

What is The Greener Side?

An award winning UK recycling service, dedicated to improving your green credentials via an ISO9001 & ISO14001 accredited solution. With an entire Waste Treatment Facility dedicated to dealing with the recycling and remanufacturing of WEEE waste, The Greener Side can help you to take care of your waste in an ethically and legally responsible manner.

Why Do You Need It?

Under the WEEE Directive and Government Legislation, toner powder and the consumables which contain it are classed as hazardous waste - these items must therefore be recycled in an appropriate manner in order to prevent an environmental disaster. Directors, managers and employees of any business whose responsibility it is to deal with this type of waste (including the handling of your used/empty toner cartridges) can all be held liable and face unlimited fines if these laws aren't adhered to.

Both the Government and the Environmental Agency are responsible for penalising producers with penalties including imprisonment for non compliance with the 2006 Environmental Protection Act 3289 WEEE Regulations.

The world is changing - and so are your customers. Providing an elite service or product to your clientele is no longer possible without meeting your environmental obligations and completing your due diligence when it comes to corporate social responsibility.

Key Features

- ✓ Fully Licensed Waste Carrier
- ✓ Complete Audit Trail
- ✓ Nationwide Collections
- ✓ Zero Landfill Guarantee
- ✓ A Complete Solution
- ✓ Unrivalled Customer Support
- ✓ Data Protection
- ✓ Complete Security
- ✓ ISO Accreditation
- ✓ Fully Compliant
- ✓ CSR Tool
- ✓ Simple To Use
- ✓ Efficient and Effective
- ✓ Recycle All WEEE Waste



The Greener Side

In Partnership With

PRINT-IT SERVICES
Office Technology Done Smarter



Key Benefits



Fully Licensed Waste Carrier

The Greener Side are authorised to transport all waste electrical items to our designated recycling facilities direct from your premises



Complete Audit Trail

Once your waste is received at our treatment facility, The Greener Side will complete all relevant paperwork to ensure that you're fully compliant with current legislation



Zero Landfill Guarantee

With a philosophy based around promoting a circular economy, we guarantee that your waste won't end up in landfill and will only reuse or remanufacture it



Nationwide Collections

The Greener Side operates on a national scale - no matter where you're based in the UK, we guarantee a fast and reliable service



CSR Tool

Reach your corporate social responsibility goals by integrating our recycling scheme seamlessly into your business and boosting your green credentials



Data Protection

We have the means and ability to effectively wipe all types of data in house before your waste items are sent to be processed for recycling. All software is completely removed and restored to its default settings



Unrivalled Customer Support

Our team of highly trained and dedicated staff are available to guide you through the process and offer professional advice regarding your collections and waste five days a week



Complete Security

Our recycling facility is monitored 24/7 so that you can rest assured your waste is safe with The Greener Side



A Complete Solution

We're permitted to collect, store and treat your WEEE waste, in addition to providing a logistics service for all of your waste electrical recycling needs!



ISO Accreditation

The Greener Side are accredited with both ISO 9001 (Quality Management System) and ISO 14001 (Environmental Management System)



Fully Compliant

The Greener Side's recycling scheme ensures that you're fully compliant with all current and future legislation, helping you to avoid fines and prosecution



Efficient and Effective

An effective and efficient service that fits seamlessly into your business operation - you don't have to do anything except alert us once your box is full, we'll do the rest!



Simple to Use

Our website and service are user friendly, making collections and box replacements easy to do in just a few clicks. We won't take time out of your busy work schedule



Recycle All WEEE Waste

We have no limitations on the WEEE waste that we can collect like most recycling schemes. The Greener Side will collect every single toner cartridge, no matter the brand or condition, as well as all other WEEE items

The Greener Side collect more than just your toner cartridges.

we'll take care of, and treat the following waste electrical items for our Partners;



TONER CARTRIDGES



WASTE TONER



ELECTRICAL COMPONENTS



INK CARTRIDGES



WASTE TONER BOTTLES



OFFICE COPIERS



MOBILE PHONES



LAPTOPS



PRINTERS

The Greener Side also accepts the following items;

Laser Toners

Primary Charge Rollers

Developer Units

OPC Drums

Toner Hoppers

Servers

Server Racks

Fusers

Desktop Computers

Fax Machines



What Happens to Your Waste Once it Arrives With us?

1 Your Greener Side Recycling Box Arrives
Using our licensed waste carrier, we'll collect all of your full Greener Side recycling boxes from each of your registered locations. Your boxes will then be transported to our fully licensed, ISO accredited waste management centre which is an ATF site (Authorised Treatment Facility).



2 Toner Cartridges Are itemised, Separated And Sorted
Once your cartridges arrive at our waste management centre, each item is individually inspected, itemised and sorted.



3 Duty Of Care Waste Transfer Notes Produced
After itemising and identifying your cartridges, you'll be able to access your Duty of Care Waste Transfer Notes if you've signed up for our award winning software.



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4 Your Cartridges Will Then Follow One of Three Pathways
What happens next to your cartridges is dependant on a number of factors including the quality and current state of the cartridge, its age, and whether the cartridge is OEM, remanufactured or compatible. See below:



Path 1



Remanufacturing

Cartridges which meet our requirements after completing a number of tests and quality control measures are eligible to be remanufactured back to OEM standard and placed onto the market once again. Remanufacturing reduces the need for raw materials.

Path 2



Reuse

Cartridges which don't meet our requirements or demand but are still able to be used again will be distributed to our Approved Recycling Partners. This avoids unnecessary cartridges ending up in landfill sites and allows them to be reused in other markets.

Path 3



Shredding

Cartridges that have been damaged beyond repair are shredded down into smaller pieces of plastic and metal which are then collected by our Approved Recycling Partners to be recycled as raw materials. This process ensures our commitment to zero waste.

Each of these pathways help us to promote a circular economy and reduce our impact on climate change

Material Pathways - What happens to excess materials?



Our Approved Recycling Partners ensure that excess toner is reused in the most environmentally friendly way possible.



Plastic is sent to polymer recyclers, where it can be remoulded to be used again, often into plastic pellets.



Excess metal is sent to a metal recycler, where it can be melted down and re-used.