



The Loop@Grahame Park, Groundwork London



<u>The Loop at Grahame Park</u>, in Barnet, is one of several estate-based furniture and electrical reuse hubs established by Groundwork London. The project involved teaching volunteers about how to repair and reuse furniture, encouraged residents to buy upcycled and re-used items at the Loop's shop, encouraging residents to donate furniture they no longer want to the Loop and attend engagement activities such as events on the estate. Local residents were trained on how to identify reusable items, arrange collections/deliveries and learn how to repair/ upcycle and resell the furniture.

This resulted in:

- Training and volunteering opportunities;
- The hub reaching people who do not normally engage in waste prevention initiatives;
- 338 unwanted furniture items collected (equivalent to 5.27 tonnes) and 374 items sold to residents.

