

When we say **Eco-Friendly**, we mean it.



Curbside Recyclable

Curbside Recyclable means an item is commonly accepted in curbside recycling programs. When a bound document is recycled, the paper fibers that went into the binding strip as well as the bound pages can be used again in new goods. This reduces the need for virgin materials to be produced and means the item can skip the landfill (the resources that go into landfill become noxious methane emissions instead of valuable renewed items).

Powis products that qualify: Binding Strip(including finished bound documents): Super Strip, LX Strip, CP Strip, Comp Strip, LX Comp Strip, Perfectback Strip, PMS Strip, Image Ready Strip, and Image Pro Strip. Covers (including finished bound books) Easyback hardcovers, Hardcovers and Image Ready hardcovers.



Fastback bound documents are curbside recyclable.



Cannot recycle without removing spiral, wire or comb.



Made with FSC (Forest Stewardship Council) Certified Paper

The Forest Stewardship Council forest management certification confirms that the forest is being managed in a way that preserves biological diversity and benefits the lives of local people and workers, while ensuring it sustains economic viability. In order to effectively manage this goal, FSC has developed a set of 10 principles and 57 Criteria that apply to FSC-certified forests around the world. To learn more, visit: fsc.org

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Non-Toxic Adhesive

Powis uses non-toxic glues with low VOC and almost no odor (no PCBs). Non-toxic means is that the product contains no ingredients that have been linked to toxic responses in humans; things like hormone disruption, poisoning, or cancer. Many adhesives are made with chemicals like formaldehyde, BPA and phthalates that harm health—Powis is committed to only using non-toxic adhesives.



Powis Factory Runs on 100% Greenhouse Gas Free Energy

At Powis, we are shifting the factory energy to 100% sustainable sources in the next two years. While we are in the process of transitioning, we are pleased to share that we are already operating on 100% Greenhouse Gas free energy. As of 2019, our energy mix generally includes: 29% Renewable, 27% Large Hydro, 44% Nuclear.

As the fifth largest economy in the world, California is doing a remarkable job in moving towards a clean, sustainable energy grid. In fact, on April 30, 2022, renewables met all of California's energy needs for the first time ever. At that time, the state's overall production of renewables hit a peak at 18,629 megawatts, comprised primarily of 66% solar and 25% wind, rounded out by geothermal, biomass, biogas and hydro.