

NANCARROW COMPOSTER

CIRCULAR ECONOMY & ENVIRONMENTAL GROWTH

INTRODUCTION

The events business at Nancarrow attracts around 7000 visitors a year with around 80 events, including weddings, corporate events, dinners, charity events and food festivals.

Tevi identified a grant opportunity to invest in an aerobic composting system, allowing efficient processing of both raw and cooked food waste. By producing a circular economy model for food and its waste management on site, the applicant would decrease the costs currently spent on waste disposal, reduce food miles and associated pollution, educate guests on ways to reduce food waste and help nourish the soil with the product created.

DAILY OPERATION SUMMARY



GRANT AWARDED

£7,710.40

Used to purchase
2 x RIDAN
composters and
maturation boxes

BUSINESS ASSISTANCE

"Our hand was held quite firmly throughout the process..
..from scoping out the ideas to filling in all the paperwork, spreadsheets and financial information that we needed to.

...It was made quite easy".

Steve Chamberlain
(Nancarrow Farm)



IMPACT SUMMARY

This project has resulted in an immediate reduction of waste delivered to landfill whilst producing useful organic soil nutrients. In the longer term nutrient rich compost will be produced to enrich the soil providing an environmental education opportunity, contributing to Cornwall's brand as a leader in circular economy practices.