

Waste Packaging

What is Sustain?

Our £1.5m recycling facility Sustain, offers services to support you.

At The Senator Group, we start right at the beginning. We design with reduce in mind, we manufacture with reduce in mind, in fact just about everything is about reducing waste. When it comes to reusing and recycling, we have a secret weapon, an in-house, purpose-built recycling centre, called Sustain.

The Senator Group have been recycling since 2007. Fast forward to 2025, we are at the forefront of recycling practices through our Sustain recycling centre. This facility and its services are available to support you.

Let us help you on the journey to net zero.



What is Sustain's Waste Packaging service?

A service available to reduce your waste costs, ensure that your packaging is recycled effectively and responsibly, whilst keeping compliant with waste regulations and legislations.

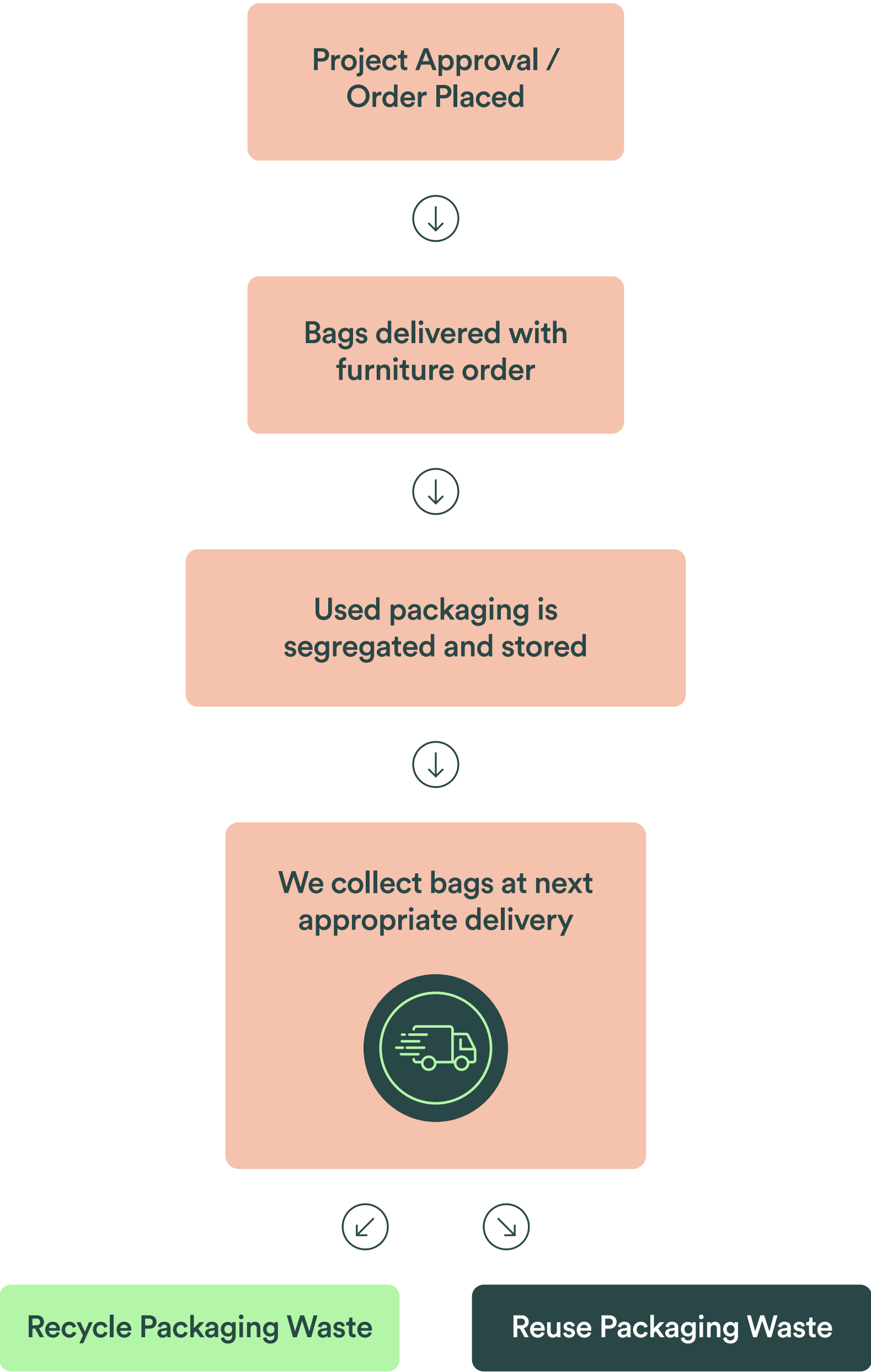
The bags are 1 cubic metre in volume providing a substantial saving on the equivalent skip costs, all you have to do is segregate the packaging and we will do the rest.



