

Case Study



Project:

Product:

Fencing Together Housing Group Rothesay Road, Blackburn Board Profiles

The Together Housing Group were looking to replace and upgrade the existing timber fencing on their housing estates.

The aim of the work programme was primarily to provide significant visual improvements to the street scene; providing attractive, tidy and secure fencing. The resulting fencing programme using hanit® recycled plastic fencing has been received with a great deal

of positive feedback from the residents who can immediately see vastly improved aesthetics' and appreciate the traditional timber look is still



being maintained. The recycled plastic hanit® fencing offers an alternative to the use of traditional materials such as timber, metal and concrete. The timber equivalent had rotted very quickly due to the environmentally driven legislation over recent years, making changes to timber preservation methods, has resulted in significantly reduced product lifetime of timber.



"We wanted a durable, maintenance free solution to our fencing needs, and after looking at the various material options chose hanit®. The products we receive from Hahn Plastics are of great quality and look excellent, blending in well with the housing setting and give us a product lifetime well in excess of the existing timber alternative."

Mark Grimshaw
Newground CIC

The completed fencing programme has considerably improved



the dynamics of the community, by providing a better, safer, outdoor environment for residents to live and children to play, with the community taking more pride and responsibility. This is very much part of the ethos of Together Housing, who often employ staff from the communities where they deliver fencing programmed. Newground is a social enterprise operating throughout the North of England, and is a member of the Together Housing Group. As a social enterprise, any profits made are reinvested back into the charity, Newground Together, and then distributed to local environmental and community projects across the North of England. Newground deliver a training programme for the THG, providing work based opportunities for people out of work.

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