

Warwickshire County Council

Sustainable Procurement

in the beginning

- **WCC Environmental Procurement Policy & Strategy 2005**

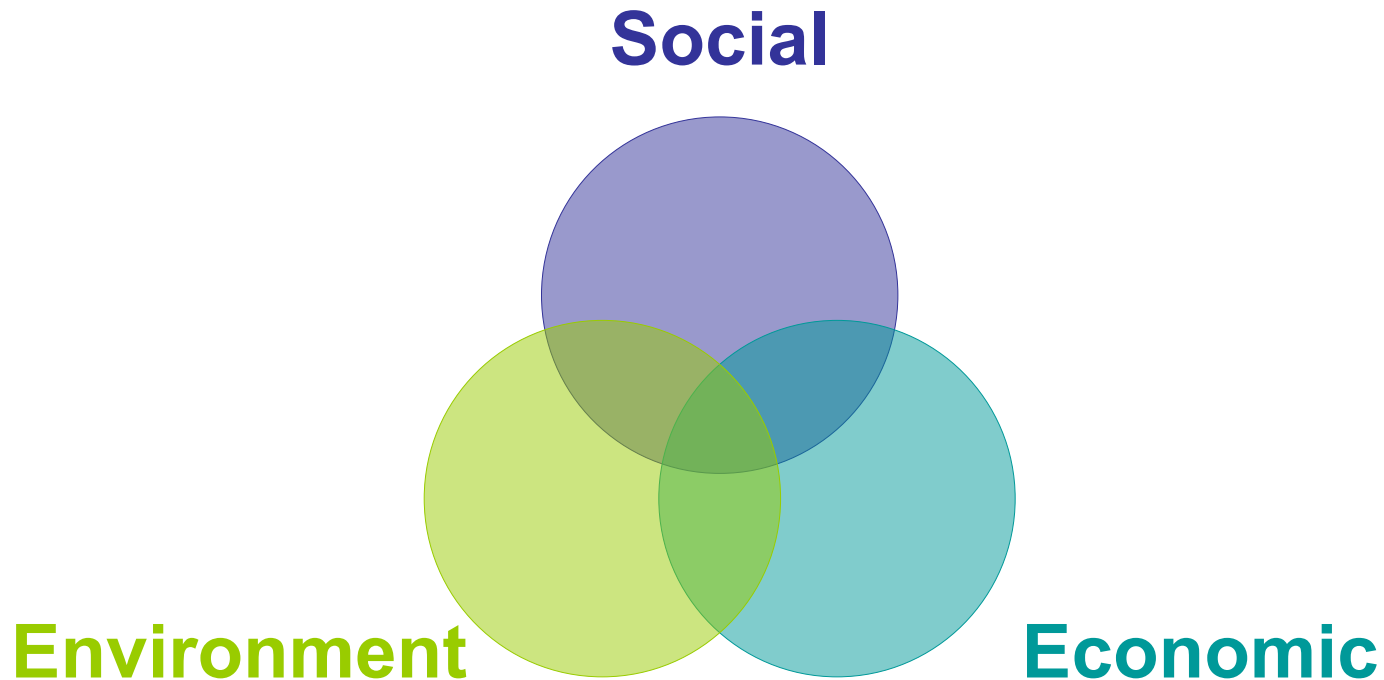
then came

- **Procuring the Future 2006**

followed by

- **Local Government Sustainable Procurement Strategy 2007**

Sustainable Procurement Policy & Strategy 2008



Environmental Risk Assessment Toolkit

- **Identify risks and remedies**
- **Specification and award criteria**
- **Eco labels**

but not all eco labels are the same

- **environmentally friendly**
- **kind to nature**
- **recycled materials/recyclability**
- **energy efficiency**

- **self declared**
- **stakeholder**
- **national**
- **international**

the best

- **single issue or multi criteria**
- **voluntary**
- **third party certified**
- **high standards of transparency and scientific rigour**

European Eco Label

- **buying**
 - **fast, reliable evidence**
- **product availability**
 - **search by product, manufacturer & retailer on www.eco-label.com**
- **tendering**
 - **adopt criteria or specify label and add 'or equivalent'**



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