How easy is it?

Very easy...

- Call us with your waste packaging removal requirements to receive a quote.
- We will arrange and deliver waste packaging bags with the furniture order.
- The used packaging is segregated and stored by yourselves.
- The bags are collected by us at the next appropriate delivery.
- Once checked, the packaging waste is reused or recycled.



What we can take

The Senator Group and Sustain manage many waste streams, in fact around 57 in total!

Here are the waste streams processed through our Waste Packaging service...

WASTE PACKAGING:

- Cardboard Corrugate
- Cardboard Corners
- LDPE (Shrink/Bubble Wrap)
- EPS (Expanded Polystyrene)
- Banding/Strapping
- Netlon
- Nova Foam
- Paper



Can it be reused?

Yes! In some cases up to seven times and more...

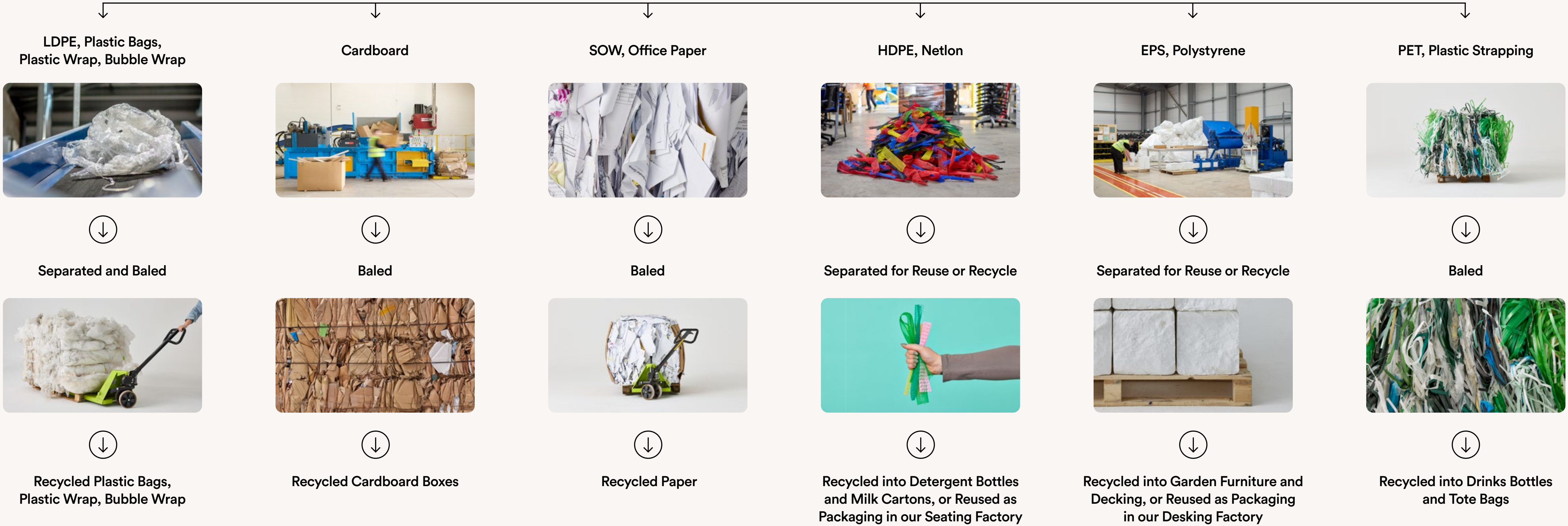
We reuse as much packaging as we can, before we recycle, and one of those items, we reuse is a polystyrene corner, to protect the edges of our furniture in transit.

Each time a corner is reused, we mark it with a dot. Imagine our excitement when one of the installation team found a corner that had been used seven times!



What happens if it's not reused?


Any packaging that isn't directly reusable starts a journey back into the supply chain...



Through Sustain we can help you...


The team at Sustain are experts when it comes to all things recycling. They take the stress out of recycling your packaging and ensure that it is reused or recycled in the most efficient manner.

Save on skip, transport, and recycling costs.



Give you full compliance and traceability reporting on all recycling.

Stress free recycling.



Save carbon emissions by back-hauling your end-of-life furniture.

Why should you use Sustain?

Each year, Sustain will provide you with a certificate showing the total weight and packaging you've recycled, and how much carbon you have saved.

This data can be used in many ways to support your business...

- 1. Supporting your ESG goals
- 2. Supporting your tender writing
- 3. Supporting your marketing efforts
- 4. Promote on your website



Costs and Savings

In March 2025, a new legislation took effect that states packaging has to be separated from general waste.

Through Sustain, we can support you with solutions to help your business meet these new regulations by offering our Waste Packaging service for all your packaging recycling needs.



