TOP TIPS FOR EMBEDDING CIRCULAR ECONOMY PRINCIPLES IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY
You are in a unique position to see how the design and construction of a building/asset affects its ability to be efficiently deconstructed or demolished, and the materials reused or recovered. Find ways to give the design and construction industry feedback on what you are learning through your demolition projects.
02. Consider a pre-demolition audit

Use pre-demolition audits to identify opportunities for reuse, and communicate to your client if deconstruction rather than demolition is viable. Advise the team about any markets for pre-used materials and components.
03. Maximise reuse

Prioritise reuse and high value recycling where possible, to retain the product’s value and utility. Aim to deconstruct as much as possible, to enable reuse. Write up case studies of projects with high levels of reuse, demonstrating the economic and environmental benefits.
04.

Measure and report how much is reused, how much is recycled and how much is recovered or sent to landfill. Aim to increase levels of reuse over time.
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This resource is intended to help the construction industry start its journey towards the circular economy. It offers a series of practical tips - for Clients, the Design Team, Contractors, Material and Product Manufacturers, and Demolition Contractors. Those who have already developed and are practicing a sophisticated approach to circular economy may find these tips useful as a checklist.

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