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Paul Vaines Engineering Services are committed to conducting their business in an environmentally sound manner. We have been gradually reducing the carbon footprint of our premises over the last 10 years and aim to achieve continual improvement in environmental performance as we seek to identify new methods and processes and invest in further sustainable practices over the coming years.

Achievements to date;

- Insulation upgrade to premises (2012)
- New skylights fitted (2012) *ALL WINDOWS A LEAST*
- Replacement LED floodlights to exterior (2019) *TRIPLE GLASS*
- All workshop, warehouse and office lighting now LED (2020 – 2022)
- All our grid electricity is supplied from renewable sources
- Set up tax free cycle to work scheme (November 2020)
- We are increasingly sourcing materials with significant recycled content for use in the manufacture of our products
- Switched poly bags for bamboo
- Switched plastic bagged products for recycled cardboard boxes

Commitments and targets for the future;

- Continue to increase our recycling activity
- Ensure all plant and equipment operates at maximum efficiency
- Recommending low energy sign illumination solutions to customers
- Encourage suppliers & sub-contractors to join us in becoming more environmentally aware
- PV solar panels, 45kW system to be installed by end of 2022
- Facilitate paramount utilisation of 13 acres of the sites grassland to positive environmental initiatives including wilding, trees and potential solar farm *5-26 HGMARBS*
- Reduce fuel consumption of company vehicles
- All company vehicles to be EURO6 or Hybrid by 2028