



Keep Guernsey Green Award

The 'Keep Guernsey Green Award' is for organisations that wish to publicise their commitment to the environment by demonstrating best practice in energy conservation and waste management.

About the Award

The 'Keep Guernsey Green Award' is offered by the Environment Department of the States of Guernsey.

The Award is for organisations that wish to publicise their commitment to the environment. Possession of the award will demonstrate to customers, staff and business partners that the organisation:

- actively plans its energy conservation and waste management;
- raises staff awareness of the importance of environmental issues;
- seeks improved ways of managing the organisation's energy and waste for the benefit.

The Award is given for three years after a review and assessment of the organisation's waste management plans and practices. Please refer to 'Path to gaining the Keep Guernsey Green Award' and 'The Standards' information sheets.

An assessor is assigned to each organisation and they work with the responsible person in the organisation to provide support for the process of achieving the award and assist in helping to build a case that will form a positive recommendation to the Verification Panel. The assessor deals with the process of achieving the award and may not have technical energy conservation or waste management expertise although he or she will be able to give advice on where the expertise can be accessed.

The Cost

The Department has set a scale of charges based on the size of organisations, and these fees have been set to cover the cost of assessment and support provided by the assigned assessor to each organisation.

The fees cover accreditation for a full three years and have been set at very realistic rates given the professional process support that you will receive.

Benefits to Gaining the Award

By choosing to be independently assessed, your organisation will demonstrate a commitment to helping Guernsey's environment.

You will demonstrate to your staff and customers that the organisation plans and implements both energy conservation and waste management actions that are good for the Island, good for the organisation and good for the environment.

Care for the environment is no longer an organisational gimmick. Nowadays most organisations recognise that their stakeholders expect to see evidence that the organisation is taking a responsible approach to environmental matters.

But the award is not only about the feel-good factor of doing right by the environment. By continuing to monitor and implement actions, organisations can significantly reduce their energy usage and waste disposals costs.

The Next Step ...

If you are interested in learning more about the Keep Guernsey Green Award, please complete and return the attached 'Initial Enquiry Form' below to the Environment Department.



INITIAL ENQUIRY FORM

Please complete and email this form to env@gov.gg, or send to:

The Environment Department

Sir Charles Frossard House

La Charroterie

St Peter Port

Guernsey

GY1 1FH

Name of Organisation:		
Year Established in Guernsey:		
General Nature of Business:		
Number of Employees:	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Name for KGGA:		
Contact Details:	Telephone:	Mobile:
	Fax:	E-Mail:

Please indicate how you heard about the KGGA:	KGGA Assessor (Name.....)	
	Media Publicity	
	Word of Mouth	
	From An Organisation Seeking the Award	
	Advertisement	
	Information Leaflet	
	Other (Please Indicate)	
Please provide some brief background information about your organisation, including information about your interest in environmental matters:		

Name:.....

Position in Organisation:.....

Date:.....

Thank you for completing this form