

## Upcycling Product from Plastic Waste

The Company has seen immense benefits with collecting plastic wastes from the communities and various stores in the retail network, transforming them into new products that can be used and helps promote the implementation of circular economy guidelines. The Company has collaborated with Bang Kachao community to collect plastic waste to be designed and manufactured into new products, such as cloth bags, clothes, hats, vases, plant pots, children's toys, or furniture for children. This lengthens the lifespan of plastic and delays the creation of new waste. In addition, the Company has promoted and encouraged upcycling products to be sold in Goods Goods, Tops Supermarket and FamilyMart stores.

**2,000** plastic bottles have been upcycled

Create economic value at

**200,000** THB/year

## Aprons Made with Recycled Plastic Bottles Project

The Company and the Associates of the Waste Management Working Group of OUR Khung Bangkachao Project collaborated with Wat Chak Daeng Community Enterprise to support the recycling project of plastic bottles (PET) to re-manufacture them as aprons for use at the "Jing Jai Farmers' Market", producing a total of 200 pieces. Each apron is made from 10 bottles, which means it consists of 100% recycled material.



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## Bag for Life Project

Plastic bags distributed by Tops Supermarket and FamilyMart, which are called Bag for Life, are an innovation under the principle of 3Rs (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle). It focuses on the whole lifecycle of the plastic bag, starting from reducing the use of plastic pellets in the production process and then designing the plastic bags to be thick strong and durable, so users can reuse them many times. Then, when the bags are damaged or get old, customers can exchange for a new one for free. The original bags that were exchanged will then be properly recycled and produced into a new bag. This all helps promote a circular economy and preserves the environment.

**518,447** recycled plastic bags were sold in the project