



DENMARK'S REUSABLE COFFEE CUP NETWORK

Why?

- Australians use a staggering 1.84 billion disposable cups each year and the majority go to landfill
- Plastic coffee cups and lids will be banned by February 2023 under Western Australia's 'Plan for Plastics'
- Reduction of harmful chemicals & microplastics in the environment & our bodies
- Save money, storage space & waste disposal costs
- Reusable cups are COVID safe



Participating Cafes

- Green Pantry
- Teahouse Books
- Ravens
- Tarifa
- Strickland French Hot Bakery
- Denmark Gelato
- Reminisce Cafe
- Shell

The Commitment

The Shire of Denmark fully support the initiatives of Plastic Reduction Denmark WA and WA Plastic Free as a step towards Zero Waste which is a key pillar of the Shire's Sustainability Strategy.

For further information please visit the Shire website at: <https://www.denmark.wa.gov.au/residents/sustainability-and-biodiversity/zero-waste.aspx>



WA Plan for Plastics

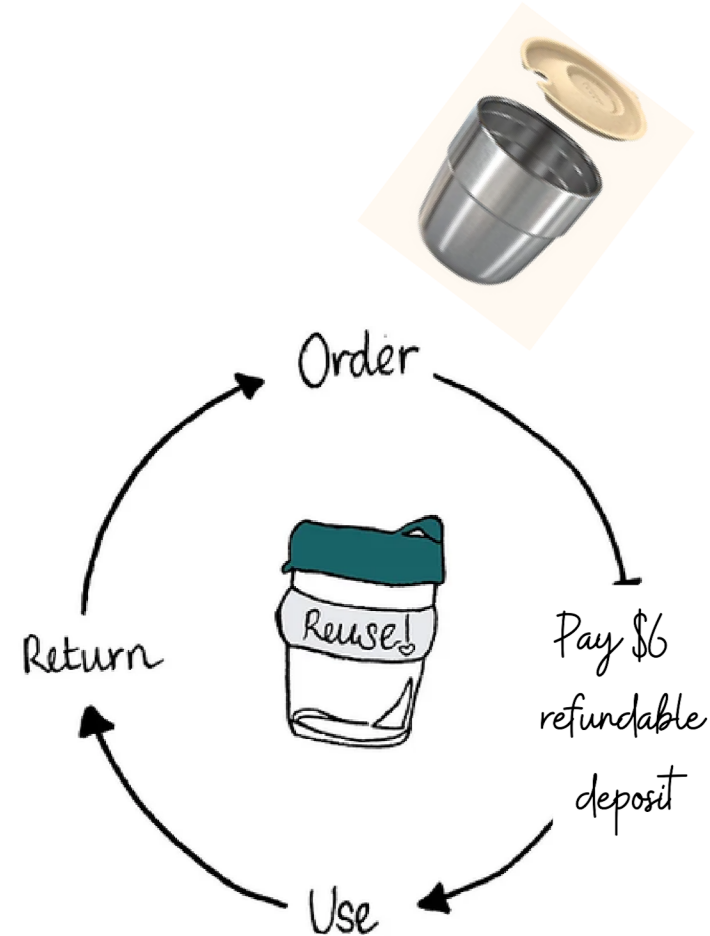


Shire of Denmark Sustainability Strategy



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Staff can Encourage Customer Buy-in

Staff can encourage customer awareness and uptake of reusable coffee cup network by simply asking with every coffee purchase:

"Will your coffee be in a Return Cup for \$6 today? Denmark is phasing out single-use disposables."

Reusables preferred here



We're trying our best to phase out single-use packaging

THANKS FOR SUPPORTING US

How?

RETURNR Reusable Coffee Cup Network

- You pay a monthly Partner subscription fee (\$48/month) - the Shire will subsidise this fee for first 3 month trial
- The cafe pays ReturnR a \$5 deposit for every reusable stainless steel cup
- You charge customers \$6 for a fully refundable deposit
- You purchase and provide cardboard lids (\$33 for 500)
- The Shire will provide a starter pack of 40 cups and 500 lids
- The customer can return the cup to any participating cafe outlet (easy in a small regional town like Denmark!)

RETURNR PRODUCT FAQ'S

- Return R cups are made from Stainless Steel - the best material for a shared food and beverage product:
 - It is highly durable over thousands of reuses
 - It won't shatter or break like glass can
 - It is inherently safe
 - It doesn't retain odours and stains like plastic will after reuse
 - It can be cleaned, sanitised and sterilised to Food Safety Standards
 - made from 75% stainless steel
 - fully recyclable at end of life
- ReturnR Lids are made from cardboard:
 - lids are uncoated, without a chemical or plastic coating
 - they are 100% recyclable in paper recycling at end of life if unsoiled
 - they are home compostable if soiled



ReturnR is a reusable alternative to disposable packaging. It's free! Leave a deposit, take a cup then return when convenient. Return to any partner in the network to get a refill or a refund.

