

Redcliffe & Temple BID Sustainability Action Plan 2023 - 2024

In line with the Redcliffe & Temple BID business plan objective, we are committed to supporting businesses become more sustainable, reduce their impact on the environment and embrace national and global sustainable development agendas: Bristol's One City Plan and the UN Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs).

As part of this, this Action Plan outlines the projects we will prioritise in line with the SDGs chosen to form our Sustainability Commitment.

SDG 13: Climate Action

Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts.

Action Plan objectives:

- Partner with Bristol Green Capital Partnership on their Climate Action Programme, engaging businesses on actions to reduce their emissions
- Work with other stakeholders to share best practice and knowledge via a series of events and workshops
- Work with Bristol City Council and other landowners to reduce the heat vulnerability of the BID area by adding trees and other shade
- Work with stakeholders to reduce car use within the BID area

SDG 3: Good Health and Wellbeing

Support the development of relevant health and wellbeing solutions within the Redcliffe and Temple business community.

Action Plan objectives:

- Deliver a range of lunchtime and after work activities to enhance physical and mental wellbeing
- Work with Bristol City Council and other Landlords to enhance existing public realm and create new places for people to sit, rest, play and socialise
- Work with Bristol City Council to make the BID area a safe area to walk and cycle, with reduced risk of traffic collisions



SDG 12: Responsible Consumption and Production

Support the reduction of single use products in the BID area and increase recycling rates of non-reusable products.

Action Plan objectives:

- Work with waste contractors to increase levels of recycling and reduce waste
- Work with Bristol City Council to reduce levels of Food Waste generated in the BID area
- Continue to encourage the use resaleable lunchboxes at our popular food markets

SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth

Support the development and growth of businesses and their staff within Redcliffe and Temple.

Action Plan objectives:

- Support our levy payers to flourish and grow, whilst at the same time offering fair pay and conditions to Bristol's diverse population.
- Work with stakeholders around the city to promote the Living Wage
- Support initiatives which engage young people and those struggling to find employment. E.g. Sponsorship of the Grassroots Activators Programme.
- Support independent hospitality businesses with promotion and support via initiatives including Love Bristol Gift Card.

SDG 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities

Support the development of this fast-changing part of the city as a safe, inclusive area to live, work and visit.

Action Plan objectives:

- Support planning applications for developments that make improvements to the area's public realm and community facilities



- Work with Bristol City Council to improve air quality in Bristol city centre
- Encourage workers, residents and visitors to shop, eat and drink locally and in many of Bristol's independent businesses
- Work with Redcliffe Forum to support the redevelopment of Redcliffe Way
- Support the redevelopment of Temple Gardens and Church

SDG 4: Quality Education

Support the development of education and personal development of those that live, work and study in the area, especially young people.

Action Plan objectives:

- Sponsor a young person via the Grassroots Activators Programme
- Work with Babbasa to promote inclusivity and opportunities for under-represented young people in the city
- Work with St Mary Redcliffe Secondary School, City of Bristol College and other establishments to offer opportunities for students to engage with opportunities in the BID area.
- Work with Design West's 'Shape My City' programme to engage young people in the development of the built environment in the area
- Deliver events and seminars that educate attendees in a range of subjects and topics at minimal cost to attendees