Getting started

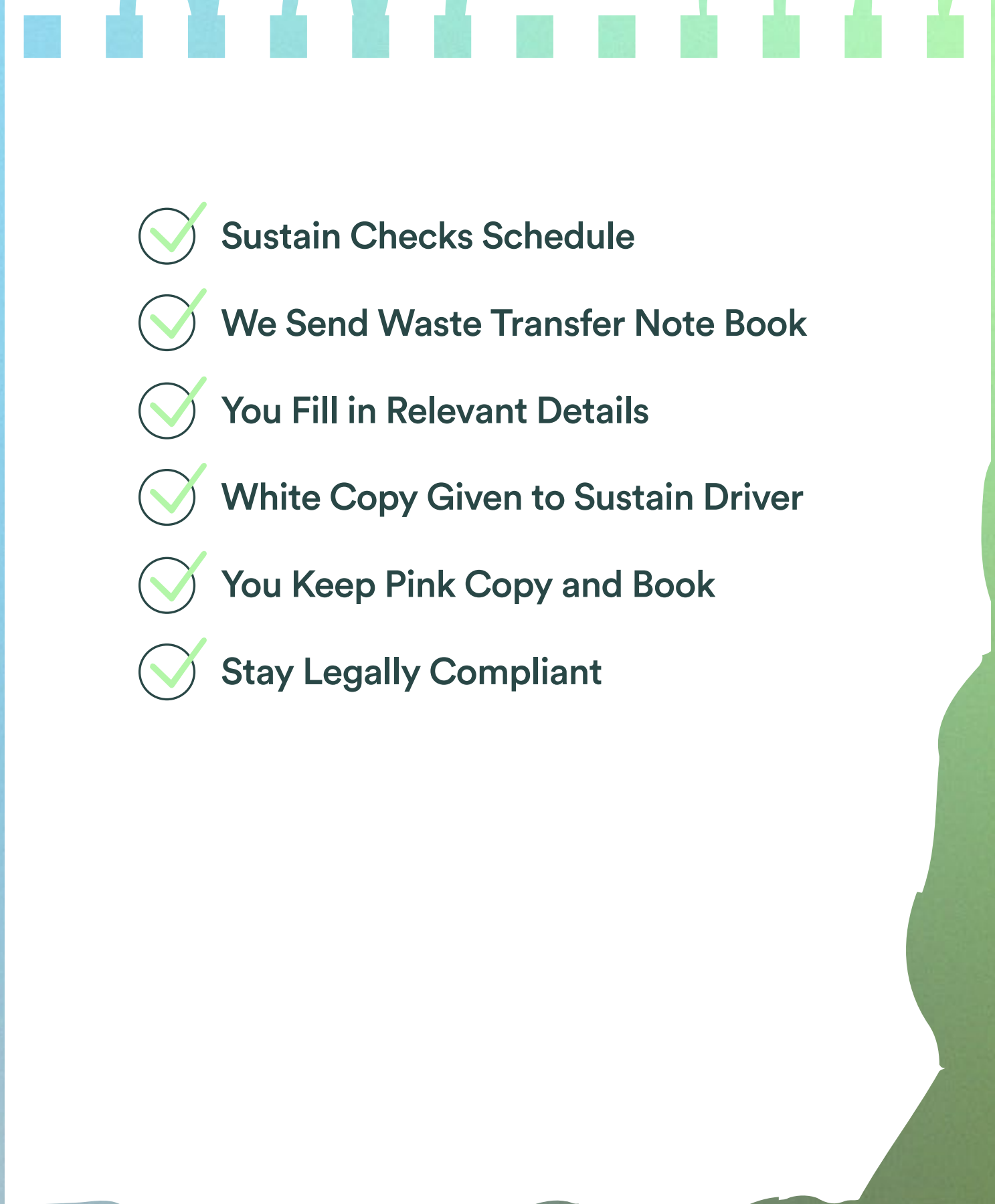
Sustain gives you full compliance and total traceability throughout the chain of custody.

Before a customer is signed up to the service, we'll first have to check that the location fits in with the delivery schedule.

New customers will be sent a Waste Transfer Note Book, this is used to ensure that both parties are kept legally compliant.

The white copy of the paperwork is given to the driver and returned to Sustain, the pink copy and the book remain in your warehouse.

It is important all the relevant details are correctly filled in, to ensure the weights of the bags are recorded against your company name, for certification and audit purposes.

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- ✓ Sustain Checks Schedule
 - ✓ We Send Waste Transfer Note Book
 - ✓ You Fill in Relevant Details
 - ✓ White Copy Given to Sustain Driver
 - ✓ You Keep Pink Copy and Book
 - ✓ Stay Legally Compliant

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