



Case studies: Supagard Glasgow:

A solution was required for Supagard Glasgow that would provide a recycling solution for cardboard from their packing and fulfilment operations, where they supply car-care kits for well-known automotive brands such as Mercedes and Arnold Clark. The warehouse of Supagard is small and lies on a busy through road with an abundance of traffic so this particular installation provided a real challenge for Highlander and our machinery partner, Clydesdale Technical Services. Highlander suggested the provision of a Dicom PGV500 vertical mill-sized baler which is fast, robust and with a Highlander first provided – a bale ready alert system with GPS tracking capability and remote access feature allowing Dicom to diagnose problems with the baler via laptop and thus allowing engineers to know in advance what the machine problem might be. The baler provides significant housekeeping advantages for the small warehouse while providing new revenue streams by rebating Supagard for mill ready cardboard bales. With cardboard being baled instead of being handled loose on pallets, we anticipate much improved revenue streams - the installation itself was a £9,000 investment and will result in fewer collections, better rebates for all materials, a tidier warehouse environment and better housekeeping all round. Images as below:



The machine produces bales of approximately 400kg each & are manually tied with 3.2mm black steel baling wire – this allows the bales to be collected by Highlander in 4 bale batches and the bales are ready to be sold directly to paper mills, as no further baling or processing is required to get the bales “mill ready”. These balers can improve rebates to waste generators by up to £15 per ton and we can provide these balers at weekly rental great rates, at short notice – sometimes as quick as 7 days from order - to customers with full training, delivery, installation and annual servicing included!

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