

Environmental Business Awards – Granting of Awards

Award Certificates

Following consideration by the Award Panel, each successful Applicant Business will be notified as soon as possible thereafter, and will be awarded the relevant Environmental Business Award Certificate. Additional, associated promotional materials may also be provided.

As described under Scope of the Scheme, there are 3 Grades of Environmental Business Award - Bronze, Silver and Gold.

Glasgow City Council Website - Advertising Award winners

Information on each Award winner will be posted on a dedicated Environmental Business Awards webpage. Details to be displayed will be agreed in advance with the successful applicant and will include:

- Name of the Business;
- Address of the Business;
- Nature of the Business;
- Contact Details of the Business;
- Photograph(s) of the Business;
- Grade of the Award;
- Date the Award is made;
- Background details of the Environmental Best Practice demonstrated;
- Quotations from Business and Glasgow City Council Representative(s)

Withdrawal of Awards

In certain circumstances, it may be necessary to withdraw an Environmental Business Award where it becomes apparent that the Award Criteria are no longer met. This may occur when an officer of the Council observes activity which fails to satisfy legal requirements during a routine visit to the premises. Alternatively, the Award would be withdrawn if the awardee's address has changed or if the owner/company or franchisee has changed.

When an Award is withdrawn, the certificate and any associated promotional materials will be withdrawn also. Additionally, the business's Award details will be removed from the Glasgow City Council website.

Please Note

An Environmental Business Award Certificate remains the property of Glasgow City Council after the award is made. The certificate can, therefore, be withdrawn if necessary.

Terms and Conditions

An Environmental Business Award, once granted, will be held by the applicant business indefinitely. However, in certain circumstances, the businesses' award-holding status may be compromised and the Award Certificate withdrawn. (It should be noted that the Award Certificates remain the property of Glasgow City Council. Confirmation of this is stated on the Certificate).

Before an applicant business receives an Award, it will be asked to sign an undertaking confirming that it will abide by the Terms and Conditions of the Environmental Business Award Scheme.

The Terms and Conditions of the Environmental Business Awards Scheme are as follows:

1. The Award Certificate and associated publicity materials will remain the property of Glasgow City Council at all times.
2. The Environmental Business Award will be granted to a specified business premises located within the City. Where a business has two or more premises, the Award will relate to individual premises and not to the company overall or to the company head office - if not located at the Award address.
3. The Environmental Business Award is not transferable from one operation/address to another or between consecutive proprietors/franchisees/companies occupying the same premises.
4. Glasgow City Council may withdraw the Environmental Business Award Certificate and associated publicity materials at any time if:
 - a. There is a significant fall in the standard of compliance with legal requirements or Award Criteria;
 - b. The business ceases to trade;
 - c. The business is taken over by a different proprietor/franchisee/company.
 - d. In the event of the Environmental Business Award being withdrawn, the Certificate and associated publicity materials will be surrendered to Glasgow City Council.
5. In the event of the Environmental Business Award being withdrawn, the publicity materials including the Scheme logo will no longer be used for any reason (unless the Award is subsequently reinstated).
6. In the event of the business ceasing to trade, Glasgow City Council will be informed and the Environmental Business Award Certificate and associated publicity materials will be returned to the Council.
7. Should the Award Criteria change at a future date and should awardees not meet the "new criteria??, they will agree to work towards attaining the new criteria within a time period deemed acceptable and agreed by Glasgow City Council or surrender their Environmental Business Award.