sustainable sources
- purchasing recycled paper and supplies
- reusing waste wherever possible
- using durable products that last longer
- repairing and refurbishing broken or worn items
- ensuring that biodegradable packaging is used wherever possible.
- Changing from fossil fuels to bio diesels where possible.

The recycling or reuse of waste not only helps an organisation to meet its sustainability requirements and become more “eco-friendly”, it can also reduce costs.

Consideration is given to the waste hierarchy

Most favoured option



Least favoured option

To this end the company engages waste collection companies to handle the safe and correct disposal of waste generated from its operations, these include:

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EQUIPMENT

Equipment is filled to the manufactures recommended levels

Waste oil is removed from equipment and collected into 205ltr drums.

The oil sucked out of the drums and taken away, leaving the existing drums to be refilled.

The waste oil is cleaned of contaminants and can be used in the following ways:

- Industrial burner oil, where the used oil is dewatered, filtered and demineralised for use in industrial burners;
- Mould oil to help release products from their moulds (e.g. pressed metal products, concrete);
- Hydraulic oil;
- Bitumen based products;
- An additive in manufactured products; or
- Re-refined base oil for use as a lubricant, hydraulic or transformer oil.

The company separates out its waste streams to the following:

- Paper
- Cardboard
- Plastic
- Metals
- Packaging
- Floor sweepings

These are collected by a registered company for appropriate sorting, recycling and recovery.

Wash waste

This is collected in purpose built Interceptor units, the water is recycled through filter bags, separating out oils from mud, the resultant waste is collected by the waste company

WEEE

The company has identified items of WEEE that are now obsolete or beyond any potential further use, all electrical items are identified if they have a practical use and parts retained. Once the updates on the company infrastructure are complete all remaining items will be recycled via the existing waste provider.

Waste fuel

Very small amounts of waste fuel are generated when tanks are removed off items of equipment, this is deposited into the waste oil drums to be collected and recycled.

End of cycle vehicles

The vehicles used by One Stop Hire are regularly updated, older vehicles in the fleet are sold on to other end users.

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The Company has recognised the need to reduce its carbon footprint, to this end it is investigating new ways to reduce waste produced and to minimise its overall energy consumption.

This policy is non contractual and One Stop Hire reserve the right to amend this policy from time to time and will issue revisions as and when necessary. Employees will be advised of changes as and when they occur.

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Signed:



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