

Waste Policy



AkzoNobel Decorative Paints UK&I wants to play a positive role in creating a brighter, more sustainable future for our planet and our communities. We are fully aware that this hinges on our ability to do radically more while using less. By creating more value from fewer resources, we are also securing our own business success – and that of our customers.

At AkzoNobel we believe that not using resources to their full potential is an unacceptable waste. That is why we not only aim to reduce the waste we create but also effectively manage it across our value chain. By using radical resource efficiency thinking we look to maximise the value from the raw materials used to manufacture our products, while reducing both our environmental footprint and costs.

To do this we are committed to:

- Work with our key suppliers and customers to minimise waste in their operations;
- Comply with all local waste regulations;
- Use waste management options as high up the waste hierarchy as possible;
- Reducing the amount of waste we produce and work towards virtually eliminating all non-reusable and hazardous waste;
- Providing innovative products, services and advice that allow our customers to minimise their own waste;
- Sponsoring Community RePaint to redistribute leftover paint to social causes across the UK;
- Reducing the impact post-consumer paint and packaging waste has on the environment.

Paul Murgett
Sustainability Marketing Manager
Decorative Paints UK& Ireland

March 2019