

A GOOD THING

Around 1.2 million desks and 1.6 million office chairs end up in UK landfill every year, while local charities struggle for the resources they need.

WHAT IS A GOOD THING?

A Good Thing is a non-profit reuse platform that connects businesses across London with charities and community organisations that can make use of unwanted items. Through our partnership with A Good Thing, clients have the opportunity to donate items that are in good working condition, helping to ensure that useful resources are reused rather than unnecessarily discarded.

WHY DONATE THROUGH A GOOD THING?

- Supports a circular economy – Gives furniture a second life, keeping valuable items in use rather than sending them to waste.
- Reduces environmental impact – Reusing existing furniture helps conserve resources and reduces the emissions linked to manufacturing new items.
- Helps local charities – Donated furniture can help provide essential items to people and families who need them.
- Fast and easy – hassle-free collections with no long-term storage needed.

WHAT YOU CAN DONATE

- All types of furniture (desks, chairs, storage)
- IT and electrical equipment
- Branded products and merchandise
- Artwork and décor
- Surplus stock and supplies
- All items must be in good, working condition

WHAT YOUR REPORT SHOWS

- The amount of items diverted from waste (kg)
- The estimated CO₂ savings
- The charity or organisation that received your items
- How your donation has helped support that charity
- A clear picture of your social and environmental impact

This is a **free service** for our clients, so together, we can reduce waste, support charities and keep valuable items in use for longer. To get started, contact our Sustainability team at sustainability@bywaters.co.uk

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REQUEST

Complete our reuse form or fill in the donate page on BRAD, telling us what you'd like to give a second life.

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MATCH

We will match your items with a local charity or organisation that needs them, and we take care of the arrangements.

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COLLECT

Items are collected quickly, so you don't need to store them on-site for extended periods.

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REPORT

Once your items are donated, we provide an impact report showing the difference your donation has made.

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