

# Roundtable

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How has COVID impacted on Sustainable Procurement?



Build Back Better

# OECD's Policy Response to Coronavirus



# Scottish Government

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- Build a stronger, fairer and greener economic future for Scotland in the wake of coronavirus
  - Employment measures
  - Help for SMEs
  - Consultation on policies

# Zero Waste Scotland

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- Decoupling Advisory Group: What we can do to meet Scotland's economic, environmental and social needs to overcome Covid-19 and the climate crisis.
- Key policy principles for using resources sustainably in a wellbeing economy
  - Principle 1: Recognise that green growth is not sufficient to Build Back Better
  - Principle 2: Put wellbeing at the heart of everything we do
  - Principle 3: Reduce Scotland's consumption of natural resources absolutely, rapidly, permanently and fairly

# Impacts of COVID on Sustainable Procurement

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- Direct
- Indirect
- <https://ideaboardz.com/for/TSN%20-%20Sustainable%20Procurement/3444634>

# Mitigating Measures

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- Considerations in the **Tender Process**
- Considerations in **Tender Documents**
- Considerations in **Contract Management**
- <https://ideaboardz.com/for/TSN%20-%20Sustainable%20Procurement/3444645>

# Practical approaches for BBB

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- **Design public procurement processes that value both resilience and low-carbon as well as promoting innovation:** for example ranking bids based costs over the asset lifetime under different climate impact **scenarios, and accounting for life-cycle GHG emissions**
- **Investing for low-carbon, resilient electricity systems**
- **Improving resilience of supply chains while accelerating the shift towards circular economy principles**