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Bin Storage & Refuse Collection Statement

Blakes Mead, Felpham
Barratt David Wilson Homes

Blakes Mead development



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Recycling and Waste

Local Authority Scheme

General refuse bins and recycling bin storage areas are provided to each property within the boundaries of the rear gardens or dedicated hard standing areas to apartment blocks.

Arun District Council provides a weekly kerb side collection service for general bagged waste as well as a mixed recyclable materials kerb side collection.

Affordable plots are provided with general refuse bins, recycling bins and internal recycling bins within the kitchen area of the property, all to comply with Code for Sustainable Homes and private dwellings provide their own refuse bins and recycling bins are issue free from Arun District Councils Refuse Collection provider.

Information sheets on recycling are included within our Home User Guide that offer guidance to householders on refuse and recycling:

Recycling Tips

There are some general points you may wish to consider, in looking at your further recycling:

Aluminium

There is no shortage of aluminium – the material from which it is made is one of the most commonly occurring in the earth's crust – however, it only takes 5% of the energy required to smelt aluminium, to recycle it – thus reducing the greenhouse gas emission during manufacture by 95%

Glass

Glass is made from Silica, of which there is no shortage. Glass is heavy and bulky and a lot of fossil fuel energy is used to transport it to and from recycling plants, although recycled, there is little demand for green glass – although it is now being incorporated into a wider range of materials for a wider range of uses

Paper

Most paper comes from farmed, renewable trees, grown specifically to produce wood pulp – however, like aluminium, producing recycled paper uses 70% less energy, and 40% less water than manufacturing new

Plastic

This is a difficult material to sort and recycle, and the many different types prevent easy reprocessing



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Steel (& tin) food cans

Again the benefit in recycling these items comes from the energy savings (which are less than aluminium, but still considerable. Please rinse out all food and other organic matter before putting for recycling

There are things you can do to help:

Use the “Mailing preference service” to limit or prevent Junk mail

Give away old magazines - to surgeries, hospitals and the like

Re-use shopping bags – and scrap paper for note taking

Uses re-fill able containers

Use sustainable products:

Timber – only choose material that comes from a source covered by FSC or PEFC

Flooring – consider natural materials such as sisal, cork, wood, and jute.

Re-use nails and screws – this saves resource and money – and removes a hazard from old materials.

Consider recycled materials – visit architectural antiques shops.

Use natural paints

Further Information

Further details of Arun District Council’s waste and recycling scheme can be found on Arun district council’s website.

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