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BusinessRecycling improves company culture of recycling at McLachlan Lister

When leading property, infrastructure and business project advisory company McLachlan Lister was looking for ways to increase recycling within the business and reduce its environmental impacts, it found the right mix in **BusinessRecycling**.

McLachlan Lister was referred to **BusinessRecycling** through Planet Ark and was pleased to find a user friendly website, with a large variety of recycling services on offer.

Mobile recycling made easy

Specifically, Senior Consultant Jo Veitch was searching for a mobile phone recycling provider – which she successfully found. The recycling service, Aussie Recycling Program, which specialises in the recycling of mobile phones, was the most suitable fit for McLachlan Lister. The provider not only recycles in an environmentally and socially responsible manner, but also helps raise much needed funds for a charity of your choice.

Every little bit counts

While McLachlan Lister does not recycle a high volume of material, Ms Veitch estimates that it recycles at least one bin of cardboard and paper a week, as well as batteries and old mobile phones. Other recyclable products in the mix include florescent globes, toner cartridges, cans and glass.



Staff members at McLachlan Lister now have easy access to recycling.



“McLachlan Lister generally is not a big producer of waste, but we do try to recycle whatever we can. A recent initiative to reduce our paper waste has involved a company iPad which we won through **BusinessRecycling**. Employees take the iPad to meetings to reduce the amount of paperwork carried around. It has been a very positive exercise for McLachlan Lister,” says Ms Veitch.

Collaboration improves recycling efforts

Each year at the company’s annual conference, McLachlan Lister reviews its objectives and targets, provides ideas regarding new environmental initiatives and explores ways the business can improve its recycling efforts. Financially, the business has also recorded a lower usage of paper and electricity, which has been a boost to its corporate social responsibility.

Ms Veitch explained that as a result, it is obvious that behaviour in the workplace has definitely changed when it comes to looking after the environment.

“We are becoming a far more sustainable business and more advanced as far as knowing what can be recycled. We would refer to, and recommend, **BusinessRecycling** if we needed to find additional recycling providers,” she says.

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Make recycling at work easy! Visit BusinessRecycling.com.au to check out reuse and recycling options for around 90 different materials, find out how to choose the right recycler, download signage to help with recycling, and learn what other workplaces are doing to manage waste and improve sustainability.



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