

Association Members

Currently includes the majority of Australia's major waste and recycling service providers and proudly also represents many small family owned companies who have invested and operate in the industry in Queensland.

Membership covers all sectors of the industry, including waste and recycling collection service providers, transfer stations and landfill operations, the quarrying sector, liquid wastes, recycling and secondary product reprocessors, e-waste, asbestos management, demolition operators, skip and bulk bins, as well as tyres and timber recycling.

The association members' investment in the waste and recycling industry in Queensland is significant. Current estimates exceed \$850 million, and directly employ in waste and recycling activities more than 4500 Queenslanders, we recycle or reprocess more than 2 million tonnes of secondary products, and, collect, transport and dispose more than 5 million tonnes of waste and secondary products annually in the state.

Specifically the members are:

- **Allied Environmental**

Provides waste and recycling services to local government, as well as the commercial sector in rural Queensland.

- **Ancor Recycling**

One of Australia's largest recyclers of paper and cardboard products. The company provide services including the collection, sorting and recycling of waste from industry, supermarkets and households. It also operates Queensland's newest Materials Recycling Facility at their paper mill in Petrie, north of Brisbane.

- **Austrans Haulage**

Operates a specialist fleet of vehicles for the collection and treatment of commercial and trade liquid and hazardous wastes.

- **Australian Scrap Tyre Disposals**

Statewide used tyre collector and transporter. The company collects and transports more than 16,000 tonnes of used tyres representing more than 2 million EPU's annually. It is a major

transporter in Queensland who transports tyres from the generators to approved and fully regulated tyre recyclers and reprocessors for proper disposal.

- **BMI Group**

Own and operate transfer stations, construction and demolition waste landfills, concrete reprocessing and other secondary waste material operations.

- **Chip Tyre**

One of Queensland's major used tyre crumb and tyre recyclers that converts used tyres into rubber crumb, tyre shred and other high value products.

- **Cleanaway**

Cleanaway is a division of Transpacific Industries Group Ltd, and is Australia's largest waste management operator.

- **Cortek Transport**

Operate a fleet of specialist waste transport vehicles.

- **Envirosite Pty Ltd**

A family owned and operated, Brisbane based business. The company's operations started twenty-five years ago and their core business is in the general demolition and recycling, marine demolition, asbestos removal and management, as well as site environmental rehabilitation areas.

- **Gold Coast Skips**

Privately owned, the company operates a small fleet of vehicles on the Gold Coast servicing the home and commercial building industry with skip and similar bin systems.

- **Gold Coast Bin Hire**

Privately owned, operates a fleet of skip and bulk bin trucks servicing the commercial domestic and other waste generators with waste collection services on the Gold Coast.

- **Green Bins**

Privately owned and operates a specialist fleet of skip and bulk bin trucks servicing the commercial domestic and other waste sectors with transport and recycling services in South East Queensland.

- **Gumdale Demolition**

Established in 1988, is one of Brisbane's leading asbestos and demolition companies. The company was instrumental in establishing the Demolishers, Recyclers and Asbestos Contractors Association of Queensland of which *the managing Director is President.*

- **Handybin**

Handybin Waste Services and Big Bins are a Brisbane based business that has been operating for over 14 years. The business provides skip and bulk bins services for homes, building & construction, demolition sites, shopping centres, office & factories, manufacturing, commercial & industrial situations, retail & business premises, schools, education centres, clubs and sporting facilities, government & councils, garden & landscaping, residential household cleanups and services and property management.

- **Hassle Free Recycling**

Is one of Brisbane's largest private paper and cardboard collectors that operates a fleet of specialist vehicles including dedicated front lift trucks for product recycling.

- **Ipswich Waste Services**

A commercial business unit owned and operated by Ipswich City Council that provides an extensive range of waste management services including domestic waste and recycling as well as commercial and bulk bin services, transfer station and landfill operations. The company operates Queensland's largest specialist product destruction and recycling facility to destruct and recover recyclables and liquids for organics reuse from surplus, out of date and general purpose packaging products including soft drink and alcoholic streams. The company was pivotal in establishing the association in 2007.

- **J.J Richards & Sons Pty Ltd**

Established in 1932, is the largest privately owned waste management company in Australia. The company's head office is located in Queensland. It performs nationally more than 1.5 million household waste and recycling collections per week and services more than 50,000 commercial customers with similar waste and recycling services. The company is also in partnership with Veolia Environmental Services in the Ti Tree Bio Energy Facility at Willowbank. The company was pivotal in establishing the association in 2007. *Philip Richards, company Director is the current WCRAQ President.*

- **JR Stephens & Co Pty Ltd**

A 2nd generation family owned, Ipswich based company that operates a specialist fleet of 36 bulk set up, Semi Trailer, B Double and Quad Axle waste and recycling trucks that transport solid wastes, sludges, and recyclable materials from across the state.

- **Kartaway Mini Skips**

Established in Queensland in 1984, the company provides a large specialist waste skip and asbestos removal service to state and local government as well as the private sector. The company was pivotal in establishing the association in 2007.

- **Kennedy's Classic Aged Timbers**

Established in 1995, is a family owned business that specialises in the supply of recycled and eco-sustainable timbers for commercial and residential projects. It operates its own transfer station, and timber recycling conversion operations at Narangba. Key stone projects include Suncorp Stadium, Restoration of the Tree of Knowledge museum in Barcaldine and they are regarded as Queensland's, and one of Australia's, largest most successful timber recyclers.

