

WRAXALLS

STONE MERCHANTS AND LANDSCAPING SUPPLIES

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H C Wraxall and Co. Environmental Policy

H C Wraxall and Co is dedicated to a permanent program of environmental responsibility. We aim to recycle, re-use and generate sustainable solutions wherever possible. The Company:

- Commits to continuous improvement
- Will review its environmental performance annually
- Will appoint an Environmental Officer to monitor the policy

Our Products

Many of our products are derived from 'reject' material: material that is produced as a by-product of the extraction process. These include a variety of grades of washed rounded shingle and hand-selected cobbles.

Energy

- The Company will conserve energy where possible
- Will fit energy efficient appliances
- Will turn off appliances when not in use
- New appliances will be purchased with regard to their energy efficiency and durability

Recycling

- The Company will recycle waste paper, cardboard, plastic and aluminium
- Return toner cartridges for use
- Reduce paper and printing waste by monitoring the situation
- Give preferred status to suppliers with the least environmental impact
- For packing of our products, pallets are reused repeatedly
- Machine parts are repaired and reused where appropriate

Transport

- The Company does not provide Company Vehicles
- We encourage the use of Public Transport to attend meetings
- We operate a policy of hiring locally. All our staff either live within a 3 mile radius of the premises or work from home via a remote IT link. The use of bicycles is encouraged.

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General

- The Company will ensure that all employees are aware of the policy
- H. C. Wraxall and Co Ltd will comply with environmental legislation, regulations and government guidance.
- We are currently working towards a policy to help us achieve carbon neutrality.

Our products attract an Aggregate Levy. The Aggregates Levy Sustainability Fund (ALSF) is distributed on behalf of Defra by English Heritage, Natural England, MIRO, WRAP, DTI, DfT, ODPM, selected County Councils and CEFAS. It is intended to manage extraction landscapes, promote sustainable practices and technologies and disseminate information to assist reduction of environmental impact.

The Company aspires to a paperless office and minimise paper use by storing information digitally. Internal communication policy is to use email where ever this is practicable. We already send our statements electronically and plan to add invoicing to this service where customers have the facility to receive them. Alternatively, where the customer has requested a hard copy we will fax rather than post the document which cuts down on the environmental costs of mail transport.

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