

Case Study: Structive Civil Engineering

Challenges:



The question of sustainability in the supply chain has arisen sporadically for the last couple of years now in relation to tenders and for Structive the main question was where to start. It seemed complicated, out of our league and something to push down the line and wait to see what others put in place.

While looking into what other companies are doing and endeavouring to put a viable plan in place we stumbled on the Supply Chain Sustainability School – many thanks to Uisce Eireann.

Impact:

Through emphasis on sustainability by participating in the School our companies focus has been engaged. At every level within the company an impact has been made with employees reporting they have taken ideas and solutions to



work on at home also. We have guided others to look at the offerings of the school and encouraged them to participate. Engagement and communication with employees, suppliers and sub-contractors has lead to ideas, improvements and moves towards best practice. Our commitment to sustainability has moved from a paperwork exercise to a real dedication and will have positive repercussions well into the future.

Value gained:

Structive have found that Supply Chain Sustainability School has guided us, as an SME, through what we perceived was a minefield of impossible to reach standards. We believed, as a smaller enterprise in the construction sector in Ireland, that achieving a place on the sustainable ladder was for larger companies with increased resources. The Supply Chain Sustainability School has place for companies of all sizes, and we want to show that SMEs like us have a place and most importantly have an impact in our own way – something we wish to share with similar companies in our sector. With many ways to learn, informative webinars and the ability to take courses in your own time it allows a great balance between specific help and ‘dip in and out’ for what you need. Being able to add users and employees motivates more participation and a feeling of involvement in achievements across the company as a whole.

Fact box



Company

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No of employees

30

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Services

Civil Engineering

Project Management

Demolition

Plant Hire

Renewables

Enabling Works

About

Our experienced, qualified staff harness the nature of each challenge to drive motivation and confidence required to take on projects with a difference or degree of difficulty above the norm. Calling on our vast array of project experience we offer well engineered solutions and practical design for temporary works.