



Tender for textile sorting centre in Deventer

Collection of textiles is a good thing, but it could be better. In the Netherlands, the majority of collected textiles are exported unsorted abroad. As a result, there is hardly any insight into the final sales market and processing of the textiles.

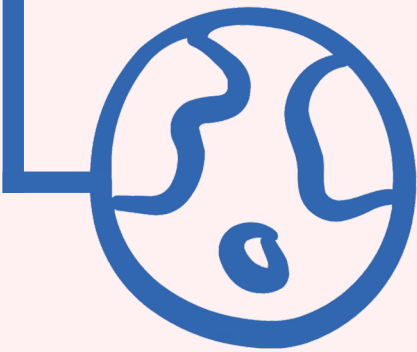
Challenge

A new textile sorting centre in the Deventer region should provide transparency in the chain and offer employment to people with a disadvantage in the labour market. Circulus-Berkeel wanted to engage a reliable market party with expertise for this, but the market did not want to take on all the risks of the textile sorting centre. In addition, the textile sorting centre had to fit within the policy and financial frameworks of the eight municipalities involved.

Approach

In this project we have managed to bundle our knowledge of waste flows (textiles), tenders and political decision-making. By organizing a tender with room for substantive coordination and consultation, a nice public-private partnership was eventually established.

We used our knowledge from large PPP tenders and contracts and applied it to a relatively small project – but with a major impact.



Impact

More insight into the final destination of textiles, high-quality reuse of worn-out textiles and local employment (25 FTE SROI).

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