



Tool Box Talk

Focus on Performance

Sustainability

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What?

In order to continue to do business we need to make sure that the materials, people and finances we need are available in the future. We also need to ensure that our approach to construction doesn't damage the environment or negatively affect society.

Why?

Modern construction firms are expected to be responsible, ethical and to minimise their impacts on the environment and society. We have to ensure we meet the expectations of our clients, shareholders, the general public and regulators.

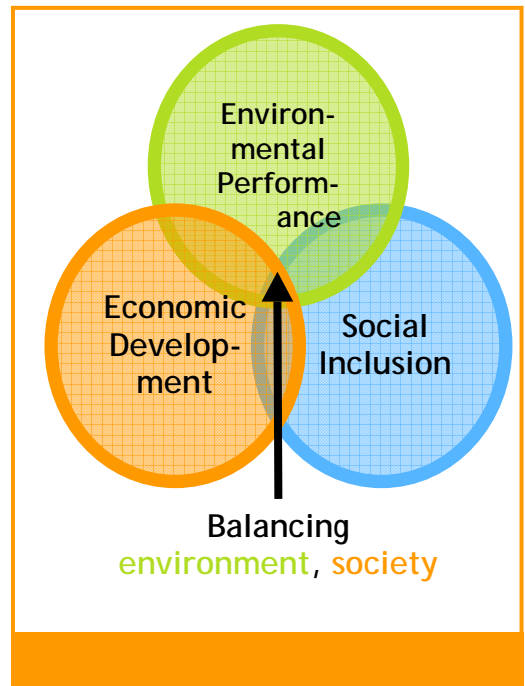
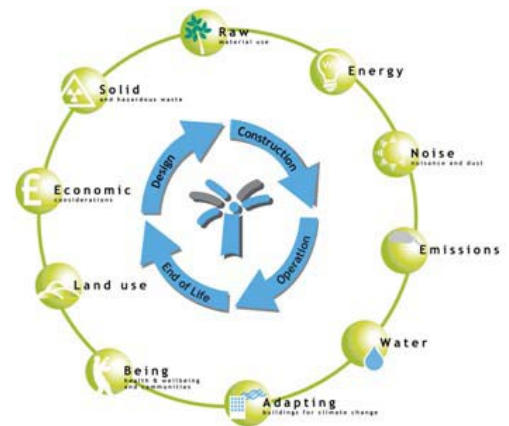
Working in a sustainable manner will help to ensure the continued growth and prosperity of the company.

How?

The concept of sustainability requires that economic, social and environmental factors are considered and managed. Interserve operates the RENEWABLES framework—our approach to managing sustainable construction.

Examples of sustainable working include:

- Reusing excavated materials on site to minimise waste and save money.
- Protection of plants or animals in or adjacent to the site.
- Regular public liaison (e.g. noticeboards, letter drops) to keep local residents and businesses updated with project progress.
- Use of local labour and suppliers to enhance the local economy and minimise environmental impacts of transport.
- Training and upskilling of our people.
- Reduce energy and water use.
- Engagement with the local community, such as school visits, involvement with community events.



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