

# Action plans

## Circular Public Procurements

City of Aalborg

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# Action plan

## Playgrounds

Product group	Playgrounds
Why this product?	Builds on the previous tender of learning environments for schools Great opportunities to think about play, movement, learning and set up new playgrounds
Organisational opportunities	Try another circular public tender after the school furniture pilot tender
Organisational challenges	The procurement department may not be ready for another circular tender. The purchasing managers and the users do not see the benefits of a circular tender.
Market opportunities	There are many providers of playgrounds who usually either thinks only design or equipment terms
Market challenges	The market is focusing on the finances and not on learning environments and environmental impact
Status	On going
First steps	Talk with the procurement Department – find a purchaser Local training Set up steering committee Mapping benefits for a playgrounds tender Market research – quick scan
Timeplan	January 2018 – June 2020

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## ICT equipment

Product group	Life extension of ICT equipment
Why this product?	A lot of conflict raw material in new laptops. Scary metal in new laptops. Bad work conditions in Asian where they make new laptops. ICT waste ends in nature in third world countries.
Organisational opportunities	Try another circular public tender after the school furniture pilot tender.
Organisational challenges	The procurement department may not be ready for another circular tender. The 7 ITC-departments do not see the benefit of a circular tender.
Market opportunities	Lots of local companies in the refurbishment of ICT equipment sector
Market challenges	The market is focussed on the finance and not on the environmental impact
Status	On track – on going
First steps	Talk with the Procurement Department – find a purchaser Talk with all 7 ICT departments Mapping the benefits of a tender for life extension of a ICT Market research, quick scan
Timeplan	January 2018 – June 2020

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## Furniture for kindergarten

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Product group	Furniture for kindergarten
Why this product?	It was a tender already in the pipeline Experiences from school furniture could be used.
Organisational opportunities	Try another circular public tender after the school furniture pilot tender.
Organisational challenges	Analysis showed that few kindergarten would buy the entire decor, but instead buy a chair, a table etc.
Market opportunities	-
Market challenges	-
Status	Closed - Reasons: The kindergarten have a low budget for new furniture. They buy from a central office – do not have own budget. They buy piece by piece – not all furniture for a whole playroom. The supplier does not make their own furniture, they only sell them
First steps	Talk with the procurement Department
Timeplan	-

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