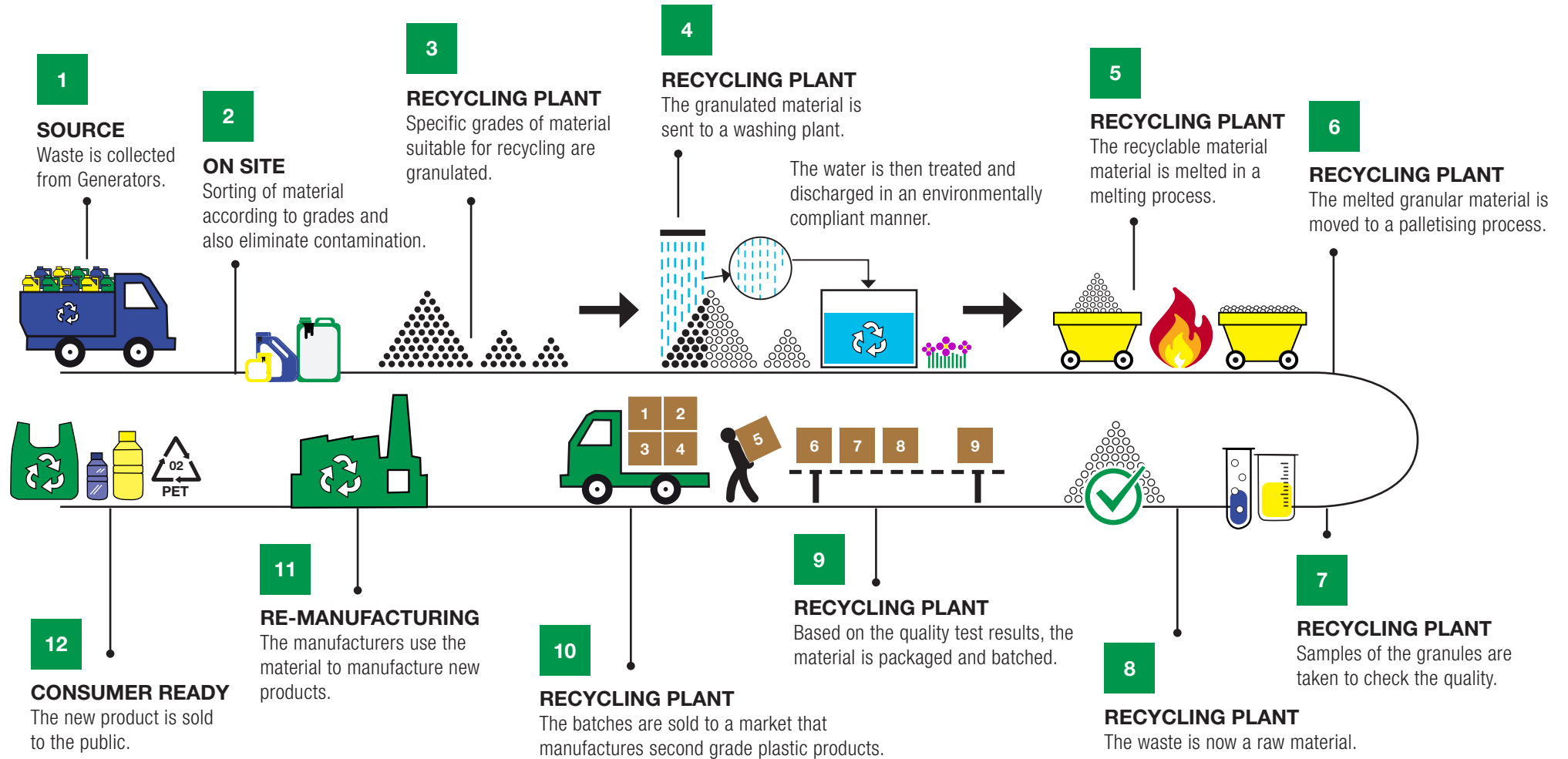


USED PLASTIC BOTTLE RECYCLING PROCESS





ABOUT THE ROSE FOUNDATION FORECOURT PROJECT

Used motor lubricating oil plastic bottles and cans, must be recycled.

The ROSE Foundation has operated an initiative called the Forecourt Project since 2000. Its primary focus is the collection of empty oily bottles and cans from service stations across all the fuel brands to ensure the responsible recycling of these materials.

Prior to 2016, the project was conducted by Collect-A-Can. At the beginning of 2016, the ROSE Foundation took the project 'in-house', so to speak, by appointing three service providers to do the collection of this waste stream in Cape Town, Durban, and Johannesburg.

The ROSE Foundation paid for all the collection and the disposal of the waste. In addition, ROSE supplied four vehicles to assist with the collection, one each in Cape Town and Durban and two in Johannesburg.

In 2018, the ROSE Foundation decided to revise the model, particularly the funding aspect of the model. The new model requires that the generators (service stations) must pay for the disposal of this waste, rather than the ROSE Foundation. This has required that the waste collection companies gear themselves up to negotiate and agree a collection fee for the service rendered.

The new model also allowed ROSE to increase the collector base by having more collectors spread throughout the country instead of just having collections happening only in the three major centres of Cape Town, Durban and Johannesburg. The new model will see collectors seeking accreditation with the ROSE Foundation for the collection of this waste stream in other parts of the country. The list of forecourt collectors is available on the ROSE website under The Forecourt Project.

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