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SUSTAINABILITY POLICY 2026

Sentinel Contracting PLC

Sentinel Contracting PLC recognises that sustainability, and sustainable development, is one of the main considerations facing the construction sector. Sentinel Contracting PLC recognises the Brundtland Commissions' definition of sustainable development as "development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs" Our sustainability policy covers three main areas:

Environmental

- Identifying areas of highest energy consumption and reducing consumption in these areas.
- Ensuring all electrical resources are switched off, or to standby when not in use.
- Ensuring all existing equipment is maintained and serviced regularly to ensure efficient operation.
- Working with staff to identify resource saving practices, such as lowering heating or cooling temperatures.
- Replacing older equipment with more energy efficient alternatives where appropriate.
- Reducing printing volumes and the amount of paper used.
- Recycling printer cartridges.
- Recycling glass, paper, metal and plastics where appropriate.
- Developing a water management programme.
- Introducing an electronic invoicing system to reduce paper use.
- Encouraging staff to reduce their environmental impacts in work, traveling to and from work and at home.
- Having an Environmental Management System ISO 14001.

Economic

- Ensuring compliance with relevant policies and legislation.
- Building relationships with clients to maximize value, minimize costs and waste.
- Ensuring complaints are dealt with promptly to maintain high levels of customer satisfaction.

Social

- Encouraging all employees to consider sustainability at home as well as in work.
- Developing Diversity and Equal Opportunities policies.
- Encouraging local young people into the trade by offering apprenticeships.
- Partaking in social charity work.
- Developing staff potential through training.
- Instigating a Health & Safety Policy.
- Ensuring all new legislation is incorporated in our documents.

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Mark Stewart (4th Jan 2026)
Director
Sentinel Contracting PLC

Our Sustainable Journey

Energy efficient travel

We continue to replace fleet vehicles with more efficient vehicles. 30% of our fleet is now hybrid.

We encourage our staff to use public transport where possible.

We source materials in the closest proximity to our sites.

Recycling and Waste Management

We have worked with both our suppliers and waste management company to achieve 100% recycling of paint pots. Any waste paint is also recycled into fuel. This has helped us to achieve our goal of sending 0% of our paint waste to landfill.

Our office also recycles printer cartridges, glass, paper, metal and plastics.

Sustainable paper management

We have successfully reduced our paper consumption by 80% by introducing new systems both in the office and on site.

Technology and Innovation

We are constantly searching for new and innovative solutions to sustainability issues. We recently undertook shot blasting using new laser technology which creates almost 100% less landfill waste than traditional methods.

We use solar power to contribute towards office energy usage.

Where next?

We continue to work with suppliers to reduce landfill, particularly packaging on products.

LED bulbs are being introduced throughout our office lasting up to 40 times longer and using up to 90% less energy.

Investigating how we can offset our remaining environmental impact by investing in projects both locally and throughout the UK.