



# SUSTAINABLE SUPPLIERS & RESOURCES

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## **SUSTAINABLE SUPPLIERS**

Sustainable Supplier Name	Area of Impact	Description	Link
Klee Paper	Paper	Klee Paper is a family business based in Ireland specialising in recycled office and gift stationery. They introduced recycled paper to the Irish market back in 1988 and continue to be the leading specialist for eco-friendly paper supplies and related products.	<u>Klee Paper Website</u>
Timber Ireland	Wood	Supplying to both the trade and consumers with a full suite offering of hardwood timber and softwood products.	<u>Timber Ireland Website</u>
Biofa - Natural Paint	Paint	Natural Paints are natural, solvent free, low VOC and Non-Toxic, producing low levels of odour. The paints are made from natural plant based composition.	<u>Biofa Website</u>
Landmark	Salvaged Timber & Other Materials  Supply building materials, garden furniture and fittings, gates and much more to hotels, pubs, visitor centres, new-build and restoration projects as well as to individuals looking for authentic period material or interesting one off pieces for their homes or gardens.		<u>Landmark Website</u>
Architectural Salvage	Various materials	Architectural Salvage to the building trade, individuals, film location companies, restoration projects and landscapers. Their catalogue contains a large range of Architectural Salvage products.	<u>Architectural Salvage</u> <u>Website</u>
The Factory	Design studio & printers	They offer eco-printing, graphic design, branding, signage, stationary, and web development in alignment with the UN's SDGs.	<u>The Factory Website</u>

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Mac's Warehouse	Salvaged timber and Architectural salvage	Specialising in modern and architectural salvage, we also sell liquidation and surplus stock such as new doors and windows, sanitary ware and polished porcelain tiles.	<u>Mac's Warehouse</u> <u>Website</u>
Down 2 Earth Materials	Compostable catering supplies	Ireland's leading supplier of sustainable catering disposables. All of our products are made from sustainable materials and fit our ethos of providing our customers with the best sustainable choices of Reusable, Recyclable or Compostable.	<u>Down 2 Earth Website</u>
VivaGreen	Compostable bags and eco-friendly cleaning products	VivaGreen develop and manufacturing a range of truly Environmentally Friendly Products including Chemical Free and Plastic Free Goods.	<u>VivaGreen Website</u>
Blazing Salads	Vegan catering	Vegan catering based in Dublin 2.	<u>Blazing Salads Website</u>
FoodCloud	Surplus food truck catering and charity	From event catering that showcases how surplus can be spectacular to community meals using perfectly good, nutritious surplus food for charity partners, all profits generated by FoodCloud Kitchen are reinvested into our core activities of redistributing surplus food to over 600 community and voluntary organisations across the country.	FoodCloud Website

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Circular Costumes Ireland	Costume rental for Film, TV & Theatre	Rent and buy vintage clothing, costumes and equipment.	<u>Circular Costumes</u> <u>Ireland</u>
Eco Friendly Cups	Rent or buy reusable cups	Irish based environmentally friendly company that supplies reusable cups for all events, from stadiums, festivals, bars, theatres, sports venues, to product launches, weddings and any gathering or event in between.	<u>Eco Friendly Cups</u>
2 Go Cup	Reusable cups and bowls	Deposit and return scheme for cups and bowls	<u>2 Go Cup Website</u>
Vytal	Reusable food containers	Save food packaging waste conveniently and free of charge.	<u>Vytal Website</u>
Rediscovery Centre	Furniture, fashion, paint & bikes	Ireland's National Centre for a Circular Economy. Rediscovery Centre acts as an innovation hub, delivering education, providing research and enabling policy, citizen engagement and collaboration to support community action. Their social enterprises includes circular furniture, fashion, paint, and bikes.	<u>Rediscovery Centre</u> <u>Website</u>

Disclaimer: Suppliers are subject to change. Please do your own research before committing to new partnerships and collaborations.

#### **RESOURCES**

Resource Name	Link	Description
Julie's Bicycle Green Procurement Guide	<u>JB's Green Procurement</u> <u>Guide</u>	Covers the basic principles of procurement decision processes, sustainability procurement policies and liaising with suppliers, as well as specific buying advice for common products and services. This is aimed at anyone who makes buying decisions at your organisation.
EPA Green Public Procurement	EPA Green Public Procurement	Step-by-step advice for each stage of the procurement process, from needs assessment and market engagement through to contract management for the public sector in Ireland. Good resource in terms of providing overviews of the Green Public Procurement approach for ten priority sectors which account for the largest environmental and economic impacts of public procurement.
Butler Gallery	<u>Butler Gallery Website</u>	Examples of ecological approaches to art making processes and materials use in various workshops and programmes.
Lyric Theatre	<u>Lyric Theatre Website</u>	Great example of Green Procurement across various impact areas. Also includes example of recently created creative post at the Lyric - Scenic Construction Manager - which aims to make the Lyric more resilient for the future and to improve environmental sustainability practices.
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