- **North End Recycling**

Operate a major landfill operation, transfer station and recycling businesses on the Gold Coast. In addition the company owns and operates a large skip business and fleet of trucks that services Gold Coast industrial developments with waste and recycling services.

- **Magic Bins**

Privately owned, the company operates 3 trucks in the skip and bulk bin waste and recycling collection areas.

- **M & M Quarries**

The business has been operated by the Mexted and MacDonald families since 1968. M&M were the first company on the Gold Coast to crush and make road base materials as well as cement treated road base. The company were one of the first Queensland EPA licensed private landfills to start taking secondary materials for onsite rehabilitation.

- **Queensland Recycling**

Part of the Swire Group and Alex Fraser owned businesses; Queensland Recycling is Queensland's largest secondary recycler of construction and demolition (C&D) materials. It converts secondary C&D wastes, into high grade fully engineered recycled products that are used extensively in high quality engineering applications by the construction industry. The company was pivotal in establishing the association in 2007.

- **Remondis**

The company's principle business operations are in Europe in waste management, recycling operations and disposal, abattoir waste rendering and biological waste processing. Its Australian operations include a fully enclosed bio waste composting and domestic waste operation in Port Macquarie New South Wales and it provides general and commercial waste services in Queensland.

- **Retrac Skips and Recycling**

Owns and operates a modern waste transfer station on the Gold Coast, including a large secondary reprocessing operation that value adds construction and demolition materials. The company has two specialty waste transfer vehicles for transporting products across South East Queensland and operates the largest fleet of skip trucks and bins on the Gold Coast.

- **Sims Metal**

Sims Metal, a division of the Sims Group, the world's largest recycler, is the largest collector, processor and supplier of recycled metal products in Australasia. The company also operates the state's largest e-waste business recycling and reprocessing old computers and other electronic goods in the state.

- **Sims Tyrecycle**

Sims Tyrecycle is the largest tyre recycler in Australia. The company manufactures high grade crumb rubber and other products from tyres collected throughout the state, for secondary reuse including in New South Wales, as an alternate fuel source for the Blue Circle cement kilns.

- **Sell and Parker**

One of only 4 major secondary metal shredder operators in Australia, the privately owned company established in 1966 recycled more than 200,000 tonnes of metal in New South Wales in 2006. Sell and Parker transports from Queensland secondary metals for recycling. It has purchased a 9 acre parcel of land in South East Queensland with the intention of establishing a modern metal recycling operation in the state.

- **Smorgon Steel Recycling**

Smorgon Steel Recycling operates from 39 locations spread throughout Australia, New Zealand, China and India. It supplies processed ferrous and non ferrous recycled metal to Australian steel mills, the foundry industry, domestic copper, brass, lead and aluminium industries and is a significant exporter of ferrous and non ferrous recycled raw materials to the Asian countries.

- **Solo Resource Recovery**

Are one of Australia's largest rural and regional waste service providers specialising in rural and remote community waste and recycling services. It started collection of waste including nightsoil in 1932 in Murwillumbah and in 1989 pioneered the split body waste / recycling collection vehicle. It operates in 3 states, and now provides a major engineering component to the industry building and designing specialist body design and are leaders in its field for rural communities.

- **Subloo Transport**

Family owned and operated waste, and transport operator that provides rural and regional waste management services to the private and public sectors. In addition to the collection businesses the company manages landfills and transfer stations in the state.

- **Sulo MGB Australia Pty Ltd**

SULO has been the technological leader in the manufacture of garbage bins, more recently known as wheelie bins or recycling bins, for more than 100 years - culminating in 1975 with the development of the modern plastic Mobile Garbage Bin (MGB). In March 2005 SULO MGB Australia became 100% Australian owned. The company supplies waste collection and recycling bins to both the public and private sector and are Queensland's preferred bin provider to local government.

- **Thiess Services**

The principal contractor to Brisbane City Council operates in the fields of transfer station and landfill design, construction and operations, collection and waste transportation, recycling as well as materials recycling facilities. It manages and operates 8 transfer stations, 3 landfills and owns and operates one of only two waste "*Bio Reactors*" in the state, where waste processed generates methane for use in the Swanbank power station as an alternate fuel source. The company was pivotal in establishing the association in 2007.

- **Transpacific Industries Group Ltd**

Australia's and New Zealand's largest national business focused on the collection, transportation, processing, recycling and disposal of solid and liquid, sludge and hazardous wastes generated by the agriculture, manufacturing, construction, mining and government sectors. The company's Queensland solid waste businesses include Cleanaway, National Landfill, Big Boy's Bins, C&D Operations, Gladstone Mini Bins, Northern Bin Hire / North West Waste, Remove All, and Superior Pak. It also owns and operates nationwide liquid waste services as well as Transpacific Industrial Services.

- **Veolia Environmental Services**

Veolia Environmental Services is the waste management and industrial services division of the world's largest environmental services company. The company operates in three sectors in Queensland, collection and transport, waste treatment, disposal and secondary resource recovery as well as Industrial services. It owns and operates the state of the art "*Bio Reactor*" facility at Willowbank in South East Queensland. The company was pivotal in establishing the association in 2007.

- **Visy Recycling**

The world's largest privately owned packaging and recycling company. The company operates 5 major materials recycling facilities servicing more than 1.5 million homes per fortnight, and recycles or processes more than 150,000 tonnes of product per annum. The company was pivotal in establishing the association in 2007.