

Our approach

+ We are committed to a sustainable future and want to leave a positive environmental, social and economic legacy that future generations can enjoy. For us, it's not about one-off projects or special initiatives but about the way we do business and the decisions that we make every day.

What do we mean by sustainable business?

We build homes and communities across the UK, with a small operation in Spain. Therefore our business touches many people's lives.

For our customers, the home they buy from us is often the biggest and most important purchase they will ever make. It's where they will spend most of their time, and where many of the important events in their lives will happen. So the way we design and build our homes and developments can have a significant influence on our customers' future happiness and wellbeing. Our aim is to help our customers make our houses their homes.

As a responsible homebuilder we aim to design and build our developments in the right way, so that they become thriving, inclusive and sustainable communities for generations to come.

Health and safety has always been a non-negotiable top priority for Taylor Wimpey. We continue to work with our stakeholders to improve both our own health and safety performance and that of our partners.

We directly employ around 5,000 people, with many thousands more on our sites and in our supply chain. We aim to treat everyone we work with fairly and provide support and development opportunities for our employees so that they can enjoy a satisfying career with Taylor Wimpey.

Reducing our impact on the environment is very important to us, so we consider it at every stage of our operations. We work with our partners in the supply chain to source sustainable materials, and with our contractors to minimise the impact of our construction sites. We also design homes to be energy and resource efficient to live in.

This report summarises our approach to sustainability and our performance in 2017. It shows how we seek to run our business in a way that adds value for all our stakeholders including customers, our people, investors, suppliers and communities.

Integrated reporting

Sustainability is part of the way we work so it's important that we report our progress in an integrated way. Sustainability performance information, including Q&As, is also included in our Annual Report and Accounts and on our website.



 Our Annual Report and Accounts 2017 can be downloaded from our website www.taylorwimpey.co.uk/corporate