

# *Future Clean*

## **Innovation and Simplicity**

## **Partnerships and Prevention**

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## How can 20cl of harvested rainwater;

- Wash a full size 
- Conserve the environment 
- Create over 150 jobs for disabled and disadvantaged people 
- encourage and build sustainable partnerships 

What is **Future Clean** ?

An employment project which happens to valet cars to a very high standard

Our aim is to provide employment and career paths for disabled and disadvantaged people on a national and international basis

**We recognise that we cannot do this  
alone;**

**2010**

**2013**



**Partnerships**



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# Future Clean®



Department for Work and Pensions





## Drivers for Change;



**UK Welfare Reforms**



**Response to the recession**



**Social Exclusion**



**Poverty**



**Public Sector Austerity Measures**

## The Gloucestershire Story



**Population**

**597,000**



**Unemployed (JSA)**

**10,000**



**Sickness Benefits**

**18,000**



**1:5 children in Gloucestershire live in poverty**



**12% of people with a learning disability work**



**9% of people with complex mental health problems are in work**



**14% of people with autism work**



**5.2% of 18-24 year olds are out of work**



**For every vacancy there are 3 JSA claimants**



# How is **Future Clean** helping us?

## Forwards Work Clubs

 Multi agency initiative with partners from across public private and voluntary sector

 Helping people with disabilities overcome barriers to employment

**Future clean is an integral part of the process providing employment and work experience for customers of all agencies involved with**



**Work Clubs in Gloucestershire**



gloucestershire college



**Future Clean provides our partnership access to;**



**Work Experience opportunities**



**Traineeships**



**Employment pathways**



**Transferrable qualifications**



**It provides our most vulnerable service users with;**



**Integrity**



**Confidence**



**Friendships**



**Money**



**A purpose**



**A future**

**So, next time it rains in  
Gloucestershire we know**



**Another 10 cars can be washed**

**And through our partnerships we  
can;**



**Create more opportunities for disabled  
and disadvantaged people**



**Build communities**







**Tackle poverty**



**End dependency on benefits**



**Create Futures**

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